

Learning for this term:	
English	We will be practising how to write exciting sentences in narratives and retellings of Greek myths using the correct punctuation, conjunctions, fronted adverbials, and speech.
Maths	We will be embedding the formal written methods for the four operations. We will also be focusing on fractions, time and measurement.
Science	We will be exploring soil, plants and light.
Geography	In support of our topic, we will be learning about the landscape and climate of Greece.
History	We will be learning about the Ancient Greeks and their influence on modern life.
Religion & Worldviews	We will be understanding what is important to Muslims and the key beliefs of Buddhism.
Computing	We will be learning to code and create simple PowerPoint presentations.
Music	We will be developing our ukulele skills further with a focus on composing our own tunes. 3FM will learn basic violin skills including bowing, plucking and reading notation
PE	Tennis - we will be practising our hand-eye coordination while controlling the racket head to hit the ball. Athletic skills- we will be improving our throwing, jumping and running skills. Greek Dancing – we will be improving our coordination and moving in a rhythmic way
RHE/PSHE	Our learning will be all about keeping healthy and personal space.
Art	We will be using Greek patterns to create plates.
D&T	We will also be tasting Greek food and making our own Greek salad.

We will be reading:



We are planning the following activities:

- The Rainbow Theatre will be visiting school to run a drama workshop and act out Greek myths on Friday 8th May.

You can help at home by:

- Researching Greece as a country to visit and create a travel brochure/ leaflet to show your teacher.
- Visiting the British Museum to look at Greek artefacts.
- Watching Horrible Histories on BBC iPlayer.
- Trying a selection of Greek food, e.g. tzatziki, feta cheese, olives and pita bread, or visit a Greek restaurant.

Important reminders:

- Diaries need to be in school every day please as these are the preferred method for communication.
- Please remember to remove their earrings for PE, as they will not be allowed to take part with earrings in.
- Please read with your child every day and ensure that they complete their TTRockstars and spelling homework on Purple Mash.



Our Reading River Books



These books have been carefully chosen to be read by children in Year 3
Can you read them by the end of the year?

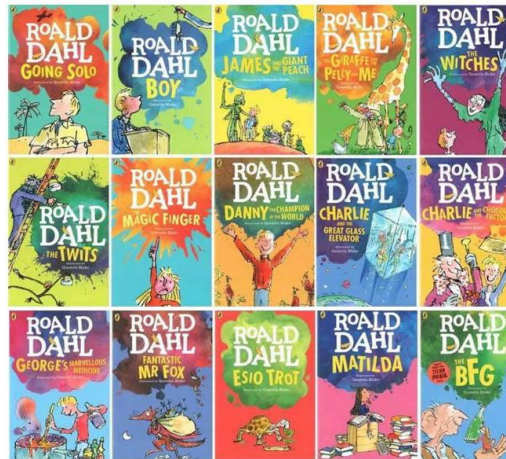


Catch A Classic

Welcome to "Catch A Classic," an initiative designed to ignite a passion for timeless stories and celebrated authors.

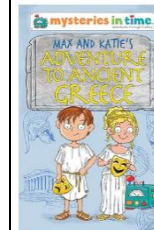
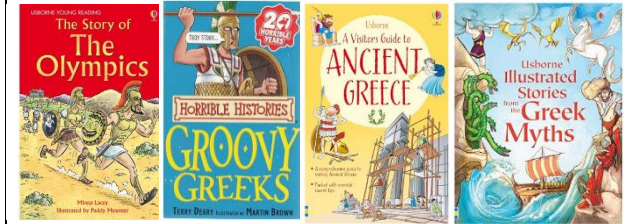
Each year group is assigned a specific classic author, allowing students to explore stories that have shaped literature and inspired generations.

Year 3's author is...Roald Dahl



Books we recommend

To support our work this topic, we would highly recommend the following books, which can be borrowed from school or the public libraries if you don't have them at home:



Max and Katie's next "Mysteries in Time" adventure takes them back to Ancient Greece, where a King's son has been kidnapped. To save him, Max and Katie must set off on a dangerous journey filled with impossible obstacles. Can Max and Katie survive the journey to save him?

Join Max and Katie on their Ancient Greece adventure through history as they learn about Ancient Greek myths, gods, theatre and more!