



Year 3



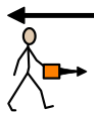
Roman Day



Last year,



Year 3



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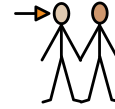


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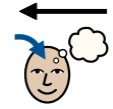


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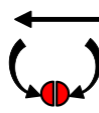
about



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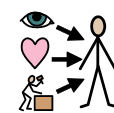


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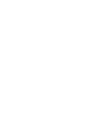
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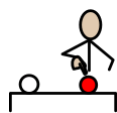
experienced



life

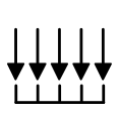


as a soldier.



This

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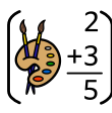
knowledge



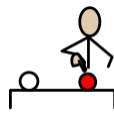
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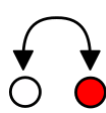


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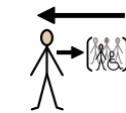


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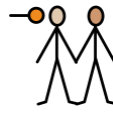
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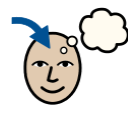
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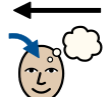
their



learning.



The children

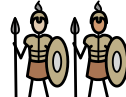


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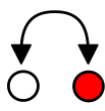
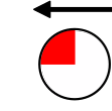



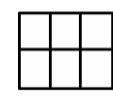
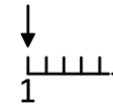
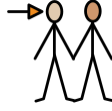
Roman soldiers,






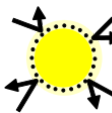
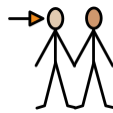


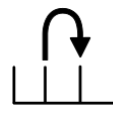



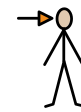
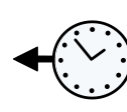



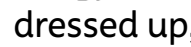
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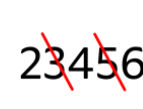
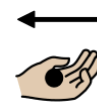

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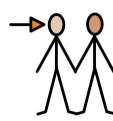
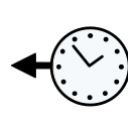
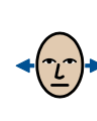



 which  included  spear  throwing  and  formations.  First,  they





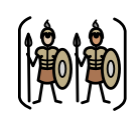
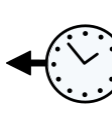

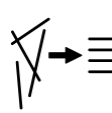
 learnt  how  to  attack  and  defend  themselves  using  spears.  Next,

 the prospective  soldiers,  who  were  just  children  dressed up,








 learnt  how  to  use  their  shields  to  create  a  formation  called

 the tortoise shell.  Some  children  even  had  the chance to


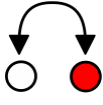


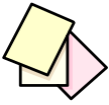


 ride horses,  although  they  were  not  real  ones,  around the



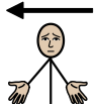



 hall.  "I  didn't  realise  the Roman army  were  so  organised

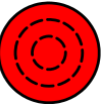

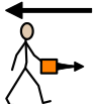
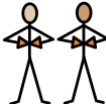
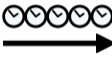


 and efficient!"  exclaimed  one Year  3  child  from  3D.




 In the classrooms,  the children  learnt  about  real  life 


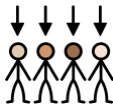


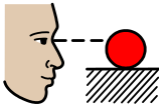
 objects and  made a  Roman  mosaic. They  used  many  coloured 

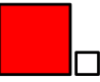


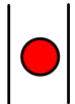




 tiles,  which  were  made  from paper, to  create a picture or 

 pattern. "The  Romans  needed a lot  of  patience to  complete

 large  mosaics as it  took  us a long time  to  make,"  declared

 one child  dressed as a  Roman soldier.

 At the end of the day,  all the children  came together to  watch a 

 big  gladiator  fight,  between  Mr  Dodd and  Mrs  McCloy, in



the Colosseum.

Ultimately,

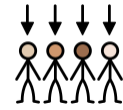


Mrs McCloy

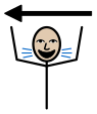


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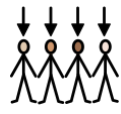
all the children



cheered.



Overall,



everyone



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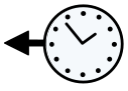
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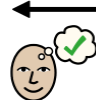


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The



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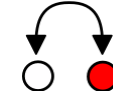


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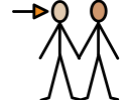


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