

## English

In English this half term we will be looking at a variety of different genres, identifying the key features and creating our own writing pieces using the same techniques. We will be **describing** our own mythical creature creations, writing our own **Greek myths and legends**, publishing our own **newspaper reports** on the story of the Trojan Horse, creating our own, writing some fantastic **poetry** and showing off our knowledge of Ancient Greece in our **non-chronological reports**.

## Maths

In Maths we will be starting this year by recapping and building on our **place value** skills. We will be covering this by learning to:

- Count in 1000's, 100's, 10's and 1's.
- Order numbers in the 10's, 100's and 1000's.
- Compare numbers in the 10's 100's and 1000's.
- Counting 1000, 100 and 10 more or less.
- Partition numbers up to 4 digits.
- Round numbers to the nearest 10, 100, and 1000.
- Count in 25's.
- Identify and solve problems with negative numbers.
- Identify and solve problems involving Roman Numerals.

## Science

In Science this half term we will be learning about the Animals including Humans and looking specifically at:

- **The Digestive System**

We will learn to describe the simple functions of the basic parts of the digestive system in humans.

- **Teeth**

We will learn to identify the different types of teeth in humans and their simple functions.

- **Food Chains**

We will learn to construct and interpret a variety of food chains, identifying producers, predators and prey.

# Ancient Greece

## Autumn 1

### Learning Journey - Year 4

## The Arts

In Art and Design this half term we will be making our own 3D Greek Columns, selecting materials to create our own collage of the Temple of Zeus, designing our own Greek Vases through sketch and then making these out of papier-mâché.

In music we will be focusing on The Heroes of Troy where we will learn and perform 7 exciting songs centred around Ancient Greece and stories from that time.

## History/Geography

Ancient Greece will feed into the majority of our topics this term, in History we will be looking specifically at different artefacts from Ancient Greece and thinking about what they were used for, thinking about who the Ancient Greeks were and how they lived, creating timelines to order significant events in Ancient Greek history, looking in more detail at such events like the Olympics and wars.

In Geography we will be focusing on building on our geography skills and locating the continents and oceans. We will then focus further on the location of Greece, its climate, and its human and physical geographical features. We will also be making geographical comparisons of ancient and modern-day Greece.

## ICT

In ICT we will be building on our skills and knowledge of programmes such as Microsoft Word and PowerPoint to enhance our topic work. We will also be using the internet to carry out research on different aspects of ancient Greek life.

## PE

Maltby Academy Staff will be teaching Athletics on a Friday. Class PE will be on a Wednesday where we will be learning throwing and catching skills building up to a class rounders game.