

Enriching Learning - Autumn Term 2025 - Rowan Class

English Activities:

- Which Olympic or Paralympic sport is your favourite? Write instructions on how to play it. Alternatively, you could create a new event for the Olympics. What are the rules?
- Write a newspaper article about the battle of Troy. Who were fighting? How was a wooden horse involved?
- Draw a storyboard telling an Ancient Greek myth. You could explore a story involving Hercules, Jason or Icarus.
- Write a diary of a Spartan soldier. 'Show Me; Don't Tell Me' the emotions they felt.
- Using the words 'Ancient Greece', create an acrostic poem to share facts about the era.
- Research a Greek island and write a postcard to someone, telling them all about it.
- The Greeks loved to perform! Write and perform your own short play. You could even make masks and props to use!

Maths Activities:

- ttrackstars activities - <https://ttrackstars.com/>
- Conduct a survey to find out what people's favourite sport is. Present your results in a pictogram or bar chart. You could hand draw it or use Excel.
- Using travel websites, research a holiday to Greece. How will you get there? Where will you stay? What will you want to see or do? Budget how much it would cost to go on holiday with your family.
- A marathon is 26.22 miles. Calculate how many marathon distances there are between different places such as Chesterton and Olympia, Greece.
- Compare the weather in Greece to the UK. Who has the hottest summer or the most rain?

Topic Activities:

- Research one of the Greek Gods or Goddesses. Find out about their powers and any myths related to them. Write a fact file about them. This could be Zeus, Athena, Hades...
- The Ancient Greeks are famous for creating democracy and laws. If you could create a new law, what would it be and why?
- Choose either modern day Greece or Ancient Greece and draw a map of it. Remember to include major cities and geographical features, such as rivers and mountains.
- The Greeks loved their music. Research what types of instruments they used and build one of your own using junk model materials. You could even compose your own piece of Ancient Greek-themed music.
- Create a list or make a collage of all the things that the Ancient Greeks invented and we still have / use today.
- Research Ancient Greek monsters, then create your own monster inspired by your research. You could draw it, paint it or create a model of it.
- Take part in your own Olympic event. You could take pictures of you participating and record your results.
- Cook a traditional Greek dish. You could then write the recipe down.
- Use a computer program, such as Minecraft or Scratch, to recreate an Ancient Greek monument or make an Ancient Greek themed game.
- Create an Ancient Greek-themed board or card game. Then, teach friends or family members how to play.

The above is a suggested list of ideas. If you would like to carry out your own project, we would be excited to see it. Homework should be handed in every Monday.