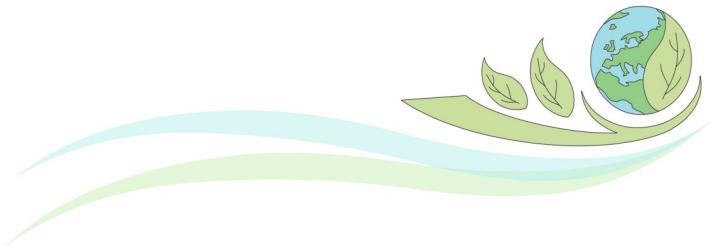


# Dane Royd Junior & Infant School

## Year 3 & 4

### Spring 2

### Curriculum Booklet



#### Useful Websites:

- <http://resources.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/homework/Greece.html>
- <http://www.theschoolrun.com/homework-help/greek-gods-and-mythology>
- <http://www.bbc.co.uk/education/topics/z87tn39>

#### PE

- Plain white t-shirt, black jogging bottoms, socks and training shoes, with joggers and sweat shirts for the colder days.
- Bring Monday and keep in school until Friday.
- Earrings need removing, if the child is unable to remove them independently, please remove them prior to the day.
- Please bring a coat everyday.

#### Key dates:

- World Book Day (dress up)- 1st March.
- Science Week- 12th March.
- School visit to Magna- 12th March.
- Sport Relief - 19th March.
- Consultation Evenings- 27th & 29th March.
- Bank holidays- 30th March & 2nd April.
- Half Term- Tuesday 3rd April.

As readers and writers we will be learning to ...

- Use persuasive devices to write a travel guide for a Greek island.
- Write formal letters, focusing on using effective and persuasive techniques .
- Write a set of instructions to make a traditional Greek dish.
- Explore a variety of poetry styles and use these as inspiration for composing our own poems.

As scientists we will be learning to...

- Identify potential hazards surrounding electricity and how these can be avoided.
- Discuss and construct simple electrical circuits that contain cells, wires, bulbs, switches and buzzers.
- Explore what can effect the brightness of a bulb within a circuit.

As creative learners we will...

- Investigate traditional Greek coins and the designs on them, with the intention creating these using clay.
- Sketch and shade a Greek modern day monument.
- Learn a traditional Zorba dance.

As linguists we will ...

- Learn to say French foods that are good for the body.
- Learn how to talk about animals and pets in French.
- Learn how to say numbers in Mandarin.

As mathematicians we will be learning to ...

- Find a shape's area and perimeter.
- Add and subtract fractions, monetary values and solve word problems involving such.
- Tell the time to the nearest minute and solve worded problems.
- Use mental methods of multiplication and division.

As explorers we will ...

- Explore human and physical geographical features of Greece and the world.
- Create a fact file about modern day Greece, using informative paragraphs. We will then compare this with facts about the United Kingdom.
- Write a letter to a Greek pen-pal, discussing life in Yorkshire.
- Explore the modern day Greek culture, including food, drink, drama, dance, the environment and key destinations.

