



How did the Ancient Greeks change the world?



Literacy & Languages

At school:

- We will be reading the book called Aladdin and the Enchanted Lamp by Philip Pullman.
- We will be writing a recount, letter and our own fantasy story based on this book.
- In our History learning, we will be writing our own Ancient Greek Myth.
- At home you can help by:**
- Talk about your reading – discuss the writer’s use of language and its effect on the reader. Summarise your reading and explain it orally to others.
- When reading, note down any great words that you want to share with the rest of the class so we can add them to our vocabulary bank. Make sure you know what they mean so you can teach us how to use them in the correct context.

Humanities

At school:

- We will know where Ancient Greece and events within it fit on a timeline.
- We will understand how life during the period of Ancient Greece has helped shape different parts of our world today.
- We will be able to make comparisons with life today and that within Ancient Greece, making connections with other periods of history.
- We will know some Ancient Greek Myths.

At home you can help with activities like:

- Create your own mythical beast to feature in an Ancient Greek Myth stop motion animation.
- To compare school today with school life for the Ancient Greeks
<http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/greece/schools.htm>

Maths

At school:

- We will be learning how subtract 4-digit numbers with more than one exchange.
- We will be learning to estimate answers and use checking strategies.
- We will be able to convert metres into kilometres.
- We will be learning how to calculate the perimeter of shapes.
- We will be able to multiply and divide by 10 and 100.
- We will be able to multiply and divide by 6, 7 and 9.
- At home you can help by:**
- To continue to practise rounding to the nearest 10, 100 and 1000.
- To continue to practise counting in multiples of 25 and 1000.

Healthy Living

At school:

- We will be learning about being active and sport everyday. This term we will be focusing on gymnastics and dance.
- In dance, we will be connecting with our topic learning and we will be learning about different dance techniques.
- At home you can help by asking questions like:**
- How did you challenge yourself today?
- How did feedback help you improve today?
- What mistakes did you make and how did you learn from them?
- How did you show our school values today? How did it make you feel?
- Tell me more about your learning from today’s assembly.

Science & Technology

At school:

Animals including humans.

- We will be able to construct simple electrical circuits and recognise the components within it.
- We will be able to create a switch and explain how it works.
- We will be able to identify different conductors and insulators.
- We will recognise key scientists involved in the discovery and development of electricity.
- We will design and develop algorithms and programs that solve puzzles with Lightbot.

At home you can help with activities like:

- Create a poster or video to teach Y2 about electrical safety around the home.
- Create a fact file about Michael Faraday.

The Arts

At school:

- We will be designing and making our own model lighthouse that uses an electrical circuit.
- We will be able to evaluate our designs and consider the views of others to help improve our models.
- We will research the different styles used within Ancient Greek Art.
- We will be creating our own vase designs and mosaic designs involving geometric patterns.

At home you can help with activities like:

- Write your own song that shows key inventions from Ancient Greece that have helped change our world today.
- Using columns, create your own piece of Greek architecture.

Stimulus

Welcome to Ancient Greece immersion day Monday 29th October. Let’s travel back in time and find out what it was like to compete in the Ancient Olympic Games!

Showcase

Team Pickford will be showcasing their performance skills on Wednesday 19th December 2018.

Wayfield WOW Moment!

We are going to experience an Ancient Greek pottery workshop.