

## Communication, Language and Literacy

### Writing:

- Text focus: Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief by Rick Riordan and Greek Myths by Gill Turnbull.
- Writing genres: Myths and Legends; Instruction writing – How to make a love potion; Biographies.

### Guided Reading:

- VIPERS: Who Let the Gods Out by Maz Evans.

### MFL:

- French: Modes of Transport. Children will learn how to use the correct verb agreement and create sentences to give a person directions.

## Mathematical Development

### Maths:

- Multiplying numbers up to 4 digits by numbers up to 3 digits.
- Dividing numbers with up to 4 digits by 2 digit numbers
- Using multiplication and division methods to solve problems
- Fractions and decimals

### KIRF Focus:

- Multiples and factors

## Knowledge and Understanding of the World

### History:

- The history of Greek democracy and comparing it now to in ancient times.
- The history of the Olympic games
- The Greek gods and goddesses and why they were important to Ancient Greeks.

### Geography:

- Children will develop map skills and learn about where Ancient Greece was and the countries surrounding it.
- Children will consider how Greece has changed since the Ancient Greeks.

## Year 6 Topic Overview

### Autumn Term 2 2023

### Ancient Greece



## Personal, social and emotional development

### PSHE:

- Digital Wellbeing: Children will consider how they can take responsibility for their own safety whilst online through the choices they make and how to develop safe and healthy relationships in the virtual world.

### RE:

- The Christmas Story: This unit will encourage the children to explore similarities and differences in the two accounts in the Bible. They will investigate traditions associated with celebrating Christmas around the world.

## Physical Development

**Invasion Games:** Children will continue to develop skills needed to play a range of invasion games such as dribbling with a ball, passing and keeping possession.

**Gym:** Children will learn how to perform a variety of floor and vault movements. The Children will learn stag leaps, dive forwards rolls, hurdle steps into cartwheels and round-offs.

## Scientific Development

### Science: Scientists and Inventors

- Children will learn about some of the most inspirational and influential figures in science. They will learn about the fascinating work by Stephen Hawking, Alexander Fleming's 'accidental' discovery of penicillin and Steve Jobs' development of computer technology.

### ICT: Scratch

Children will use 2Code in Purple Mash to design and make their own text-based adventure game by using various functions and understanding why they are useful in programming games.

## Creative Development

### Art:

Children will develop skills in pottery by designing and making their own Greek vase. They will use a variety of skills such as coiling and blocking and explore how to create different textures by using various tools.

### Music:

Children will listen and appraise the song 'Bacharach Anorak' by Ian Gray and develop skills and knowledge of rhythm, pitch, tempo and pulse.