## Opal Class News



## 26<sup>th</sup> April 2024

After an exciting week of mosque visits and Roman days, we have enjoyed a quieter week with our usual routine. The children have recapped their protractor skills and have extended their learning to draw acute, obtuse and reflex angles. In English, we have introduced a new genre to the children as we are hoping to write a balance argument as part of our discussion about Roman invasion. The children have absolutely loved their debate and it was great to see so many valid points put forward by the children. We have also been finishing off some Geography from last term. The children have been learning about lines of longitude and latitude.



Key dates coming up:

Tuesday 30th - Friday 3rd May: School Book Fair (After school)

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> May – Pedestrian training (practical)

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> May – Drum lessons

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> May – Miss Clark is in school but out of class.

Coming up next week Learning focused	Way to support at home (home learning)
In Maths, we will be revisiting more on shape as well as looking at converting periods of time.	Children can revisit concepts on Mathletics. Talk to them at home about periods of time e.g. how long until your birthday? How old is your little sister in months? Etc. Practising their times tables on TTRS would also be very useful.
In English, we shall be revisiting some grammar, particularly adverbs of possibility and model verbs.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yHOOZqH KyIw
Develop comprehension skills in reading Each Wednesday morning, we listen to all children read.	Read and ensure that reading records are in every day.