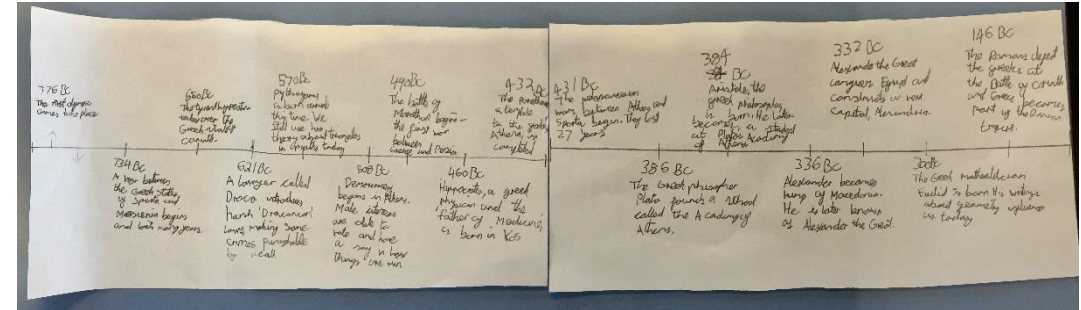
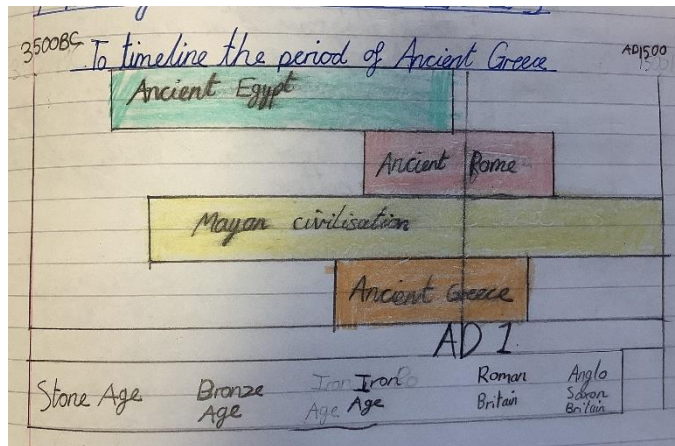


How did the ancient Greeks impact the modern world?

Chronology

We looked at where on a timeline Ancient Greece belonged and discussed where in relation to other civilisations around the world. The Giraffes ordered main events from the ancient Greek time period, creating timelines of their own.



Daily Life

The children researched what life was like for different people within Greek society and through discussion, we compared what life was like for children living within Greek society and their experience of childhood today within the UK.



Greek Pottery

Within art Giraffes have designed and made their own clay Greek pots which they then painted and added their designs using pen to show an aspect of Greek life. We looked at various sources to make inferences about Greek society at that time.



Athens vs Sparta

We researched and compared two main cities states Athens and Sparta looking at what life was like for different people within society at the time.

comparing Athens and Sparta

Athens	Sparta
peaceful state	War state
center Greece	Military
powerful through trade.	Value strength
Traveled to places.	Suspicious of outsiders
Strong Navy.	inland and in city.
Strong relationship.	around mountains
Very creative.	Simple lives.
had a Democracy	Council of Elder
say over 18+ men.	Oligarchy.
ran government	2 Kings
Traded	28 members
Exports Honey, olive oil, silver and pottery.	60 years old
Imports wood, grain.	Traded farming, conquering.
used coins to trade, silver, bronze	heavy iron bar to trade.
20-70 jobs	Education for boys.
girls stayed at home, didn't read, write, sewing.	boys went to school the age of 5-11.
married age 15, husband chose for you.	Reading, writing, math.
	at 18 boys started training.
	Strength, Discipline.
	age 7 both genders.
	Wrestling, gymnast, running.
	age 20 boys got tests for fitness.
	lived in barracks.

Alexander the Great

We learned about Alexander the Great and how he came to power within ancient Greece; and how his rule had a significant impact on today's modern world for many countries, which he invaded and created as part of his empire.



Which City State would you prefer to live in? Athens or Sparta?

