



English



We will focus on the text 'The Adventures of Odysseus'. This will enable us to write our own version of the story. We will also write a report based on what it was like to be a Spartan. We will also have whole class guided reading sessions where we will read and discuss a variety of fiction and non-fiction and poetry texts and improve fluency.



Maths



We will follow the White Rose scheme of work. The term will start with the children working on their knowledge and understanding of place value. In addition to this, children will further develop their calculation methods by completing daily Early Bird Maths arithmetic sessions.



Science



We will be studying Living things and their habitats. We will find out how living things are classified according to their characteristics and we will study a range of plants and animals that live in our school grounds. Key questions may include- *how can we classify living things? How can we classify trees?*



Groovy Greeks

Year 6

Term 1

2021-22

Stop Press

Trips: Morfa Bay

Pen-Y-Fan

TBC

WOW Greek Day

Friday 26th November



Computing

Through the Purple Mash scheme, we will learn about **Online safety** and understand why I need to be aware of the dangers of being online?



History



We will focus our work on the Ancient Greek civilisation and find the answers to these questions: *Who were the Ancient Greeks? How did the Ancient Greeks live? What is their legacy?*

Geography

We will identify the position and significance of latitude and longitude, Equator, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn. We will also study the human and physical geography of Greece.



Art and Design

We will be studying Greek pottery and the designs painted on it. We will design and create our own bowls/pots and evaluate them once they are completed.



RE

We follow the Glos RE syllabus. This term we will be discussing the question: *creation and science - conflicting or complimentary?*



PSHE

PHSE is taught through the Jigsaw Scheme. Our first topic is Being Me in My World.



Music

We will follow the Charanga Music scheme of work. Work is focused around one song: Happy by Pharrell Williams



French

Madame Fuller will be teaching French every Thursday. Year 6 will start by revisiting basic vocabulary and conversations.



PE



During the first term, the children will build upon their racquet skills in tennis lessons and participate in invasion games in football sessions.