



## 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 take part in some exhilarating Olympic events and 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. Meet Theseus, the hero, and Helen of Troy, the beautiful face that launched a thousand ships. Explore the terrains of Greece, where in pure blue skies, the Sun scorches waxen wings and melts the fortunes of Icarus and Daedalus. Then decide your own fate when a mysterious box is found and stirs your curious mind.

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

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

**In Maths**, we will learn about time, fractions, 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 and looking at age restrictions on online activities.

**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 be exploring how the Ancient Greeks impacted the western world.

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

**In Music**, we will identify and compose an ostinato and then create our own.

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

**In PE**, we will be dancing. Maple 3 will be swimming and Oak 3 will be doing gymnastics.

**In RE**, we will learn about Hinduism beliefs and their Gods.