

Learning Planner

Imagine stepping into a time machine and traveling back over 2,000 years to the world of the Ancient Greeks. In this journey through history, you will walk the bustling streets of Athens, witness the birth of democracy, and see the first Olympic Games in action. Along the way, you'll meet great philosophers, brave warriors, and powerful gods who shaped the world as we know it today. Get ready to explore the incredible achievements of this ancient civilization and discover how their ideas still influence our lives today!

Connect & Wonder

- Using Google Expeditions we will explore the Temples of Ancient Greece.
- Year 6 will take a trip to London, the heart of British democracy to explore key buildings which play a part in our democratic society and also visit the British Museum to see the UK's largest collection of Ancient Greek artefacts.

Love of Reading

Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief
By Rick Riordan

Percy Jackson has always felt like an outsider—struggling in school, dealing with ADHD and dyslexia, and constantly getting into trouble. But when he discovers he is actually the son of Poseidon, the Greek god of the sea, his world is turned upside down. Suddenly, he is thrust into a world of mythical monsters, powerful gods, and an urgent quest to prevent a war among the Olympians. With the help of his new friends, Annabeth and Grover, Percy must journey across the United States to retrieve Zeus's stolen lightning bolt before time runs out. Packed with adventure, humor, and unforgettable characters, Percy Jackson & The Olympians: The Lightning Thief is a thrilling introduction to a world where Greek mythology comes to life in the modern age.

Investigate & Construct

History: We will explore historical sources and artefacts to understand what life was like in Ancient Greece; how does this link with other civilisations? The key focus is on how Ancient Greece was ruled and how this compares with us in the UK.

DT: Our component question is 'How do seasons affect the production of cultural dishes?'. We will explore how different seasons can have an impact on availability of key ingredients, finalising the unit creating a Greek salad.

Science: Our Science lessons will continue to be hands on exploring electricity. We will be learning about electrical symbols, drawing circuits and experimenting with components to see how they work in different way

PSHE: This unit focuses on how we grow and change—looking at independence and how friendships develop over time.

RE: We will explore how faith can support people during difficult times and reflect on how beliefs offer comfort.

Express & Reflect

Immerse ourselves in a day focused on all things Greek:

- Dress up in tunics
- Enjoy a Greek Salad
- Host a living Greek museum
- Participate in our own Greek Olympics.

Key Vocabulary

Tyranny	Alexander the Great
Oligarchy	Aristotle
Democracy	Socrates
Govern / Government	Theatres
Monarchy	Philosophy
Mythology	
Olympics	
Zeus	

