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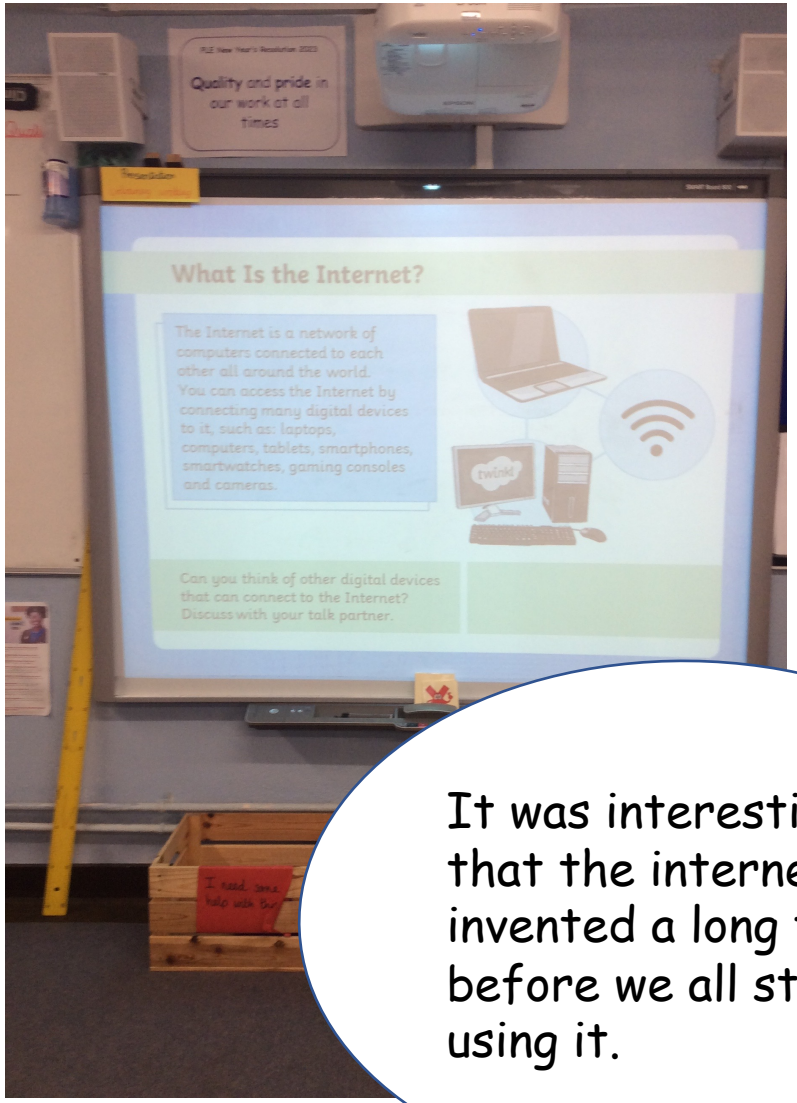
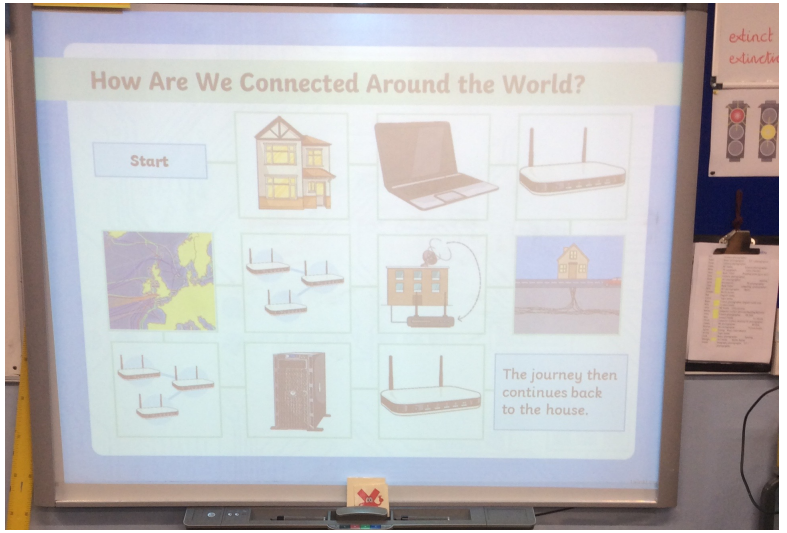
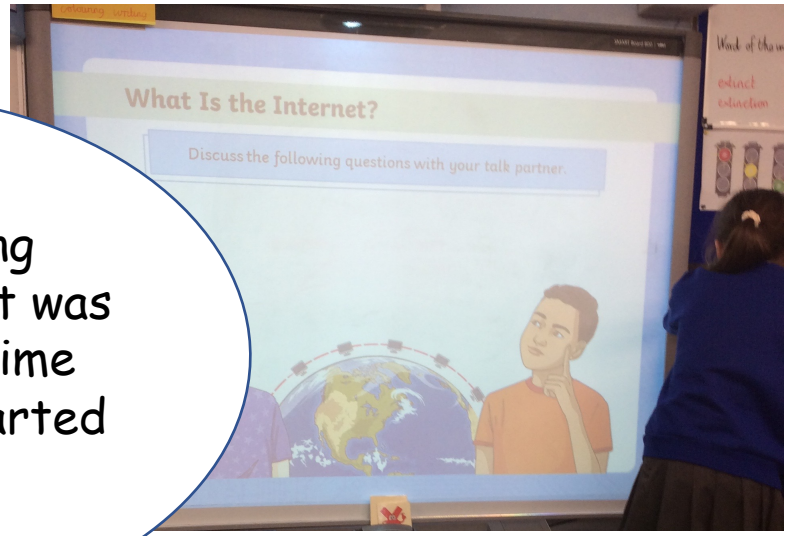
Computing. How do I research safely?

