



Learning Theme: Ancient Greece

Chameleon Newsletter Summer 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to our final term of the academic year! This is an important term for our Year 6s in particular, who will be doing lots of work on their transition to secondary school. This term will be full of memory making and lots of fun after a tricky year! All of the children earned their Green Blue Peter badge last term and we are hoping that there will be a quick turnaround so that these arrive this term. We are also so excited to have Mrs Flynn back with us for our last term.

Topic

Our whole school value this term is Service, and this will be something we concentrate on during collective worship and PSHE lessons. Our class topic is Ancient Greece – we have lots of fun learning planned. Please see the attached curriculum map for more detail on the programme of study.

Production

We are going full steam ahead with production rehearsals at the moment. All of the children have been given a script, and inside their script is some costume information so that you can prepare – if there are any problems, please let me know and we might be able to source some bits in school. There is also a props list in the script and it would be great if you have any of the items that we can borrow! We usually work together as a class on the props, making some and bringing some bits in from home for each other to look after carefully.

Home learning:

This term, we will continue to set home learning tasks. For some weeks, the children will be set maths or SPaG instead of both and asked to learn their production lines for their other task. Chameleons are expected to read four times per week and record this in their reading records. Although they can read independently, even the best readers would benefit from reading aloud to an adult and answering questions. For example:

- What three words would you use to describe this character? Why?
- How is this character feeling at the moment? How do you know?
- Why has the author decided to make the weather so sunny/rainy in this scene?

P.E:

Chameleons should continue to come to school in P.E kit on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Equipment

Please ensure that the children bring a named water bottle to school every day, especially now that it is warmer. They should also have sun hats and sun scream. Children should not be bringing pencil cases or toys to school with them.

If you have any concerns, worries or questions, please get in touch either by phone or email: chameleon@lfssq.wilts.sch.uk.

Thank you!

Miss Christie Causer 😉