



Year 5 Homework Project -2019



'The Greeks'

Our topic this term is called 'Grand Design' which includes history and geography work on the Greeks. This topic will also focus on Earth and Space.

- To complement this, we would like children to **find out** about **The Greeks and/or Earth and Space**.
- Help them to research the information - online or in books, newspapers or magazine articles, perhaps at the library.
- We are very keen for the children to start to develop independent skills such as investigating, research, selecting important information and presenting it.

How to present the project



- We are giving an **open ended** project - it can be as long or short as the child's circumstances dictate.
 - You can choose **one** of the following ways to present your project or choose another way to present it. Help your child to choose the level which is appropriate.
1. A purely **finding out**, oral approach where you might read, investigate & just talk about it.
 2. A mainly **picture** based project in a book or folder, with a little writing.
 3. A **written** or word processed project, with some pictures and maps, in the form of a book, folder or poster.
 4. An **ICT** project, perhaps using PowerPoint & saved on a disc or memory stick.
 5. Something more creative like a game or a model.

If there are any problems or questions about this, please see your child's class teacher who is more than willing to offer support if needed.



Possible topics or chapters to guide your work



- Below are some **ideas for chapters** or topics for the project which you could use to guide your work.
 - You don't need to cover all of the sections or chapters.
 - Choose **some** of them to include in your project.
 - Find out about these topics in **detail** for your project.
 - Feel free to include any **other information** you think is relevant or interesting.
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- **Famous Greek Gods** - (Zeus, Poseidon, Ares, Apollo...) use their powers and create a 'new' God and make a comic strip of their story.
 - **Daily life in Greek Times**- What did they eat? What work did they do? Pastimes, rich people, poor people, home-life.
 - **Herakles** - Rein act one of his labours through stop motion or video.
 - **Design and Technology** - Design and recreate a Greek Temple.
 - **Design and Technology** - Design and/or create an Ancient Greek outfit.
 - **Science** - A news report on the how the moon circles the Earth.
 - **Science** - A model of the Solar system
 - **Space clothing** - Can you design a new space outfit that would be helpful for space travel.
 - **Geography** - Report the weather from different continents in the world.
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- **Any other information** that you think is interesting and you would like to include.

Please hand in the project to your teacher on Wednesday 12th of June.
We will share each project with the whole schools and parents to help showcase our theme on Monday 17th June.



HAPPY RESEARCHING!