We learnt about online trolls.

The first thing we did was to recap being safe. If in doubt STOP and tell a trusted adult.







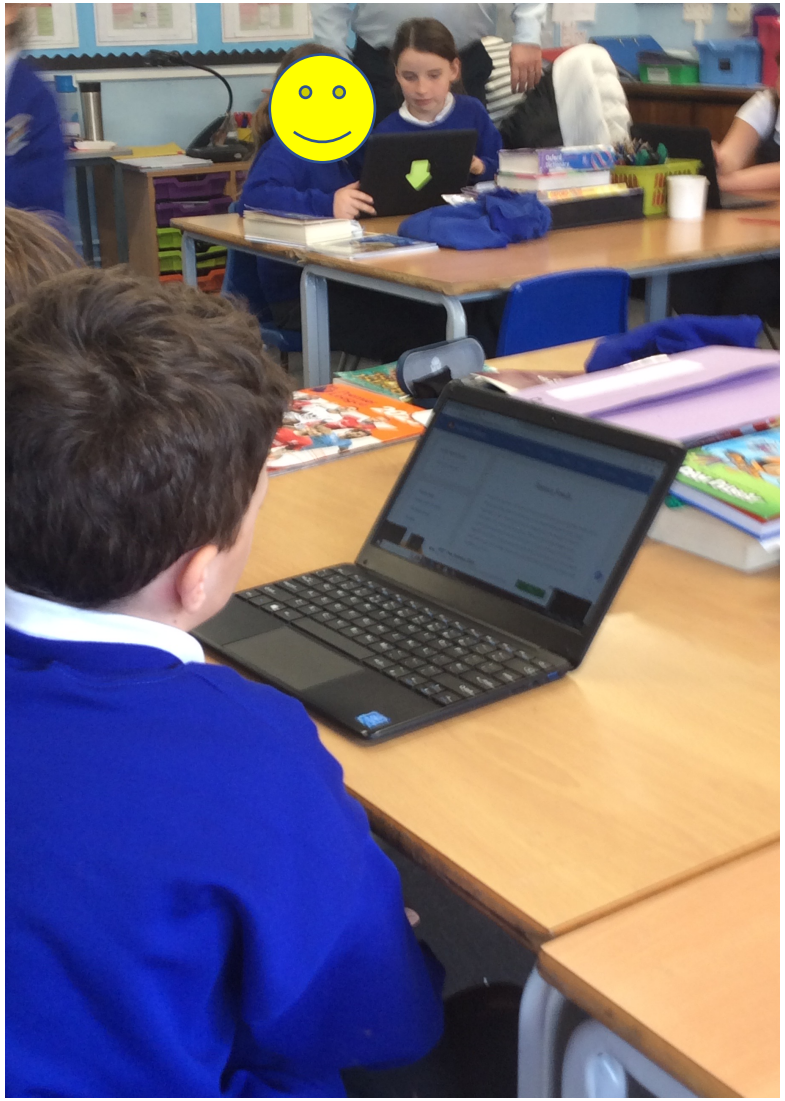
It was interesting that the internet was invented a long time before we all started using it.

