

In our daily **Maths** lessons we will be focussing on becoming masters of our curriculum by: Using mental and written strategies to complete calculations using +, -, x and ÷

- Developing our ability to solve worded problems and investigating problems in real life
- Identifying, classifying and sorting regular and irregular 2D and 3D shapes
- Measuring accurately using standard/non-standard units.
- Telling the time to the nearest five minutes
- Collecting, handling, presenting and analysing data.
- Making use of tables and bar charts
- Consolidating and applying the mathematical skills and knowledge we

In our daily **English** lessons we will be focussing on becoming masters of our curriculum by:

- Spelling with increasing accuracy and learning patterns within words, spelling rules and some exceptions to these
- The correct use of punctuation such as ., ? ! ... : ; ""
- Developing and applying adventurous vocabulary and sentence openers
- Varying sentence structure with the use of conjunctions, adverbs and prepositions
- Writing for a given purpose relating to the theme: e.g. myths, instructional writing; creative story writing; poetry

This term you can help your child at home by -

- Providing a range of books or resources from the internet that support our theme
- Encouraging your child to be responsible for organising their belongings to support their learning
- Completing everyday maths activities such as telling the time, paying for items in a shop, weighing ingredients when cooking and estimating quantities
- Reading regularly at home in order to develop fluency, expression and the enthusiasm for reading

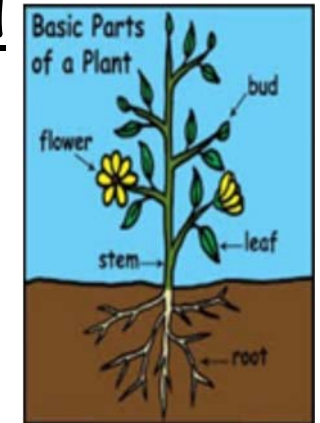
Ashmole Primary School

Curriculum Overview

Autumn Term 2019

YEAR 3

'Gods and



Mortals'



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As historians, we will be delving deep into the depths of the Ancient Greek world. We will be learning about the Gods and other important figures in Greek Mythology!

We will also be learning about the Ancient Greek way of life through

As geographers, we will be continuing to use our map skills and developing deeper knowledge and understanding of using globes and atlases to locate different countries and oceans. We will be exploring earthquakes, where they occur, what causes them and they

As scientists, we will be covering;

Forces & Magnets - we will be exploring the strength of magnets and learn about magnetic force and the movement of objects on different surfaces. We will conduct experiments to learn about the properties and uses of a variety of materials.

Plants - we will be identifying the different functions and parts of plants and

As artists, we will be exploring the importance of art and paintings in Ancient Greece. The children will study Ancient Greek pots. They will learn about how they are constructed and the significance of the paintings on the pots. They will also work hard to create their own

As design technologists, we will be introducing the use of electrical components in our Design and Technology lessons. The children will learn about the different parts in an electrical circuit and

As musicians we will be listening to a range of different music genres. This term, our approach to music will be integrated where games, the dimensions of music (pulse, rhythm, pitch etc), singing and playing instruments are all linked.

We will continue to experiment with a variety of different musical

In Computing, the children will continue to explore how to use iPads and laptops in a variety of ways for different purposes.

Our topic will be '**We Are Programmers**' where the children will have the opportunity to carry out simple programming to create a short,

In RE we will be learning about:

Sikh festival of Diwali - looking at the beliefs and practices and how they are important to the communities that celebrate them.

Christianity and the Bible - making connections between Jesus' teachings, the events from his life and the Christian belief that God is

In PSHE, our theme will be Health and Wellbeing. Within this theme, we will focus on the topics of **Healthy Lifestyles, Growing and Changing and Keeping Safe**.

The children will understand the importance of a healthy diet and goal

In P.E we will be building on skills already learnt and learning a range of new skills through the use of games, problem solving activities and new equipment.

Gymnastics - We will explore different movements to create symmetry and asymmetry.