Medium Term Planning

Kites (Y3/4)
Autumn 1 2021

	Week 1 30.8.21 (1 day)	Week 2 6.9.21	Week 3 13.9.21	Week 4 20.9.21	Week 5 27.9.21	Week 6 4.10.21	Week 7 11.10.21	Week 8 18.10.21
Theme	ANCIENT GREECE							
History / Geography Ancient Greece		Ancient Greek timeline	The geography of Greece	HISTORY OFF THE PAGE VISIT	The Ancient Greek Empire	Athens v Sparta!	What was so special about Alexander the Great?	Why did a small army win the Battle of Marathon?
Science Food Chains		What is a food chain?	Identify producers, predators and prey	Create food chains from various habitats in different ways		What is a food web?	What happens if one part of a food chain or web alters?	
Writing		Mini Research Project	Non-Chronological Report: Ancient Greek Gods and Goddesses			Graphic Novel: Greek Myths (Marcia Williams)		
Spelling		Topic Vocabulary	Y3 – Vowel suffixes Y4 - Homophones	Y3 – Vowel suffixes Y4 - Homophones	Y3 – 'I' spelt 'y' Y4 - Homophones	Y3 – 'u' spelt 'ou' Y4 – 'sc'	Statutory words - Adjectives	Statutory words - Adjectives
Maths		Place Value					Addition and Subtraction	
PSHE Myself and my emotions		Recognise and communicate a range of emotions	Understand that mental wellbeing is as important as physical wellbeing	Explore how our emotions can affect our own behaviour and other people	Agree on positive strategies for dealing with worries	Recognise strengths and personal qualities of ourselves and others	Learn how we can move from a negative state to a positive one	What is 'being assertive' and how can it help us?
R.E. Beliefs of the Ancient Greeks		Who is God? The Lord's Prayer	How important is religion? Christianity v Ancient Greeks	Why one God in Christianity and many gods and goddesses in Ancient Greece?	Where do Christians worship? Where did the Ancient Greeks worship?	Important texts in Christianity and Ancient Greece		
Computing E-safety and electronic communication		Use a search engine, menu and hyperlinks to find information	What are the potential risks when we are online?	What are our school e-safety rules?	What is a strong password?	What should and shouldn't we share online?	Send an e-mail	Upload and locate documents on Google Drive
MFL Describing the Ancient Greek gods and goddesses		Introduction and assessment	All about me	Who is Zeus?	Who is Hera?	Icarus and his wings: colours, shades and sizes		

PE Ball Skills	Sports Day	Improve the accuracy of throwing and catching skills.		Improve the consistency of ball handling whilst travelling and bouncing.	Apply skills to small-sided games.	Observe and evaluate ball handling skills.	Take part in a non-contact team game using skills from the unit.	
Gymnastics		Sessions planned and delivered by Hunts Schools Sports Partnership coach						
Art 3D Form		Research and explore Ancient Greek vases (Sketchbook)		Plan a three dimensional vase	Create a three dimensional vase using scrap objects and papier mache			Evaluation
DT Construction							Catapult challenge!	
Music Pulse and Rhythm		What is the difference between pulse and rhythm?	Insect rhythms	Introduction to rhythmic notation	Compose. revise and perform basic ostinato rhythms		Combine rhythms using percussion instruments	