

BIG Question:

What is the legacy of the Ancient Greeks?

This topic has been designed to challenge stereotypes, to look at ways in which our world is divided and to explore solutions to bring it together. The initial focus will be on sport as a vehicle to bring people together. The children will look at worldwide sporting events and make studies of some of the nations represented, looking at cultural, religious and ethnic diversity. The history of sport will be investigated and focus made on the Ancient Greeks and the first Olympics. The next focus will be on the Paralympics with studies of people who have overcome disability to achieve great success. Next a look at healthy cereals and produce artwork from sporting poses. Science will initially involve learning about evolution, then moving onto learning all about the human body and how we keep it healthy.

Practise at Home:

Children are expected to read EVERY night, this is to be recorded in reading journals, and once a book is completed it is to be tested on AR Reader, to gauge understanding.

Children are now expected to know their times tables up to 13 – if they don't they must continue to practise using IXL/Times Table Rock Stars.

Children will have spellings set on Mondays, to be tested on each Friday morning.

There are creative tasks based upon our topic this term, the Ancient Greeks, these cover a range of subjects and are to be completed once each week.