

Literacy

Through our new literacy and language literacy scheme we will be covering varied texts and skills. This half term we are reading a Greek Myth, and then re-writing our ending to the story, as well as learning how to write a clear set of instructions in our non-fiction work.

Maths

In maths class 4 will be covering:
Written methods for addition, multiplication and subtraction
Mental methods
Problem solving
Working methodically
Place value

RE

RE Christianity - following up assembly themes
Christianity in different cultures
We will also be exploring different cultures in our cultural diversity week.

MFL (Spanish)

Name, age, numbers 0-10, greetings, colours, instructions
Days of the week, months of the year, food

Music

Geography

We will be looking at Ancient Greece present and now. Where is it? What is it like? How different is it to England? What is the weather like? We will learn about the daily lives of rich and poor, men, women and children, comparing them with our routines in modern day Britain.

History

Our topic will be focussing on Ancient Greece. We will be looking at some of the major Greek city states and make comparisons between them. We will also be looking at wars in ancient Greece and the different Greek Gods.

ICT

In ICT we will be focussing using an architectural programme called 'Sketch up' in order to recreate some famous Greek inspired building in 3D, as well as using ICT to support other areas of learning.

Science

Light- we are going to build on our knowledge of light sources, shadows and reflection to make scientific predictions.
Electricity- we will be drawing diagrams of and constructing simple circuits.

Art/DT

We are going to use clay to make ancient Greek pottery and decorate it with traditional Greek patterns.
We are also going to look at the Greek influence on art and architecture.



Dates:

18th September Jeans for Genes day
23rd September Class 4 Brownlee Triathlon (tbc)
24th September Harvest Festival Service St. Mary's
28th September Training day
1st October 'Moving Words' visit- Black History themed day
5th - 9th October: cultural diversity (inc trip)
6th October Photographer
15th October Parents assembly - themed week
21st/22nd October Parents' evenings
23rd October Last day of half-term
2nd November Return to school

PE

Wednesday: Dance (dance reflecting on the events, actions and feelings of characters from Greek myths)
Friday: Netball/Basketball