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Year 3 'Myths and Legends' Homework - Autumn Term 2

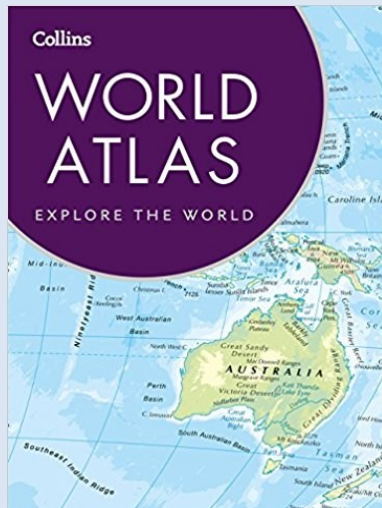
Homework needs to be completed and handed in to your class teacher by **Friday 12th December**.

1 POINT TASK—Using an atlas or the internet, can you answer the following questions?

Where is Greece?

What is the weather like in Greece?

Which sea surrounds Greece?



1 POINT TASK

Practise writing and spelling the following topic words.

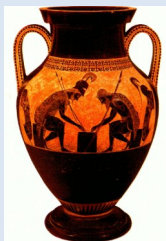
Perseus defeat legend Olympics

Medusa myth quest ancient

column Zeus soldier empire

2 POINT TASK

Can you sketch a Greek vase?
What designs did they paint on their vases and why?



Want more challenge?

Do not forget to use Linguascope and Times Tables



Rock Stars to further challenge yourself with your learning!

1 POINT TASK

www.topmarks.co.uk/time/teaching-clock

Practice telling the time



1 POINT TASK



In the Ancient Greek Olympics, an athlete did 13 events every day for 6 days. **How many events did he do in total?** Show your working out.

2 POINT TASK— use Linguascope to practise the following section linked to our topic of describing our school environment:

[Spanish > Beginner > En la clase](#)

www.linguascope.com
username: bannockbps
password: quietlion96

Try and print yourself a worksheet or certificate, or make a vocabulary poster to show all the vocabulary you have practised.

2 POINT TASK

How many number sentences can you make using ancient Greek numbers?

Example: Alpha + Gamma = Delta

Ancient Greek numbers

Alpha	Beta	Gamma	Delta	Epsilon	Zeta	Eta
A α	B β	Γ γ	Δ δ	E ε	Z ζ	H η
1	2	3	4	5	7	8

Theta	Iota	Kappa	Lamda	Mu	Nu	Xi
Θ θ	I ι	K κ	Λ λ	M μ	N ν	Ξ ξ
9	10	20	30	40	50	60

Omicron	Pi	Rho	Sigma	Tau	Upsilon	Phi
O ο	Π π	P ρ	Σ σ ς	T τ	Υ υ	Φ φ
70	80	100	200	300	400	500

Chi	Psi	Omega	Digamma	Stigma	Koppa	Sampi
X χ	Ψ ψ	Ω ω	F	ς	Ϟ	Ϸ
600	700	800	6	6	90	900



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Year 3 'Myths and Legends' Homework Tasks

3 POINT TASK

In Greek mythology, bees were supposed to be the messengers of the gods and honey to be the source of wisdom and poetry.

Honey was rumoured to provide unbelievable powers.



Can you create your own recipe that includes this powerful elixir?

Example recipe:

-Honey cornflake cakes



Are you able to write an acrostic poem to go with your recipe?

What unbelievable super power would honey give you if you were a Greek god or goddess?

5 POINT TASK

Under sunlight, put an object on a surface or a piece of paper. Then watch as the shadow is created on the paper, floor or wall.

Draw around the shadow at different times of the day. **What do you notice about the drawings?**



3 POINT TASK

The Ancient Greeks invented the Olympics. **Which sport do you play?** Write about your hobby so we can hear all about it in class. You might inspire someone to try it! **Can you name the muscles that you use in your sport?**



3 POINT TASK Reading challenge!

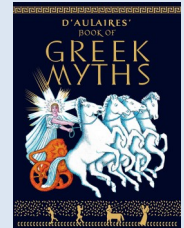
How many Greek myths and legends can you read in one half term?

Here is a list of suggestions:

Theseus and the Minotaur

Bellerophon and Pegasus

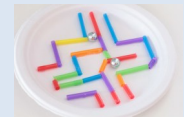
Pandora's Box



Write a short review paragraph for each book to explain the plot and give your opinion.

5 POINT TASK

Inspired by the myth of Theseus and the Minotaur, create your own maze for your very own Minotaur to escape from. It can be made from cardboard, string or plastic.



Places to visit linked to the topic:

- The British Museum.
- Your local library to discover different Greek Myths.
- Go on an adventure around London to look for Greek inspired architecture—look out for columns!

