



St. Michael's C.E. (Controlled) Junior School

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Headteacher: Mrs Jenny Jones

Inspired by Him, we serve the community of St Michael's by creating an inclusive learning culture where all differences are respected, where courage is shown to face and overcome adversity, and resilience is embedded in our journey to success so we can be the very best we can be.

8th February 2022

Dear Parents/Guardian,

In year 3, we have been covering the topic 'Long Straight Roads' which is based on the Expansion of the Roman Empire and its impact on Britain.

As part of our topic we have organised two educational workshops on 17th and 18th February and 28th March.

The Open Box Company <https://www.openboxtheatre.co.uk/> will visit our school and provide an interactive experience. Setting the Roman invasion of Britannia in some context first, the children will discuss why the Romans came to our shores and the type of land and people that the Romans discovered here. The children then become the invading army and find out what it was like to be a soldier, how they trained, marched and conquered.

Fishbourne Roman Villa <https://sussexpast.co.uk/learning-participation/> will be hosting us virtually. This was a great hit last year and we are sure that this year's cohort will thoroughly enjoy the facts and wonders that they will learn about Roman Britain.

In order for these workshops to go ahead a voluntary contribution of £9.00 is requested to contribute towards the cost. Payment can be made via Scopay or cash (handed into the school office).

Yours sincerely,

Yr. 3 Team

