

English

We will continue to work on our spellings by using and developing our phonics. We will be reading the myth of 'Theseus and the Minotaur' and basing our writing on myths. We will look at the language used and how this can help improve our own writing. Later on, to continue our Greek theme, we will be creating our own Greek tragedy scripts.

Maths

We will be focusing on Multiplication and Division as well as measurement this term.

Year 4's will be focusing on our 6, 7 & 9 times tables within Maths lessons as well as continuing with our general times tables practice.

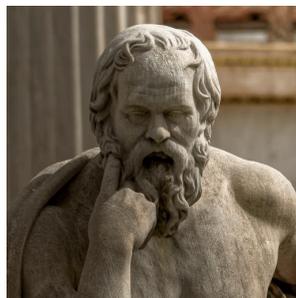
Year 5's will be focusing on identifying factors and square numbers.

Both year groups will be looking at perimeter and area.

Art & DT

Linked to our Science topic of Electricity, we will be looking at the work of the American artist, Eric Joyner. We will study his robot paintings before designing our own robots. We will be creating 3D templates of our designs and using these to create collagraph rubbings, and prints to explore the idea of texture relief.

Groundbreaking Greeks



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PE

This term we will be developing our tag rugby skills working on our passing and movement skills. Year 5s will also be developing their swimming strokes and water safety skills weekly.

Computing

We will continue to develop our understanding regarding online safety, search technologies and presentations.

RE

Christmas Symbols - How is Christmas celebrated around the world? What are the similarities in the celebrations?

French By the end of term, we will be able give to a basic weather forecast. We will practise counting up to at least 31, so that we are able to read and write the date, in French.

RHSE

Key Theme: My Relationships.
Developing our understanding of discrimination and prejudice and we can keep ourselves healthy.

History

We will be looking at the many different periods of Ancient Greece. Focusing on how they changed and what legacy they left behind. What do we still use today that the Greeks were using thousands of years ago? We will also be looking at Great Athenians as well as myths and Gods.

Music We will further develop our knowledge of using our voices to sing. Focusing on pitch, rhythm and duration.

Science

Our topic this term is electricity. We will be looking at electrical safety in the home and exploring how to use appliances, safely. We will have fun exploring electrical circuits using bulbs, buzzers and switches. Towards the end of term, the children will make a Christmas tree-shaped 'buzz-wire' game.