Athens
I would like to live in a peaceful, well kept place where my child will be safe.
Mrs. Gibson

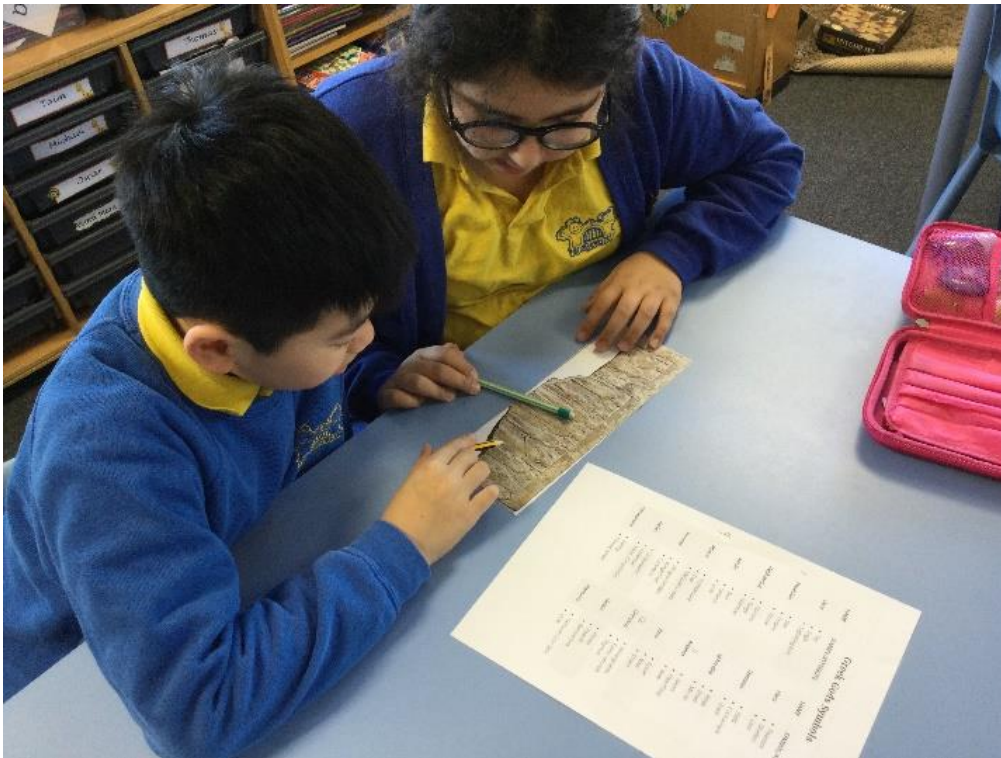
Voice Level

5	outside
4	front of class presentation
3	normal voice
2	small group and partners
1	whispering



Greek Religion

Giraffes learnt about Greek religion, looking at the different gods and goddesses that the Greeks believed ruled different aspects of their life. They believed that the gods would punish or reward them for actions within their daily life. We looked at the source below and using the attributes of different god identified which god or goddess is being depicted.



Greek Myth

We read the Greek myth of 'The Trojan Horse' and discussed how historically accurate this maybe. We used this myth to write our own newspaper report on the event.

To write a newspaper article Friday 25th MARCH 1184B
2 Greek coins

THE GREEK AGES

VICTORIOUS GREEKS COME BACK HOME!

Reported by M. Quiler


After the ~~exaggerated~~ ^{exaggerated} ~~fighting~~ battles ^{so} between the Greeks and the Trojans, Greece claimed the trophy ^{so} of honor. Greece invaded successfully the city of Troy and rescued Queen Helen. After suggesting the losses of Greek soldiers and invented what we now call the Trojan horse. Greece has won.

Trojans were tricked by the horse.

According to King Menelaus's secretary said that King Menelaus said, (32) "When Helen was kidnapped I felt discouraged to live the rest of my days." Along the years Greece has lost thousands of men but it has now changed.

Odysseus, the Greek army general informed us


The Greek states got together to fight the Trojans. The war took place in what we see as the outside of Troy. 30 Greek soldiers were able to invade the city first. After a decade of fighting, Odysseus



Final piece

We created a final piece of work by creating posters to show what we have learnt and how the ancient Greeks have made effected how we live today through: philosophy, astronomy, democracy and measuring of time; to name just a few.

HOW ^{did} THE ANCIENT Greeks impact the modern world?



The Greeks pretty much invented Modern Mathematics, sculpture, philosophy, science and even medicine.

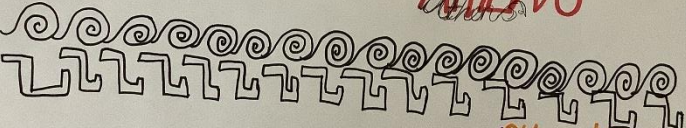
they influenced language, government and architecture.

And they even invented things we still use today like the wheel, wheel, vending machine, catapult and an alarm clock.

Alexander made Greece into one big country.

Athens was and still is the capital of Greece but Sparta is not called Sparta anymore.

ATHENS



Did you know?

In Athens if your husband dies you could re-marry but if your husband left you, you would just be a single woman.

In Greece (Athens) if you left the house without a male of permission you would get beaten.

