

Year 5 and 6 Term 1 Plan





Term 1 CURRICULUM

Term 1

Themed Learning: Groundbreaking Greeks



Things to look forward to:

- D&T projects- design a Labyrinth and a Greek Temple
- Ancient Greek Workshop- 22nd September
- Mini Olympics

Subject	Focus	Subject	Focus
Reading	Who Let the Gods Out?- Maz Evans.	Art	Mixed Media and Paper crafts:
	Usborne Complete Greek Myths.		Expressionism.
	'Greeking Out- Epic retelling of Greek		
	Myths' - Kenny Curtis & Julian Hughes		
Writing	A character description	DT	
	A newspaper report		
	A persuasive letter		
Maths	Place Value	PE	
	Addition and Subtraction		Football and Handball
	Multiplication and Division A		
	Fractions A		
Science	Forces- Air resistance/ Water resistance	RSE	Get Heart Smart (Year 5 plans)
Geography	Physical geographical features of Ancient	Computing	Creating Media- Video Editing
	Greece.		
History	Discovering Ancient Greece: .	Spanish	Describing Family and Friends in Spanish.
	Life in Ancient Athens:	•	
RE	Creation: Creation and Science-	Music	Rhythm Builders- exploring rhythmic layers
	conflicting or complimentary?		

Key Dates https://www.monkton.kent.sch.uk/calendar			
Wednesday 10 th September at 2:45pm	Meet the Teacher in the main hall – a chance to hear about the year ahead		
Friday 12 th September	Harvest Service at the church (TBC)		
Monday 22 nd September	Living History Ancient Greeks workshop (History/Drama/Art)		
Friday 26 th September	European Day of Languages – Spanish theme		
Thursday 2 nd October	National Poetry Day – Child and Teacher poetry slam!		
Friday 3 rd October 3:00pm – 3:15pm	Colour Run Fundraiser for OPAL		
Wednesday 15 th October 1:10pm – 7:30pm	Parent Consultations (in the school hall)		
Friday 17 th October	Wear it Red Day – Show racism the red card		
Friday 17 th October	Last day of Term 1		



Year 5 and 6 Term 2 Plan





Term 2 CURRICULUM

Term 2

Themed Learning: Groundbreaking Greeks



Things to look forward to:

- D&T projects- design a Labyrinth and a Greek Temple
- Ancient Greek Workshop- 22nd September
- Mini Olympics

Subject	Focus	Subject	Focus
Reading	Who Let the Gods Out?- Maz Evans. Usborne Complete Greek Myths. 'Greeking Out- Epic retelling of Greek Myths' - Kenny Curtis & Julian Hughes	Art	
Writing	A setting description Non Chronological report Book Review	DT	Greek Architecture- Temple models
Maths	Fractions A Multiplication and Division B	PE	Gymnastics and Fitness
Science	Properties of Materials- Insulators Life Cycles	RSE	Don't forget to let love in
Geography		Computing	Creating Media- Webpage Creation
History	The Ancient Greeks' Influence on the World	Spanish	Describing Spanish portraits
RE	Gospel- What Would Jesus Do? Incarnation- Was Jesus the Messiah?- Digging Deeper.	Music	Rhythm Builders- exploring rhythmic layers

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Monday 27 th October (1 st day of T2)	Monday 27 th October (1 st day of T2)	
Tuesday 28 th October	Tuesday 28 th October	
Friday 7 th November	Friday 7 th November	
Week Beginning 10 th November Week Beginning 10 th November		
Friday 14 th November	Friday 14 th November	
Thursday 11 th December	Thursday 11 th December	
Tuesday 16 th December	Tuesday 16 th December	
Wednesday 17 th December @2:30pm Wednesday 17 th December @2:30pm		
Thursday 18 th December Thursday 18 th December		



Year 5 and 6 Term 3 Plan



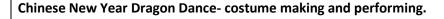


Term 3 CURRICULUM

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Themed Learning: Dynamic Dynasties

Things to look forward to:



Martial arts/ Tai chi session.



