

History – Ancient Greece

Years 5 & 6
Spring Term 1 2023



PHSE

We will be studying the unit 'Dreams & Goals' during our PSHE lessons this term whereby we aim to understand and value who we are and what we aspire to be.

Computing

In addition to teaching skills to support pupils across the curriculum, the unit we will cover this term is entitled, 'We are publishers.'

RE

This term, we will study, 'Islam,' focusing on the question, 'What does it mean for Muslims to follow God?'
Our school value this term is 'courage.'

PE

In PE, we will focus on the creative cog in Real PE. Pupils will need to continue to have their PE kits in school at all times. Forest School will also commence on Tuesday 10th January for 5 weeks.

English

In English, we will study a 'Defeat the monster' tale. In Year 5, we will focus on describing characters and settings. In year 6, we will focus on using other similar writing as a model for our own. This unit fits in nicely with our topic on The Greeks as we will create our own monsters based on Greek mythology.
Our class reader is 'The Girl of Ink & Stars' by Kiran Millwood-Hargrave.

Maths

Both Year Groups will continue to use Maths No Problem as a platform to develop their learning. In Year 5, we will focus on our final unit in book A which is fractions. In Year 6, we will focus on finishing our unit on measures and also solving word problems. We will also be starting revision sessions.

Science

Our topic this term is electricity. We will focus on combining our knowledge of circuits with designing an art piece which incorporates these ideas, using a variety of materials.

History, Music, Art & DT

Our history topic will look at life in Ancient Greece focusing on what we have learnt from the Ancient Greeks and compare with our lives today.

In Design, the topic we are studying is 'pop up books.'

In Music, we will study key and time signatures.