

# Year 5 Home Learning Project

Our main topic this term is Eureka! We are learning about the Greeks and the legacy they left behind. We would like the children in Year 5 to choose one area to research and to produce a final product to share with the class back at school. This could be in the form of a model, video, poster or a leaflet. The home learning should be brought back to school by **Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> of November**



**The ideas they share in class will be used by others as we will be writing a non – chronological report in class on “The Legacy of the Greeks”.**

Here are some ideas:

Pick one category of the legacy. We have used the acronym PLASTIK to help us remember this:

- Politics (democracy / citizenship)
- Language (prefixes and root words in our language with Greek origins, the Greek alphabet)
- Architecture (three main types, reasons for different building designs, similar designs around the world found today)
- Sport (origin of the Olympics, events)
- Theatre and Performance (theatre, plays, music and poetry and the influence on Romans, Tudors and modern day performances)
- Ideas and beliefs (Greek gods, heroes and monsters)
- Knowledge (see list opposite)



Pick one famous Greek:

Create a fact file- name, date of birth / death, where they lived, what were they famous for, how we use their ideas today

- Archimedes
- Aristotle
- Plutarch
- Thales
- Socrates
- Pythagoras
- Hippocrates
- Sappho
- Aeschylus
- Herodotus
- Plato



