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# Ancient Greeks



**Maths** – Percentages, volume and capacity, division of fractions, algebra and order of operations.

English - Narratives, descriptive pieces, letters and dialogue

**Computing –** Variables in games

**History** – Ancient Greeks

**PE -** Handball and Rounders

**RE** – Human responsibility and values

**ART and D&T** – Printing

**RSHE** – Relationships

Year 6
Summer 1 2021

# **Glossary**

# The key words we will need to be able to use, in both discussion and in our writing:

Word	Definition
Colosseum	
Corinthian	
Parthenon	
Vase	
Olympics	
Odysseus	
Column	
<b>Pythagoras</b>	
Homer	
Troy	
Myth	
Legend	
Spartan	
Olympus	
Athens	
God	
Goddess	

Please help your child to complete the glossary and be able to use and spell the words. Feel free to add any additional topic related vocabulary that you think of.

During this half term, your child will be studying subjects under the theme of 'The Odyssey'. In order to adhere to government COVID-19 guidelines, activities and events may have to be adapted at short notice. Please accept our apologies for this.

We hope to be taking part in a series of exciting activities, which include:

- Taking your child to the library to research ancient civilisations
- Watch Horrible Histories on iplayer
- Bring in any photographs from holidays to Greece and any other ancient landmarks visited

#### Your child needs your help and involvement!

### Please get involved by:

- Your continued (and much appreciated) support with remote learning tasks
- Take your child to the library (when they are open again!) & get books and resources about Ancient Greeks
- Challenge your child to improve their score each week on TTRockstars
- Help your child to recap on spellings learnt in Spring 2
- Complete the glossary of terms with them in this booklet

## What else is happening?

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#### **Values Education**

Each month, we focus on a particular value. The value for April will be Peace and the value for May will be Love.

#### Homework

Every Friday your child will bring home a class homework sheet. It is expected that ALL children read a **minimum of 4 times** per week and this is recorded in their home reading records.

## **Clubs**

Breakfast Club	Every morning 7.45 – 8.50am
Lower Site After School Club	Every day 3.15 – 6.15pm
Upper Site After School Club	Every day 3.15 - 6.15pm
Skills 7 Football Year 3 – 6	ТВА
Identity Dance (Street) Year 3-6	ТВА
Games Library	ТВА
Identity Dance (Ballet) Rec – Year 3	ТВА
Mad Science – Year 1 - 6	ТВА
Premier Sports (Gymnastics) – All Years	TBA

# **Forthcoming Events**

Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> April	Inset Day
Tuesday 13th April	Start of Summer Term 1
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> April	Primary School Allocation Day
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> May	Bank Holiday
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> May	Ancient Greeks WOW Day (Details to follow)
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> May	End of Summer Term 1
Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> June	Start of Summer Term 2