

Year 5

Summer term 2025

# What lasting impact did the Ancient Greeks make on the world?

## Writing and Grammar

Year 5 will be writing/performing poems at the start of each summer term. Our first poem is called 'Delicate things' and our second performance poem is called 'Overheard on a Salt Marsh' by Harold Monroe. The first model text we will unpick is a model text called 'The Nightmare Man'. This text will allow children to be able to use suspense story openers. This piece of writing will aim to include carefully chosen adjectives to show atmosphere and develop the use of varied sentence lengths. Y5 will also be creating a discussion piece of writing based on the text 'Do Elves Exist?'

## Reading

Y5 will be reading the book 'Brightstorm', Tom's Midnight Garden and the incredible Percy Jackson series to develop their reading skills and strategies. As well as these texts, Y5 will be reading a range of extracts and texts from a diverse selection. During these lessons, Y5 will have the opportunity to develop their reading fluency, using the 6Ps, and will be able to apply the reading toolkit, which has been developed to help enhance the reading skills and strategies children need to know to comprehend a piece of text.

## Spellings

10 weekly spellings taken from the Y5 spelling curriculum will be sent home each week. The spelling pattern/rule will be clearly marked on the homework sheet. The children will be tested on some of the words from their new spelling pattern/rule in the recall session of our active spelling lessons. We will also be 'flashbacking' to other year group spellings too.

*Spelling rules: adding prefixes to able/ably & ible/ibly -cious, -cial, homophones, revision over key statutory words and hyphenated words*

## CLIC

The main focuses for CLIC this term will be linked to ordering and comparing numbers as well as discussing how to use coin multiplication to support the multiplication of numbers.

You can support your child by:

- Playing times tables games and encouraging recall up to 12x12
- Helping complete their learn its homework
- Encouraging the use of the inverse to check calculations

Year 5 will be finishing 1 unit from **Power Maths Textbook B** - Graphs and Tables

## Power Maths Textbook C

As we move on to the next book, Y5 will begin to learn and consolidate their learning on:

- Geometry - properties of 2D and 3D shapes, measuring angles
- Geometry - position and direction, co-ordinates and reflection
- Decimals - addition and subtraction
  - Negative numbers
- Measure - converting units of measure
- Volumes - comparing volumes of shape