

"The Greeks" homework



CLASS Sky, Aurora

DATE SET

Friday 12rd January 2024

DATE DUE

14th February 2024

Dear Children and adults,

Our topic this half term is the Greeks. We will be learning about Greek mythology, how the Greeks lived, the importance of the Greek gods and how the Greeks influenced life today.

Homework can be completed by the children on their own or with some adult support or encouragement. Please encourage your child to improve their standards of presentation.



MATHS

Maths homework for everyone from year R - 6 is provided on Mathletics and children are expected to complete set tasks. This will be set weekly.

Times Table Rockstars is a mathematical learning platform which is a great way for your children to practise and master their times tables. Every child should aim to reach 'rock legend' or 'rock star' status.

READING



Remember to read each day and get an adult to sign your reading card /book.

Record your book title and comments, summaries or vocabulary encountered.

SPELLING

Don't forget to learn your spellings, each week!



WRITING AND TOPIC

You have a scrap book to use to complete your homework project. Over the next six weeks complete some of these activities or make some up of your own to do with the Greeks.

TRY ONE OF THE WRITING TASKS

1. Write about the main events during the *Odyssey*.
2. Write a diary entry from the perspective of a soldier lost at sea.
3. Create a newspaper article about a famous Greek battle.

HAVE A GO AT ONE OF THESE TASKS

1. Create a poster about the influence of the Greeks.
2. Create a fact file about Ancient Greece.
3. Create a timeline about the Greeks.

Challenge

- Create an ancient Greek helmet.
- Research/make a fact file about an important person involved during the Greek Era.
- Build a Greek temple.

Topic Words

Can you find out what any of these terms mean and learn how to spell them?

Greece, Period,
Mediterranean Sea,
Aegean Sea, Ionian
Sea, Civilisation,
Dark Ages, Archaic
Democracy, .
Location, Athens,
Sparta,

Places you could visit

- St Pancras' New Church in London
- The British Museum