



The Ancient Greeks

Y6 (Comets)
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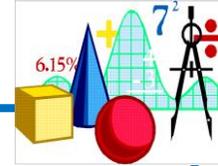


Literacy



The inspiration for our Literacy work this term comes from our History topic – The Ancient Greeks. We will be analysing the plots and recurring themes throughout the stories so the children can write their own version of a Greek Myth. We will also continue to improve aspects of grammar, developing our knowledge of clauses and phrases.

Numeracy



In our Mathematics work, we will be covering aspects of the following topics:

- Place Value
- Mental and written addition
- Converting between measurements
- Reasoning and Algebra
- Column subtraction
- Multiplication

We will do much of this work through investigation and problem solving.

Science

In this curriculum area, we will be learning about 'Life Processes and Living Things'. Much of this work will centre on plants and animals.



Computing

We will begin by using a computer program called 'Flowol'. This helps the children to understand how programming is structured. We will also continue to use 'Scratch' (a multi-media authoring tool) to create programs containing loops and decision making.

P.E.

Our focus in P.E. will be football and gymnastics. We have a football coach who comes in on Friday afternoon. We also have a P.E. session on Thursday.



Topic

Our History topic this term is 'The Ancient Greeks. Much of this topic will be taught through English, History and Geography. We will start by looking at many of the Ancient Greek myths, considering the various 'ingredients' that go into these stories. From this work, the children will understand the reasons for these stories and be able to write their own. We will also look at the climate and landscape of Greece.

R.E. and P.S.H.E

Our PSHE topics will be 'New Beginnings'. D.A.R.E Officer Cable will be in to work with the children. We will also continue to look at world religions.

