



Barley Newsletter

Autumn Term 2021



Welcome back! We hope you have had a wonderful summer holidays. We have some fantastic learning opportunities this term that we look forward to sharing with you!

Topic

Our **History** and **Geography** topic this term is all about 'Ancient Greece'

We have decided that we would like to find out the answers to the following questions:



Can I learn about Greece and place the Ancient Greek civilisation in time?

Can I discover and explain the daily life in Ancient Greece?

Can I understand the impact of the Ancient Greek civilisation on the modern world?

Can I locate Greece on a map and identify environmental regions and major cities?

Can I describe the key aspects of human geography in Greece, including types of settlement and land use?

Can I explore the culture of Modern Greece and compare it to both Ancient Greece and my own culture?



Our Hook Day for this topic will be on Thursday 9th September - children can dress up as Ancient Greeks for this event. We will be focused on music, art and dance, so please take this into consideration when creating your costumes.

PE

PLEASE ensure that your child remembers to bring their FULL PE kit. Children will be going outside and will need outside footwear and suitable warm clothing.

Water

Could you also ensure your child has a water bottle in school too, as keeping hydrated is important and does impact positively on pupils' learning. Thank you.

Home Learning

Children are expected to complete a reading, spelling and maths challenge each week and six pieces of home learning per term. We will continue to use Go Read, Spelling Shed, TT Rockstars and PurpleMash. Please see the class blog for further details.

Mrs Marsden and Mrs Jones