

# Headlands Primary School- Termly Curriculum Newsletter

Class 13/14, Year 6, Term 5 - What is the legacy of the Ancient Greek Civilisation?



Our prime learning challenge this term is: *What is the legacy of the Ancient Greek Civilisations?* As **Historians**, the children continue to develop their chronological knowledge and understanding of ancient world history establishing a clear narrative within and across the Ancient Greece period of study. As **Readers**, we will be continuing to read a range of text types to prepare for SATS As **Writers**, we will be writing a narrative based on 'The Nowhere Emporium' and a range of pieces based on the poem, 'The Lady of Shalott'.

In other areas of the curriculum, as **Mathematicians**, the children will be continuing to build their arithmetic skills and apply them to reasoning problems in preparations for SATS. As **Scientists**, the children will learn how to interpret circuit diagrams to replicate and construct real circuits and will develop the skill of drawing circuit diagrams of their own.

In **Music**, Year 6 will be listening to and learning Samba drumming to perform to the school at the end of the term. They will create their own music using body percussion and vocal sounds. In **RE**, the children will be considering the question: what does it mean to be a Sikh in Britain today? In **French**, they will be learning how to describe their family. In **Computing**, we will be continuing to learn about internet safety and computer programming. Our **PSHE** focus this term is 'Relationships'. In **PE**, the children will be completing an athletics unit in preparation for Sports Day.

Please follow the link to the knowledge organisers (<http://www.headlands.org.uk/parents/curriculum.php>) that detail what your children will be learning about and the vocabulary that we will be using with them.

Things to remember:

**PE days take place on a Wednesday and a Thursday each week.**

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We will endeavour to respond to your emails between 9-4.30 in the week, during term time.

Our Phase Leader is Miss Wilson.

**Key Dates**

SATS Week — **Monday 13th May - Thursday 16th May**

Sports Day — **Monday 20th May (PM)**

End of term is **Friday 24th May**



**Our class reader this term is 'Cogheart'.**

Thirteen-year-old Lily Hartman always dreamed of adventure. But after her father—a famous inventor—disappears on a routine zeppelin flight, Lily's life gets turned upside down.

Please support your children to read by reading their own book with them at home **at least 4 times a week**, and **logging it on BoomReader**.



As part of our DARE Endeavour this term, we will be supporting the children to achieve their potential in their upcoming SATS papers. We are so proud of the children and all their hard work. We will also be visiting NA to see the Wizard of Oz drama performance!



Our Virtue this term is **AMBITION**. Please use the following points to inspire a conversation about Ambition at home.

What does it mean to be ambitious?

What makes you an ambitious person?