Summer term Topic work week 10 w/b 29th June 2020

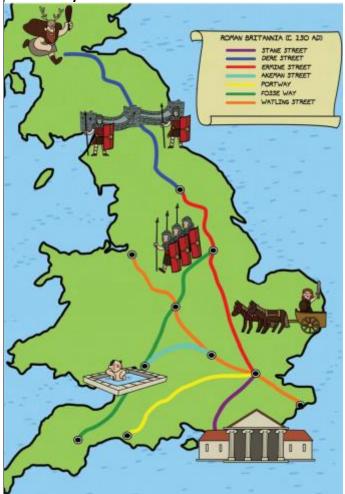
Rocking Romans

History/Geography:

The Romans in Scotland

Once the Romans had control of the South of Britain, they tried to invade the rest of the island and conquer the area they called Caledonia in modern day Scotland. Some of the people who lived in Caledonia were called 'Picts' by the Romans. The Pict people did not want the Romans to rule and so they fought back. The Romans won a victory against the Picts at the Battle of Mons Graupius, however fighting continued and eventually the Romans decided that invading Caledonia was too difficult, as it was very cold and there was too much resistance from the people who lived there. The Romans built a wall, called Hadrian's Wall, which stretched from one coast to the other with lots of Roman forts and soldiers to guard it. Some of the wall can still be seen today.





Identify Scotland on a map, use an atlas if you have one at home or look online.

Activity 2

Look at pictures of Hadrian's Wall below and read the separate document 'The Romans in Scotland'.

Hadrian's Wall

- Hadrian's wall stretches 73 miles
- It was built to stop the Picts from invading Roman Britain
- It formed the edge of the Roman Empire
- The Romans began to build the wall in AD 122
- The wall was named after Emperor Hadrian
- The Romans built forts along the wall





Now complete the story board showing the Romans trying to invade, the Picts fighting back and then the Romans building Hadrian's Wall (this is on a separate sheet).

Science:

Take a look at the Rocking Romans Science Ideas (there is also a separate sheet which is a bit easier to read) and try a some of these activities. Can you complete one for Chemistry, Biology and Physics?

