

Learning Map

How far can you throw your shadow? WOW Starter –Using torches to create different shadow shapes.

English

Class texts – Orion and the Dark
Greek Myths
Narrative story writing
Non chronological report writing
Poetry
Diary entries

Mathematics

Place Value
Measures: Perimeter
Statistics
Written methods of addition
Written methods of subtraction
Applying basic skills to solve word problems

Science

Light & Shadow How far can you throw your shadow?
Understand the relationship between light and shadow. (Autumn 1)
Does every animal have a skeleton? Animals including Humans: Muscles & Skeletons.
Understanding how muscles and skeletons work and enable us to move. (Autumn 2)

Computing

Online Safety- staying safe online
Key Board Skills- practising typing
Writing and sending emails- understanding attachments and email safety

History

Has Greece always been in the news? (Ancient Greece-Autumn 1)
Looking at daily life in Ancient Greece
Why do so many people go to Greece on holiday? (Modern Greece- Autumn 2)
Life and tourism in a Mediterranean country today compared to the U.K.

Geography

Map reading skills
Recognising Ancient Greek landmarks
Understanding why people choose to visit Greece.
Gaining an understanding of the effects of tourism
Looking at physical features of a country

Physical Education

Gymnastics- working individually and collaboratively to create routines. Using equipment safely.
Netball- learning rules for team games. Learning to control and pass ball. Using space effectively.

Religious Education

Sikhism: Learning about the Amrit Ceremony and the Khalsa.
Christianity: Looking at the meaning of Christmas to Christians.

Design & Technology

Drawing and decorating stylised Greek vases.
Sewing a class quilt for 'Orion' (main character from class text 'Orion and the Dark')
Examine different fabrics for suitability
Recognise different sewing techniques
Create & evaluate a design

Languages (Spanish)

Greetings
Numbers 1 – 20
Learning the Spanish Alphabet

RSHE/ British Values

Who am I and what do I feel?

Democracy – explore what democracy means and how it began. Understand what it means to have a 'fair vote'. Rule of Law- Looking at why we have laws, and what the world would be like without them.

Music

What is a melody?
What's so special about 5 notes?
Learning songs/ using instruments.
Music appreciation

Outdoor Learning Opportunities Gardening, Performing Greek Plays, Outdoor Science Experiments

TERM: AUTUMN 2021

YEAR: 3

LEARNING MAP

Home Learning for: “How far can we throw our shadow?” and “Why do so many people go to Greece on holiday?”

DAILY HOME LEARNING TASKS (Highly Recommended)

1. Read with an adult at least three times a week (or every day if possible).
2. Taking home your weekly spelling list to practise ready for the school test. (*Spellings are sent out every Monday, to be tested the following Friday*).
3. Practise your multiplication tables and number bonds.

WEEKLY HOME LEARNING (Work to be supported by an adult)

Home learning will be sent out every Friday, to be returned the following Wednesday. Home Learning activities will include a balance of Maths, English and Topic related work. Below I have listed some ‘on-going’ home learning tasks that can be done at any time to further support learning in Year Three.

1. Conduct research online and from local libraries about Ancient & Modern Greece.
2. Conduct research about light and shadows.
3. Write a book review about a book you have enjoyed reading.

SUGGESTED PLACES TO VISIT

1. The Natural History Museum, London
2. Libraries
3. Croydon Clock Tower
4. Art Galleries