

**Welcome back! Miss Horton, Mrs Brice and Mrs Parker all hope everyone is well rested and had a fantastic summer break. We’re looking forward to an exciting year and lots of new learning.**

**Ancient Greece**

Our topic this term is Ancient Greece. It will be mostly history based focusing on who the Greeks were and what influence they had on life today. There will be some aspects of geography as we locate Greece and discuss their climate and famous cities.

Thank you for your continued support

**PE**   
PE sessions will take place on a   
Tuesday and Thursdays. Tuesday sessions will be taken by Mr Hayes.

PE lessons will be taking place outside as well as in the hall so please ensure children have the appropriate footwear to complete the lessons outside. Trainers are needed when we are on the field and plimsolls or trainers are suitable for the playground.

Children will also need to bring a water bottle to school as we will take this outside on the days of our PE lessons.

**English and Maths**

Our English lessons will be linked to our topic this term. We will be reading Greek myths and creating our own myth using the specific features. For our nonfiction piece of writing, we will create a biography for one of the famous characters from the myths.

In maths, we will be looking in depth at place value of 3-digit numbers and moving on to adding mentally and using written methods. Throughout both maths units, there will be a strong focus on reasoning and problem solving.

**Home Learning/ Trips:** This year the homework will be similar to previous years. The children will have a grid with a range of different activities linked to the current topic. Each activity is worth a number of house points which will count towards their house’s end of term score.

We would also welcome as much support in reading with your child at home, learning weekly spellings and practising mental maths skills.

**Other Subjects**

Science: Magnets and forces

Art: Greek vases

PE: Netball and multi-skills

RE: Christianity – People of God

History: Ancient Greece

If there are any questions, issues or queries on how to help your child at home, please don’t hesitate to see me at the classroom door at the end of school or book an appointment via the office.

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CLASS NEWSLETTER

What’s going on in

Owls Class this term?

Back to   
School!

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