




5 Autumn Term 2023		Miss Simon & Ms Graystone
<p>As Language specialists we will...</p> <p>Read and understand the world of politics by participating in discussions about books, exploring vocabulary of politics, make predictions and ask questions. We will practise using modal verbs, using cohesive devices and expanding sentences to create our own arguments and debates.</p> <p>We will make inferences, comparisons about stories and characters. Will develop mood and atmosphere through developing language and explore imagery and figurative language to create their own narrative.</p> <p>We are reading Mythologica to retrieve knowledge all about Greek Gods and Goddesses to create our own fact files</p> 	<p>As Mathematicians we will learn... to read, write and compare numbers to at least 1,000,000. We will begin to recognise negative numbers in context, count forwards and backwards with positive and negative whole numbers through zero. The class will add and subtract whole numbers with more than 4 digits, using formal written methods of addition and subtraction. We will also be adding and subtracting mentally with numbers up to five digits. The children will learn how to describe multiples and factors and find all of the common factors of two.</p>	<p>Homework – Children will be expected to read 20 minutes per day (x5 per week). They need to complete maths activities for 5-10 minutes per day. We will ask the children to do a mix of TTRockstars or Complete Maths Tutor. Homework will be handed out on a Friday and will need to be returned on Thursday.</p> <p>PE days – Monday afternoon and Friday morning.</p> <p>Trips and events – Deputy Jeune visited us on Friday 8th September to discuss life as a politician. Our States Chamber trip will be on Monday 25th September in the morning, more detail will follow. Wednesday October 18th Year 5 & 6 will be taking part in a Life expo in the morning and there is Cross Country in the afternoon.</p>
<p>As Scientists we will... learn about life cycles of plants and organisms relating to the Amazon rainforest.</p> <p>We will dissect plants to identify how they reproduce. and germinate.</p> <p>We will be investigating properties of solids, liquids and gasses and conducting tests to study changes of materials.</p>		<p>As Linguists we will... be fortunate to take part in the French Experience, receiving intensive lessons delivered by a subject specialist over a six-week French language programme especially designed for Jersey Year 5 pupils. It will enable the children to talk about themselves and ask questions in French, to communicate within the classroom and talk about their daily school life, hobbies & sports.</p>
<p>Across the curriculum</p> <p>As Physical Educationalists we will... take part in Bikeability. We will learn passing and dribbling skills in Basketball. We will be learning Rock and Roll Dance too.</p> <p>As Artists we will... start by researching artists who use Greek design and sketch traditional Greek designs in their sketch books based around Greek Myths.</p> <p>As Computer Digital Leaders we will... learn how to use the internet safely and responsibly and experiment with coding using Microbit.</p> <p>As Design Technologists we will... study the architecture of ancient Greek and design, build and evaluate our own interpretation of the Parthenon.</p>	<p>As young citizens of Jersey we will be... learning about and visiting the States Chamber. During the preparation for this visit we will be developing discussion and debating skills, considering issues which impact upon young people and the wider community. The children will gain an understanding of how local politics works. They will research and create their very own proposal to deliver in the States Chamber.</p> <p>Through our exploration in PSHE & Citizenship we will be focussed on the following children's rights:</p> 	<p>As Geographers we will...</p> <p>Research and identify the countries that made up the Ancient Greek Empire.</p> <p>We will consider the physical features of Greece and how this impacted their history.</p> <p>As Historians we will...</p> <p>Explore the legacy of Ancient Greece and the impact that it has had on our world today. We will read popular Greek myths and understand why Greek Gods had such an influence over society. We will research important historical figures from the period of time.</p> <p>As Theologians we will... study Christianity including why Christians believe Jesus is the Messiah and explores the question: What does it mean if Christians believe God is holy and loving?</p>