

Sycamores

The Sycamores started off the school year off with a Greek adventure. We have read and learned about Greek myths, what makes a Greek myth and what we like about Greek myths. This term we are going to write our own Greek myth using everything we have learnt. We have spent our first term exploring the geography of Greece and how it compares to Dover. This term we will continue to investigate why the Greeks were such an important influence on the western world and the legacy of their culture on the Britain of today. We will be creating our own Greek artefacts and creating our own Ancient Greek museum ready for our Ancient Greek day later in the term.

In English we will be exploring and playing with our word classes, using adjectives and adverbial phrases for our descriptive writing. We will be reading Charlie and the Chocolate factory and other Roald Dahl stories. We will also be continuing with our spelling and English fluency.

Mathematics has moved on to addition and subtraction and we will be breaking down the different skills needed to be successful and to be able to solve problems. We will also be working on our fluency and arithmetic with daily activities to improve speed and understanding.

During Science, we are continuing to take a closer look at the way humans' process food. We have found out what damages teeth and how to look after them. We will be moving on to exploring the basic parts of the digestive system and making faeces. We will also be learning about some of the different theories explaining evolution, using the evidence to decide for ourselves what we believe.