

ANCIENT GREECE COLLECTABLE

Year 2 (20-21)

WHERE IS GREECE?



PANDORA

THESEUS AND THE MINOTAUR



GREEK MYTHS

Have you heard any of these?

Pandora's Box
Icarus and Daedalus
Theseus and the Minotaur
Perseus and Medusa
The 12 Labours of Herakles

5 REASONS WHY THE GREEKS WERE GREAT!

1. They spent time thinking about the important questions (philosophy).
2. They were interested in engineering and inventions.
3. They started to develop the idea of democracy.
4. They loved art and prided themselves on creating beautiful objects.
5. They left us with the best stories in the world – the Greek myths.

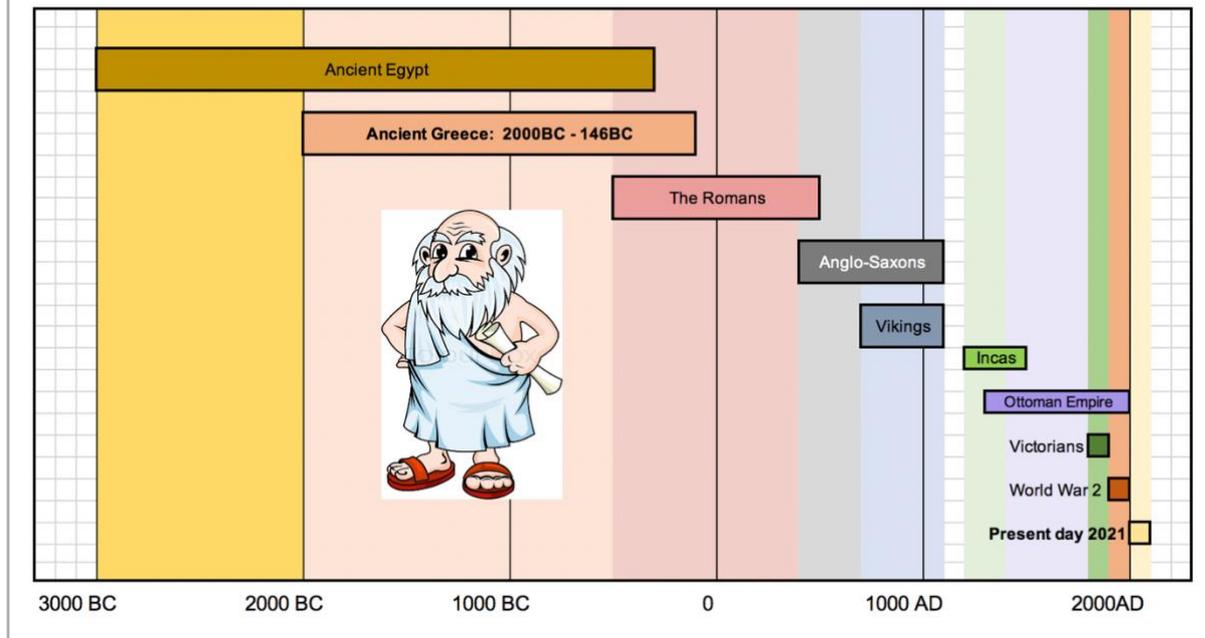
THE OLYMPIAN GODS



A SPARTAN SOLDIER



TIMELINE SHOWING SOME HISTORIC EVENTS



ICARUS AND DAEDALUS

PARTHENON

The Parthenon is one of the most important temples in Athens. It was built to honour the goddess Athena.



KEY VOCABULARY

Ancient – Something or someone who belongs to the very distant past and is no longer in existence.

Alphabet – The word alphabet comes from the first two letters in Ancient Greek (alpha and beta)

Athens – Capital city of modern-day Greece. In ancient times it was its own city state.

Citizen – In Athens a citizen was a person with the right to take part in the assembly, serve on juries and take a turn as a member of the ruling council. Only male Athenians were allowed citizen rights.

Civilisation – A level of development at which people live together peacefully in communities.

Democracy – A system of government in which citizens can vote to decide things. Athens had a democracy from 510BC.

Helot – A slave who worked for a Spartan master.

Kiln – Oven heated by wood, charcoal or some burning fuel for 'firing' (heating and hardening) clay pots.

Pottery – Useful containers such as bowls, dishes, plates and mugs made from soft clay that is baked hard in a kiln.

Sacrifice – A gift made to the gods. For example, pieces of meat could be burned on an altar as a sacrifice.

Sparta – A city-state in southern Greece. The Spartans were famous for their strict military training and powerful army.

Temple – A building used for religious worship and ceremonies. The Greeks put statues of gods and goddesses inside their temples.