Summer 1st: Forest School

Miss Osborne/Mrs Phillips

School

Forest

The Archaeological Dig

Roman artefacts have been discovered in our forest school! The chn work in teams to hunt for buried Roman 'treasures'. They carefully record what they find, including measuring the size in cm.

Roman Invaders

Discuss how the Roman army invaded this country, chn imagine what life would have been like in Northumberland during this time. Who might have been dwelling in our woods 2000 years ago... Romans or a Mesolithic tribe... Why were the Romans so successful? Find out about Roman armies and soldiers.

- Making Roman Swords
- Making bows and arrows
- Roman Tent with information Books

Chn then pretend to be soldiers practice a Roman drill.

Roman Life

What was life like for ordinary people 2000 years ago. Chn learn more about life in Roman towns.

- Making leather pouches
- Make Roman Coins using air dry clay and print with Roman Numerals
- Set up a market stall
- Making Leather sandals
- Aqueducts using the water from the steam.

Roman Food and Plants

Find out about the plants and herbs that the Romans introduced to Britain. Cook some Roman food.

- Using plant guides to identify Roman plants.
- Hammering plants to make prints.
- Dying wool and cloth using plants
- Make seed bombs and plant native wold plants

Roman Theatre

What was Roman theatre like? Chn learn a famous Roman story Pie Corbett style. Then they practice a part of the story to perform next week in our Roman amphitheatre.

Roman Celebration

A Roman Forest Feast and fun!

- Making Roman bread and nettle soup! With fine wine (grape juice!)
- Chn could perform a Roman play in our very own amphitheatre