

English

This term the children will cover different styles of writing throughout the term. Children will focus on writing adventure stories, poetry and magazine articles this term. They will continue to learn to recall texts with actions and expression through Talk for Writing, so please ask your child to demonstrate and practice this at home!

Maths

Children will be learning more about the number system, patterns and Roman numerals this term. They will also learn more about shape and measurements. They will also learn Maths will also pop up in our topic work when reading time-lines of the Greeks! We will continue to take part in the 'Times Table Championships' and daily 5 Minute Frenzy, so please help your child to progress by practising with them at home!

Science

In Science this term, children will be learning about teeth and states of matter. Including understanding how things change state and the different types of teeth and their functions. The children will take part in practical experiments, which I'm sure they will enjoy, while building on their scientific knowledge. This will give children the opportunity to find things out for themselves and evaluate their own investigations.

Languages

The children will learn to talk about the Olympics in French, linked to our Ancient Greece topic.

Year 4 Curriculum Map **THE GROOVY GREEKS**



History/Geography

Children will explore the many different and exciting parts of the Ancient Greeks from what the Gods and Goddesses were known for to finding out about the first Olympics games. They will also be exploring the different areas of modern day Greece and locating it on a map of Europe.

Music

The children will be learning all about rhythm and pulse.

RE

This term children will be learning about Christian beliefs. They will explore what is meant by truth and identify similarities and differences in religious beliefs, practices and rituals between Christianity and Sikhism.

PE

Children will develop their racket and ball skills through tennis games and build on their understanding of the game.

Computing

The children will be using Purple Mash for computing this term and learning about coding, spreadsheets and online safety. Please help your child learn how to log on to Purple Mash independently at home.

PSHE

As part of our personal, social and health education, children will be learning about rights and responsibilities, anti-bullying and their family and friends. We will have lots of discussions around these topics. The children also take part in mindfulness activities throughout the week.

Art and D&T

In art this term, children will develop their drawing skills by creating mythical monsters, just like the ones that Hercules had to rescue the citizens of Greece from! The children will be designing and making their own Greek vases. In the lead up to Christmas the children will develop their sewing skills.