

## ENGLISH

Writing - We will be developing our journalistic writing skills by writing newspaper articles based on a 'meeting tale'. The children will continue to build on their understanding of how texts are organised and will develop writers' toolkits to enable them to make effective choices when writing.

Spelling - We will continue to learn spelling rules that can be applied to unfamiliar words, as well as practising the spellings of words that children frequently use but often misspell.

Reading - Children will continue to read and respond to a chapter book, working both independently and as part of a guided group each week.



## HISTORY

Our topic this half term takes us to Ancient Greece where we will learn about their place in history. We will explore their religious beliefs and who gods and goddesses were before comparing Ancient Greek democracy to democracy in modern day Britain.

The children will join in a workshop run by 'Portals to the Past'. They will dress up as Ancient Greeks and re-enact famous Greek myths.



## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

The children will be exploring justice and how different religions can help create a fair world through tackling poverty.



## DESIGN TECHNOLOGY

We will be using our topic work to design and create Ancient Greek vases using a variety of clay skills and equipment. When their work is finished, they will evaluate their vase, focusing on using art vocabulary.



## Ancient Civilisations



### Who were the Ancient Greeks?

## MATHS

In mathematics this half term, the children will continue to focus on decimals including:

- ◆ Adding and subtracting decimals with up to 2 decimal places
- ◆ Multiplying decimals by 10, 100 and 1,000.

Following this, they will move on to geometry, learning to measure and calculate angles on lines and in shapes.

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## MUSIC

Our focus this half term is old school hip-hop. The children will focus on performing and composing.



## P.E.

This half term, we will work on multi-skills and practise the events that make up a heptathlon.



## SCIENCE

The children will be learning about living things and their habits. They will compare the life cycles of some mammals, insects, animals and birds and learn about the ways in which they reproduce.



## COMPUTING

This half term, the children will use Purple Mash to design and create a 3D model. They will use graphic design tools to plan their model before refining it ready for printing.



## FRENCH



This half term, the children will learn to give and understand basic instructions to do with direction and movements.

## PSHE

The children will be learning about the different influences that can affect our decision making as we grow up.

