

English

Reading.

Asking questions about the text to improve their understanding.
Drawing inferences such as inferring characters' feelings, thoughts and motives from their actions, and justifying inferences with evidence.
Explain and discuss their understanding of what they have read, through discussion.
Provide reasoned justifications for their views.

Writing.

Poetry based on The Iliad by Homer

Journalistic writing

Balanced argument

And Myth writing

Based on The Odyssey by Gillian Cross

Spelling.

Learning to spell words that appear on the year 5 spelling list.

Words containing -fer- pattern

ei / ie words

Selecting words based on our own common errors

Grammar.

Apostrophes for possession and omission

Punctuating speech with " " , ? ! and .

commas

Noun phrases, relative clauses, relative pronouns, parenthesis, modal verbs, coordinating conjunctions, and classifying word types

Maths

Number.

Fractions - Add and subtract fractions, Multiply proper fractions and mixed numbers by whole numbers, finding fractions and percentages of amounts, ordering and converting fractions, decimals and percentages.
We'll be using the four operations to solve word problems and puzzles.
Explaining and extending sequences

Other areas.

Shape - Know angles are measured in degrees: estimate and compare acute, obtuse and reflex angles

Draw given angles, and measure them in degrees.

□ identify:

□ angles at a point and angles on a straight line

Measuring and drawing angles using a protractor

Data drawing and analysis line graphs and bar charts

Investigations.

Reasoning investigations involving topics covered in mathematics to improve conclusions written .

**Our Theme is
Meet the Greeks**

Learning Web—core subjects

Science

Children will learn about reversible and irreversible changes as well as properties of materials.

They will have to theorise, predict, plan and conduct tests, collating and analysing results and explain the theory behind the outcomes.

Children will be melting, dissolving, evaporating, and burning.

Children will experiment with chromatography.

Children will also be learning about famous Greek Scientists and how they're thinking still influences us today.

Ways You can help at home.....

- Encourage your child to read every evening and ask them questions about the text. Some where they may need to look for clues in the text to think about what they answer could be.
- **Sign the reading/ homework diary for every Friday.**
- Practice times-tables all up to 12 X 12 and division facts so children can recall them at a fast pace.
- Practice spellings at home to support with learning in school.
- Ensure homework is completed and handed in on a **Wednesday.**

R.E.

Words of Wisdom Christianity and Islam.

This unit is designed to give pupils the opportunity to reflect upon the religious texts, their use, importance and effect on every day lives..

P.E.

Hockey

I use a variety of techniques to pass.
I work with my team or alone to gain possession of the ball.
I choose the most appropriate tactics in a game.

Football

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I work with my team or alone to gain possession of the ball.
I choose the most appropriate tactics in a game.

Art and Design

Greek Masks/pots- link to *Greek* myths using pottery technique to create different types of pots and images to tell a story.

To use a variety of tools and techniques for sculpting in clay, papier-mâché and other mouldable materials.

P.S.H.E.

Friendship and difference- Valuing Difference (Unit 5D Cambridge scheme of work)

Children will be asked to consider the ways they experience respect and how they can show respect to others and protect their human rights.

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Computing

Children will research Greek Gods and build a data base using fields and records in order to compare the different Gods and their attributes.

Music

Playing Tuned percussion and listening and evaluating different styles of music.

Children will learn to sing in tune, breathe well and pronounce words, change pitch and show control in their singing..
Children will learn to hold their part in a round.
Children will sing from memory with confidence..

Humanities

Ancient Greece- Look at *Greek* architecture and how it has been brought into other countries within Europe. Continue to learn about Ancient *Greek* culture focussing on the Olympics, Religion, politics, democracy, alphabet and Life style.

Modern Greece- How it has changed over time. What makes *Greece* a popular destination to visit. How ancient *Greek* ideas have affected our lives today.