# YEAR 3

# **Vocabulary** (

#### **Ancient**

time long past, especially before the end of the Western Roman Empire 476CE

#### Column

a strong, upright support

#### **Democracy**

where people have the chance to vote in a government to rule their nation

### **Discipline**

following the rules

#### God/Goddess

a male/female supreme being

#### Period

rather large interval of time that is meaningful because of its particular characteristics:

#### **Philosopher**

a person who offers views and opinions on a topic

#### **Potterv**

ceramic (made from clay) ware, especially earthenware and stoneware

### **Temple**

a building or place dedicated to the worship of a god/goddess

### **Tragedy**

a dreadful event

Legend tells us that the Mycenaeans invaded the city of Troy in a massive wooden horse!.

# **CIVILISATION**

# We are learning to:

- To secure a knowledge and understanding of world history
- To recognise similarities and differences between periods of
- To understand how we know about the past
- To recognise how the Ancient Greeks have influenced the western world today





1900 - 1400BCE **Bronze period** 

800 - 500BCE **Archaic period** 

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500 - 323BCE Classical period

### 323-146BCE Hellenistic

**146BCE** 

### **OUR LESSONS**

- What we have learned about history so far?
- What were the crucial periods in ancient Greece?
- What were the differences between Athens and Sparta?
- What were the most important achievements and advances of the Classical Golden Age?
- Who were the most important philosophers of Ancient Greece?
- Who was Alexander the Great?

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### **PRIOR LEARNING**

- Earliest civilisations were based around fertile river floodplains where large groups of people lived together, living in similar ways.
- More complicated tools were used during the Iron and Bronze periods.
- Governments, ruled by kings/gueens or emperors/empresses. maintained the laws thereby creating stability.



# 2000BCE

Minoan civilisation on Crete build the palace of Knossos

# 1600BCE

Mycenaean period begins. The first 'true Greeks'.

# **800BCE**

Development of the first Greek alphabet

#### **776BCE 508BCE**

First Democracy Olympic is introduced in Athens games

# **450BCE**

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Athens becomes a powerful city and controls the empire

# 431BCE

War between Athens and Sparta begins

## **404BCE** End of the

war between Athens and Sparta

### **336BCE** Alexander III (The Great)

Kina

Romans conquer Greece becomes

Learning from the past



Nurturing Life-Long Learning ""