Subject	Focus	Subject	Focus
Reading	The Explorer- Katherine Rundell	Art	Colour in Landscapes
Writing	A Short Story A persuasive Speech A Biography	DT	
Maths	Multiplication and division B Fractions B Division A	PE	Dance and Dodgeball
Science	Animals including Humans- Human life cycle and mammal gestation.	RSE	Too much selfie isn't healthy
Geography	Investigating our world- Maps, Time zones, climate zones, biomes.	Computing	Computing Systems- sharing information
History	Ancient China- The Shang Dynasty timelines and religious beliefs	Spanish	Shopping in Spain
RE	ISLAM What Does it Mean to be A Muslim in Britain Today? (Part Two)	Music	Music and words

Key Dates https://www.monkton.kent.sch.uk/calendar			
Monday 5 th January	New Year Resolutions Theme Day (Whole School)		
Friday 16 th January	Muddy OPAL Stay 'n' Play – a chance for parents to come and experience the power of play (IN THE MUD)!		
Monday 19 th January	Young Voices Concert at the O2 (Choir Only)		
Friday 6 th February National Number Day			
Tuesday 10 th February	Safer Internet Day		
Friday 13 th February Winter Olympics Theme Day (Whole School)			
Friday 13 th February Last day of T3			



Year 5 and 6 Term 4 Plan





Term 4 CURRICULUM

Term 4

Themed Learning:



Things to look forward to:
Royal Observatory Trip
Engineering day- designing and creating pneumatic machines.

Subject	Focus	Subject	Focus
Reading	The Explorer- Katherine Rundell	Art	
Writing	Balanced argument Short story Campaign leaflet	DT	Moving Machines- pneumatic systems
Maths	Decimals B Fractions, Decimals and Percentages Area, Perimeter, Volume Converting units	PE	Gymnastics 2 and Orienteering
Science	Space	RSE	Don't rub it in, rub it out.
Geography	Human geography Local Fieldwork enquiry	Computing	Computing Systems- Flat file systems
History	Power and Social hierarchy in Ancient China Significant individuals	Spanish	Household tasks in Spanish
RE	Salvation: What difference does the resurrection make to Christians	Music	

Key Dates https://www.monkton.kent.sch.uk/calendar		
Week Beginning Monday 2 nd March Book Week		
Thursday 5 th March	World Book Day	
Friday 20 th March	Comic Relief	
Thursday 2 nd April This is Me Day (Whole School)		
Thursday 2 nd April Last day of T4		



Year 5 and 6 Term 5 Plan





Term 5 CURRICULUM

Term 5

Themed Learning: Sow, Grow and Farm



Things to look forward to: Agricultural careers day

James Dyson foundation: Future Farming project

Brogdale trip

Subject	Focus	Subject	Focus
Reading	Black Beauty- Anna Sewell	Art	Line, Light and Shadow art Nature's art
Writing	Diary entry Newspaper report Formal letter	DT	
Maths	Ratio, Algebra, Shape	PE	Netball and Tennis
Science	Reproduction A and B	RSE	Fake is a mistake
Geography	Farming in the UK The Future of Farming	Computing	Programming A- Selection in physical computing
History	The history of farming	Spanish	Spanish travel
RE	Universal: Is it Better to Express Your Beliefs in Arts and Architecture or in Charity and Generosity?	Music	Song ingredients- Melody, harmony and lyrics

Key Dates https://www.monkton.kent.sch.uk/calendar			
Week Beginning Monday 20 th April Recycling Week			
Monday 20 th April Earth Day (Whole School Theme Day)			
Monday 18 th May Sports Day			
Tuesday 19 th May	Reserve Sports Day		
Week Beginning Monday 18 th May Healthy Bodies, Healthy Mind Week (Whole School			
Friday 22 nd May Last Day of T5			



Year 5 and 6 Term 6 Plan





Term 6 CURRICULUM

Term 6

Themed Learning:



Things to look forward to: Hindleap (Year 6) Year 5 Camp out Bikeability Class 4 production.

Subject	Focus	Subject	Focus
Reading	Black Beauty- Anna Sewell	Art	
Writing	Poetry, Film review Speech writing	DT	Eating the Season: Cooking and Nutrition
Maths	Shape Position and Direction Statistics	PE	Athletics and Rounders
Science	Reversible and irreversible changes	RSE	No way Through Isn't True Relationships and Sex education (Year 6)
Geography	World farming: agriculture in North and South America	Computing	Programming A- Variables in Games
History		Spanish	Spanish speaking countries in South America
RE	Kingdom of God: What kind of King is Jesus?	Music	Songs for class 4 production

Key Dates https://www.monkton.kent.sch.uk/calendar			
Monday 1 st June – Friday 5 th June	Year 6 Hindleap Residential		
Friday 12 th June	Men's Football World Cup (Whole School Theme Day)		
Monday 22 nd June	World Music Day (Whole School Theme Day)		
Friday 26 th June	Year 5 Camp Out		
Wednesday 8 th July	End of Year Reports emailed to parents		
Thursday 9 th July	Year 6 Production		
Thursday 9 th July	Open Afternoon – a chance to come and look at your		
	children's achievements this year		
Friday 17 th July	Last day of T6 – have a great summer!		