



Who Were The Ancient Greeks?

Year Six Curriculum Information Terms One and Two

Visits and first-hand experience: Ancient Greek theatre workshop
WOW Day: 'Gods and Goddesses challenge' - Tuesday 15th September.
Planned presentation of theme: 'Ancient Greece' museum tour

English



Writing: transcription and composition, focusing on 'Discussion' structures in non-fiction and 'Overcoming the Monster' and 'Voyage and Return' stories in narrative. We will also cover Poetry, Recount and Non-Chronological Reports.

Reading: word reading and comprehension; increasing familiarity with a wide range of books.

SPaG: visual strategies for spelling, exploring phrase and clause, writing compound and complex sentences, securing the use of prefixes, suffixes, plurals and homophones.

Science

Properties and Changes of Materials: properties, states of matter, solvability, separating mixtures, thermal conductivity, irreversible changes, heating and burning, new materials.

Working Scientifically: planning scientific enquiries, controlling variables, taking measurements, recording data and results, scientific diagrams, tables and graphs, predicting, fair testing, conclusions and explanations.



Maths



Number: number and place value, addition and subtraction, multiplication and division, fractions, decimals and percentages. Strategies for written methods and problem solving.

Mental maths, recall of tables up to x12
Geometry: Shapes and their Properties, Position and Direction.

Measure: convert and calculate, use formulae.

Statistics: interpret and construct.

Ration and Proportion: fractions, percentages, decimals.

Algebra: formulae, linear sequences.

History, Geography, Art & Design, Design Technology, Computing

Timelines: local, Britain and the World.
 Explore Empire and civilisation.
 Ancient Greece - lifestyle and clothing, home life, school life, food tasting.
 The rise and fall of Alexander the Great.
 Greek Theatre – theatre workshop and mask making.
 Athens Challenge: Building the Parthenon.
 Exploring how the Ancient Greeks have influenced us today – the great thinkers and Ancient Olympics.
 Mapping skills – world countries and cities of Ancient Greece, aerial views.
 Explore Maeander and Proto-geometric design.
 Design and make clay pots and a Greek mosaic.
 Human Geography – trade routes (British Values – trade and economy).
 Control programming – using 'Scratch'.
 Use the internet to find information – searching, reliable sources.
 Collaborate using technology to plan, create and improve a game.



Music

Listen to and appraise Greek music
 Compose and perform Ancient Greek music
 Perform in solo and ensemble using voices and instruments
 Play an instrument and understanding notation.



R.E.

Islam: what does it mean to make a commitment? Muslims' commitment to God. How we show our commitment.

Christianity: explore the significance of Mary, Christmas

P.E.

Dance: Greek Dancing
 Gymnastics: counter balance and counter tension
 Net Games and Invasion Games
 Ancient Olympics – competitive games
 Fitness: timed laps



Languages

French: understand and respond to spoken and written French.



P.H.S.E.

New Beginnings: working well together, coping with uncomfortable feelings, calming down strategies
Keeping Myself Safe: internet safety, safety using mobile devices
Getting on and Falling Out: agreeing and disagreeing, overcoming stereotypes, dealing with conflicts, looking at situations from different viewpoints, bullying and conflict.