



17<sup>th</sup> September 2020

Year 3 'Swords and Sandals' Workshop

Dear Parents and Carers of Year 3,

We are very excited to share with you that this term we will be having a visiting workshop for Year 3 on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> September 2020. This links with our new History & Geography topic 'Swords and Sandals'. **No payment** will be required by you as all costs have been kindly met by the school. The workshop will be run by the Chertsey Museum and gives pupils a chance to handle original Roman archaeology and replica items. The sessions concentrate on everyday life in Roman Britain. All sessions involve an object based talk which uses original items and replicas to help them find out about the Romans.

The children will:

- Understand how we learn about the past using artefacts.
- Gain an understanding about how to handle, care and appreciate original and replica objects
- Learn about the differences between the Celts and the Romans
- Understand what everyday life was like for a Roman citizen.

This is a very exciting opportunity for the children and will provide an informative and memorable start to this fascinating topic.

**Please feel reassured we have inspected Chertsey Museum's risk assessment for COVID19 and are confident all the correct procedures are in place for the children to handle any objects they bring along.**

Many thanks

Mrs Cole and Miss Preston

Year 3 Teachers

