

Topic

We are introducing a new aspect to our Topic this week. The children are choosing their own area of interest in the Ancient Greeks to study. Each year group will be participating in this child led learning initiative, known as LEAPS.

Thursday 15th March is our ARTISAN DAY and all children will be encouraged to come in dressed as Ancient Greeks - more details to follow next week!!! In each class we have been researching 'monsters', from the different myths so we can incorporate their characteristics in the last part of our Time Machine stories.



Just to let you know...
5th March - 9th March 2012

REMINDER

Please ensure that reading records are in school everyday and that the children bring back their Ideas books on Monday. Thank you very much.

The children will bring home costume suggestions (a glorified sheet!), to dress up as 'Ancient Greeks' for our Artisan day on Thurs 15th March.

Dates for your Diary

'Fluffy Friday' 23rd March

Year 3 Sleepover (**date change**) 15th June

English

The spelling pattern for this week is 'oa', these are the core words: roast, toad, moan, goat, coal, soaking, road, oak. Don't forget to learn your extension words too!

Children from Tracey and Linda's group should also be taking their spellings home on a Monday.

We are now ready to type up Chapter 2 (some children may have done this already). Please help your child with this at the weekend.

Maths We have been focusing on all the different words used to describe the 4 number operations eg finding the difference, how many left, finding the total etc. Many of these multi step questions are involving money and other aspects of maths that we have covered this term. In class maths we are working co ordinates to describe exact positions. The children will then be creating their own Monster maps, using co ordinates to locate the different features, tying in beautifully with our Myths and Legends focus.