



Lydgate Junior School

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18th June 2018

Dear Parent/Carer,

Y3 ANCIENT GREEK ACTIVITIES DAY

As part of our history topic on the Ancient Greeks, we are holding a special Greek themed day on **Tuesday 26th June 2018**. We would like the children to dress up as ancient Greeks, so please send them in with their Greek costume on that day (they can use the same costume that they wore for the Y3 performance).

During the morning the children will take part in various activities, listed below:

- Craft: Make Medusa heads, Olympic torches and discus, clay owls, olive wreaths and Greek key patterns.
- Writing: Have a go at Ancient Greek writing, Greek word searches and puzzles.
- Maths: Learn how to play 'knuckle bones', work with an abacus and construct some of the Platonic solids.
- History: A short film about life in Ancient Greece.

In the afternoon, we will hold a procession in the hall – a chance for everyone to show off their costumes. This will be followed by each class taking a turn at performing some Greek dances that they have been working on in PE lessons.

We would like to finish the day with a Greek feast! The children will get to try a range of Greek foods. **This food will not replace your child's normal school dinner/ packed lunch. Below is a list of foods that will be used. If your child is allergic to any of them could you please let us know as soon as possible on the slip below?**

Pitta Bread	Lemons	Feta Cheese	Houmous	Taramasalata
Tzatziki	Dates	Cucumber	Lettuce	Olives
Olive Oil	Grapes	Strawberries	Red Onion	Carrots
Figs	Pomegranates	Currants	Melon	Summer Fruit Juice

To cover the cost of this food, we are asking for a voluntary contribution of **£1.50 per child**. Please make a payment via SQuid before the day. Please note that we no longer accept payment by cash or cheque. Please contact the school office if you have difficulty with this method of payment.

If you are available to help us with the craft activities in the morning and/or preparing and serving the feast in the afternoon, we would be most grateful. It really does help the day to run smoothly. Please let us know on the slip below.

Thank you for your support.
Yours sincerely

Julie Dutton
On behalf of the Y3 team

To: Y3 Class Teacher **Y3 History: Ancient Greek Activities**

- I have paid a contribution of £1.50 towards the Greek food.
- I will be willing to help on 26th June during the morning.
- I will be willing to help on 26th June during the afternoon.

Child's Name:..... Class:

Signed: Parent/Carer

My Child is allergic to the following foods:

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