

## Important Information

### Homework:

*Maths challenge tasks will be set on a Monday to be handed in the following Friday. Children must complete each week in order to move up on the boards in the corridor.*

*Children should learn and practise their times tables regularly and will be tested once per week.*

### Reading:

*Children should be reading regularly at home and have their reading card updated. Comments books will be checked on a Monday and Thursday. Children need to bring their reading books in everyday.*

### PE:

*Children need to bring their PE kits on a Tuesday and Wednesday.*

*Children are not permitted to wear jewellery when participating in PE as stated in school policy.*

*Spelling Tests: Monday*

*Times Table Tests: Tuesday*

Thank you from  
Teachers and Support Staff:

*Class Teacher: Miss Taylor*

*Support Staff: Mrs Meehan*

## *Ivy Road Primary School*

# Ancient Greece



**Curriculum information  
for parents/carers of  
Class 4/5  
children  
Summer Term 2017**

**Literacy**

A range of fiction, non-fiction and poetry  
Narrative writing  
'Grimm Tales' by Philip Pullman  
Talk for Writing Non-Fiction—Newspapers  
Talk for Writing Fiction—Narrative writing  
'Charlie and the Chocolate Factory' by Roald Dahl  
'The Midnight Fox' by Betsy Byars

**Numeracy**

Fractions  
Number and place value  
Addition and subtraction  
Geometry  
Multiplication and division  
Times tables  
Investigations & Problem Solving

**Science**

Living things and their habitats

- Recognise that living things can be grouped in a variety of ways
- Explore and use classification keys to help group, identify and name a variety of living things in the local and wider environment
- Recognise that environments can change and that this can sometimes pose dangers to living things

**ICT**

Creating algorithms, debugging programs and designing a game using 'Scratch 2' software

**Design & Technology**

Researching, designing and making biscuits!

**Religious Education & PHSCE**

SEALs unit—Relationships  
SRE—Puberty

*North Tyneside Agreed RE Syllabus*  
Buddhism and Islam

**Geography**

Identifying features of modern Greece  
Locating Greece on a map of Europe  
Using maps to understand warfare in Ancient Greece  
Comparing differences to ancient and modern architecture in ancient and modern Greece



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**Physical Education**

Football with visiting coaches  
Cricket

**History**

Ordering significant dates in history  
Understanding the differences between Athens and Sparta  
Greek wars and Warfare  
Lifestyles in Ancient Greece  
Greek food sampling!  
Myths and Legends

**Art**

Ancient Greek pottery  
Artist study—Georgia O'Keefe

**Music**

Samba drumming

**French**

Mon anniversaire et Le monde