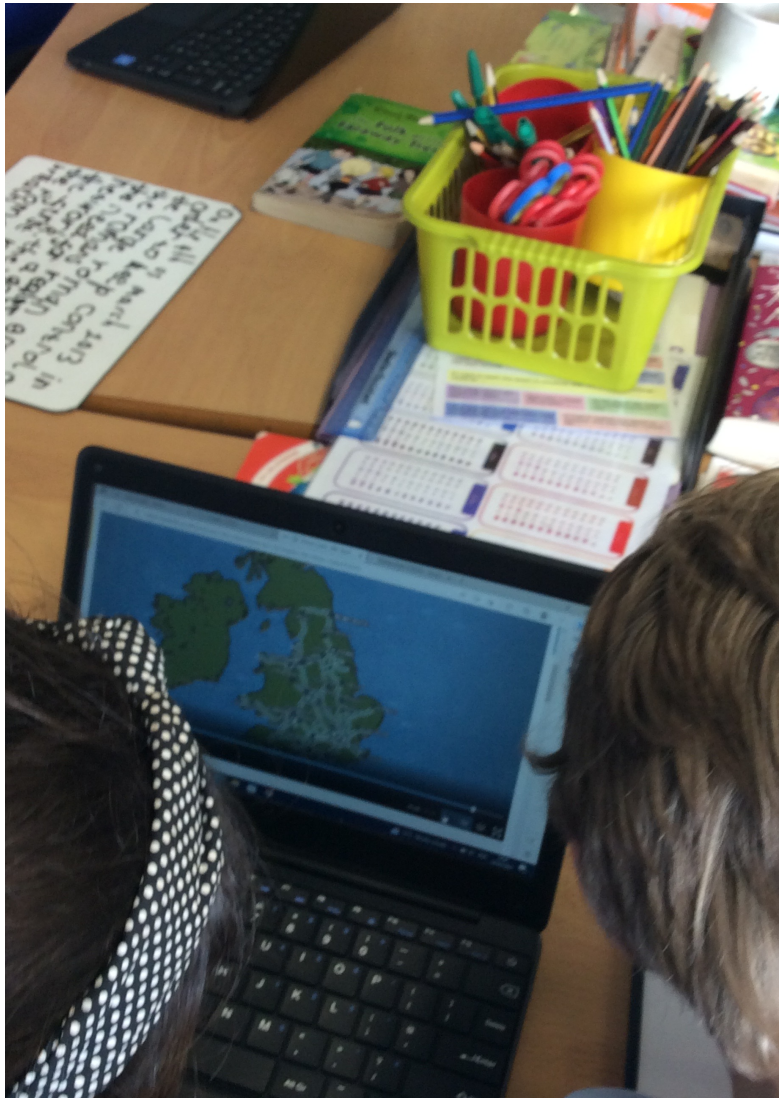
We thought about what the internet is and how it works.

We found out about internet addresses and URL's (Uniform Resource Locators)

Google is a type of search engine which we can use to locate information. We used SWGFL Swiggle which is Primary friendly to search the internet.

We had fun using Swiggle to research about Romans.





We used our safe search engine when finding out about Roman roads.

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Cultural capital
Children see the value of the internet for research and apply internet safety. Children are exposed to possible careers in ICT, computing and research.

Skills
I can type in a URL to find a website.
I can add websites to favorite list.
I can use a search engine to find a range of media e.g. images, texts.
I can think of search terms used linked with questions I want to answer.
I can talk about the reliability of information on the internet e.g. the difference between fact and opinion.

Forever Facts

Typing one word in a search engine is usually not enough to bring up results that are suitable for children. You will usually find that webpages, such as Wikipedia, which are aimed at adults, will be returned by your search.

Adding 'for children' or 'KS2' to your search will make sure that the results are suitable for children.

The short blurb under each result has words in bold. These are the words used to search.

By pressing the backspace key, you can return to the previous page that you were on.

What I have learnt before:

Internet safety, Word processing.

Exciting Books

Our Endpoint

To present a Roman Empire "Newsround" based on our research.

Subject Specific Vocabulary

Browser	a program that provides access to the internet. (WWW)
Results	the website found when searching key words on the search engine.
Search engine Google	a program that searches for information.
Web page	a page, or collection of pages on the internet.
Copy and paste	using tools on the computer to 'copy' pictures or text that can be used in another document.
Domain extension	the suffix that follows the web address **.uk .com .net .org**
URL	uniform resource locator. The specific address on the internet.
Internet Safety	the ability to use the internet safely.