

Secondary Newsletter - Summer 2024

Sarah's Class



Teacher: Sarah

The students had a fantastic Spring Term, There were a few changes to the classroom layout, staffing and new pupils joining, however, the pupils showed real resilience. I look forward to seeing them progress this Summer Term.



Please would it be possible to send in a pair of wellies or waterproof shoes to leave in school. We access our outdoor learning areas in all weathers!

In PE we are learning the dance moves and routines for Line Dancing. This includes working in pairs and following instructions. In term 2, we will be focusing on athletics and Olympic style activities.

PE will now be on a Thursday afternoon.

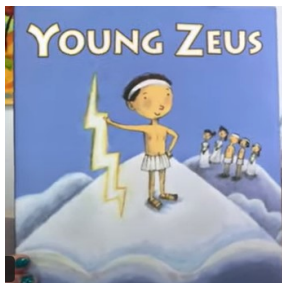


Curriculum: We are learning...

In Science we are learning about the Water Cycle and evaporation. We will then move onto Solids, Liquids and Gasses, before looking at Circuits and Electricity. In History we are learning about Ancient Greeks, their daily life, myths and legions, region and gods. Music is where we will be comparing a range of different genres, including Pop, Swing, Country and Orchestra. Geography will focus on looking at settlements including Middlesbrough and comparing different areas locally. We will be doing a field topic and learning about Maps and Keys. In Art lessons we will focus on painting skills and looking at Jackson Pollock and exploring a few of his techniques.

In PSHERE we will look at keeping safe in the community both online and real life. We will cover what is a stranger, safer strangers, how to keep safe including scenarios and road safety. RE will focus on comparing and contrasting Sikhism and Buddhism. Design and Technology will be about cooking and nutrition. We will be cooking different types of cold dishes including salads, pasta, wraps etc. It is going to be a fun term!

In English we will be using 'Young Zeus' and 'Flat Stanley' as narratives to develop our reading and writing skills. Non Chronological Reports on Greeks will be another focus for us, as will writing recounts.



In Maths, we will be continuing to develop our number skills and practice applying these to a range of situations. We will be learning about 2D and 3D shapes, types of measurement, directions, time and money. We will explore these thematically wherever possible.

