

## **Curriculum Information**

## Summer 1 Year 3





## Our topic this half term is 'Ancient Greece'.

Visit this fascinating European country with us and find out about the weather, landscape, landmarks and culture. Travel back to Ancient Greece to discover how our lives today have been influenced by this exciting and important time in history. While we're there, we'll discover a fantastical world full of mythical creatures and legendary heroes. Poseidon, Apollo, Artemis and Zeus reign almighty from Mount Olympus, watching mere mortals on dusty Athenian streets. Explore the terrains of Greece, where in pure blue skies, the Sun scorches waxen wings and melts the fortunes of Icarus and Daedalus.

As writers, we will be writing a persuasive letter and our own myth.

As readers, we will read The Accidental Secret Agent by Tom McLaughlin

In Maths, we will learn about measures, angles and shapes.

In Science, we will find out about light, how we see and how shadows are made.

In Computing, we will be learning about emails, privacy and security.

**In Design and Technology,** we will be learning about pneumatics to create a moving mythical creature.

**In Geography,** we will be learning about the physical and human geography of Greece, comparing Greece to Great Britain and creating a plan of a Greek location.

In History, we will exploring how the Ancient Greeks impacted the western world.

In Languages, we will be speaking, listening and writing about food.

**In Music,** we will recognise, copy and invent simple patterns using rhythms and the notes C-D-E. We will also notate, read, follow and create a score.

In PSHE, we will learn about living in the wider world: economic wellbeing.

In PE, we will be dancing and doing gymnastics.

In RE, we will learn about Hinduism beliefs, Brahma and Holi.