What I need to know about: The Ancient Greeks Pt 1

We nurture the curiosity to learn, the courage to lead and the compassion to care.

Name:	Class:

For this half term, we are beginning to explore the Ancient Greeks, from the geography of Ancient Greece, to its god and goddesses and the important of Greek mythology to the people. We will discover aspects of Greek culture and society that we recognize today, and many that will seem strange and exotic. We will experience Greek Theatre up close too, and explore its themes.

What I will know	✓	Start	End
What time period is known as the 'Ancient Greek' period		0	0
What important aspects of lifestyle and culture derived from the Ancient Greeks that we still recognise today.		0	0
How to recognise where the region is within Europe, and what land masses including islands it comprises.		0	0
The climate and landscape of Ancient Greece and what advantages and disadvantages this brought to its people, as well as how it influenced Greek trading channels.		0	0
The names of many of the Ancient Greek God and Goddesses		0	0
The importance of the Gods and Goddesses in Greek Mythology		0	0
How to identify artefacts from the Ancient Greeks and discuss what they teach us		0	0
How to separate facts and myths about the Trojan War		0	0
How to separate facts and myths about the Minotaur		0	0
Who Alexander the Great was and why he was a significant figure in Ancient Greek history.		0	0
Key conventions of Greek Theatre		O	O

Skills I may use	
Remember: name, identify, describe	Analyse: investigate, infer, select, clarify
Understand: predict, recall, interpret	Create: plan, design, construct
Apply: use, show, relate, demonstrate	Evaluate: compare, assess, judge

Vocabulary I need to know...

How well do you know the following words?

- 1. I have heard the word, but I don't know what it means
- 2. I understand what the word means
- 3. I can explain what the word means and give other examples

Wordlist: mythology, ancient, gods and goddesses, underworld, democratic election, Greek theatre, trading route, landscape, terrain, peninsula, Trojan war, Minotaur, Mount Olympus, artefact

Opportunities to support Guided Reading

- Skim and scan texts to retrieve information or quotes quickly and accurately
- Summarise main ideas from more than one paragraph
- Make and justify inferences with appropriate evidence from the text
- · Provide reasoned justifications for their views, quoting evidence from across a text

Curriculum Links and Enrichment Activities

Drama and English: visit from Hobgoblin Theatre in Education company – workshop and Greek play 'Perseus and Medusa'

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Year 5 History Targets

Chronology						
Draw a timeline of a period in history, adding to it with new facts						
	Autumn	Spring	Summer			
How confident I am with chronology	\bigcirc	0	0			
Researching						
Accurately select the information needed in response						
Access different sources including using books, film, internet, letters and diaries to build up knowledge of a period						
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	Autumn	Spring	Summer			
How confident I am with researching	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ			
Historical Know	ledge					
Develop the appropriate use of historical terms						
Identify historically significant people and events in situations						
Identify and give reasons for social change during a period studied						
Describe / make links between main events, situations and changes within and across different periods/societies						
Describe the social and cultural diversity in Britain during a period						
Describe social, cultural, religious and ethnic diversity in the wider world						
	Autumn	Spring	Summer			
How confident I am with historical knowledge	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ			
Compare and Contrast						
Compare two historical periods, identifying differences and similarities.						
	Autumn	Spring	Summer			
How confident I am with comparing and contrasting						

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