

**Our Trip this half term will be to:**

*The Media Museum*



Horton Park Primary  
We Learn to Succeed

Year 6

Spring 1

Miss Bi, Mrs Naylor &

Mr Wright

**Our Topic**

How does the past shape our future?

This half term we will be learning about:

- ⇒ The Ancient Greeks
- ⇒ Light and the Eye
- ⇒ Art and Animation in computing.

**Reminders!**

- Boosters for Year 6 are Wednesdays 3.30pm-4.30pm with Mrs Naylor and Mr Wright. If your child has a booster with Miss Bi the times are 3.15pm—4.15pm

**Homework.**

Your child will receive homework every Friday and must be returned to school by Wednesday each week.

Homework will include:

- Maths homework
- SPAG homework
- Daily Reading—Raving Readers Challenge and completion of Home School diaries
- Our Project Homework this half term will be based around our Evolution topic.

**Maths**

This half term we will be covering:

- ⇒ Application of operations in context—word problems.
- ⇒ Algebra and formula.
- ⇒ Measures, money and time.
- ⇒ Fractions, decimals and percentages.
- ⇒ Data handling

You could help your child at home by ensuring that they know their x tables up to 12 x 12.

**English**

This half term we will be covering:

- ⇒ Writing a Greek Myth.
- ⇒ Writing a biography about Genghis Khan
- ⇒ Informal letter writing.,

You could help your child at home by practising the year 5 and 6 spellings at the back of the home school diary. Asking them to write stories at home.

Practising spelling, punctuation and grammar.

### History

This half term we will :

- ⇒ Learn about Ancient Greece in time and place.
- ⇒ Learn about democracy and how this began in Ancient Greece.
- ⇒ Contrast Ancient Greek city states and how they differed.
- ⇒ Contrast Ancient Greece with Britain today.
- ⇒ Learn about how Ancient Greece has influenced us.

You could help your child at home by researching Ancient Greece and how the Ancient Greeks used to live.

### Science

This half term we will be:

- ⇒ Learning about the eye and how we see.
- ⇒ Learning about rays of light.
- ⇒ Learning about the spectrum of light.

You could help your child by researching light at home.

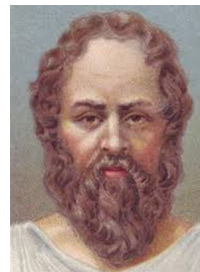
### Art and Computing

This half term we will be:

- ⇒ Creating animations linked to Greek Myths.
- ⇒ Using animation software.
- ⇒ Creating sets.
- ⇒ Choosing music and themes to go with our animations.

You could help your child by looking at different types of animations and how they have been done by other people at home.

### Get Inspired!



“Wisdom begins in  
wonder”  
Socrates

