### **English**

The literacy for the first part of the spring term will still centre around fantasy writing and our class novel 'How *to Train* your Dragon' by Cressida Cowell. We will also link our genre writing to Greek and Roman myths and legends.

## Art and Design

We will be using different mediums to produce Greek art including chalk, paint, mosaic, straws and clay.

The children's homework project will be to design/make their own Spartan shields.

#### PE

In PE, the class will be learning the skills central to playing tag rugby. These will include throwing and catching, moving and dodging, tagging, intercepting, attacking and defending tactics and gameplay.

### **Mathematics**

Our maths will be focus on multiplication and division and specifically learning and embedding our 11x and 12x tables, multiplying 3 numbers, written methods for multiplication and division (2 and 3 digit by 1 digit), factor pairs and correspondence problems.

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## **Science**

In science, we will be learning about sound. The children will learn to identify how sounds are made, associate some of them with something vibrating, recognise that vibrations from sounds travel through a medium to the ear and find patterns between the pitch of a sound and features of the object that produced it

### Geography/History

In history, we will be learning all about the ancient Greeks and their lifestyle, culture and beliefs.

This term's geography will focus on modern day Greece.—location, climate, coastline, islands, mainland, tourism, food, democracy, traditions and wonders (art and architecture).

# RE

In RE, we will be learning to understand how celebrating Passover and keeping Kashrut (food laws) help Jewish people show God they value their special relationship with him.

### **PSHE**

We will be working on recognising our worth as individuals by identifying positive things about ourselves and our achievements., seeing our mistakes, making amends and setting personal goals.