In English, we can:
Read and write mystery stories which create suspense for the reader
Incorporate dialogue into our stories through our setting and character descriptions
Choose powerful vocabulary which helps creates atmosphere for the reader
Use a range of sentence structures
Explain a character's motives and feelings using evidence from the text
Explain an author's choice of language and structure

In Maths, we can:
Read, write, order and compare decimal numbers
Round numbers involving decimals to one decimal place
Solve problems involving decimal numbers
Read time on a digital and analogue clock
Interpret timetables by adding and subtracting time

In Art/DT we can:
Design our own vases in the style of the Greeks.
Choose suitable materials to make our designs.
Evaluate our final products and test whether they are fit for purpose.

In Science, we can:
Describe the effects of friction, air resistance and water resistance.
Conduct simple experiments to test factors which influence the strength of a force.
Identify how levers, pulleys and gears allow smaller forces to have a greater effect

Year 5, Spring 2
Groovy Greeks:
What did the Greeks ever do for us?

Key Learning Skills
Questioning, collaborating, empathising, listening, researching, imagining, investigating, evaluating, having a point of view, making connections, creating new knowledge.

In Philosophy we can:
Explain our own ideas about what makes a city successful and what role citizens should play in this
Justify our beliefs about whether rules are a good thing or a bad thing

In History, we can:
Describe historical events from the Ancient Greek period and use these dates accurately in our learning
Identify the old Greek empire on a map and explain why it was significant
Compare Ancient Greek democracy with our modern day political system
Identify similarities and differences between city life in ancient Greece and now.
Discuss how Greek artefacts have influenced our understanding of the past.

In PSHE, we can:
Identify how personal finance plays a part in people's lives.
Explain what is meant by the term 'manageable debt'.
Explain the importance of entrepreneurs for society.

In Computing we can:
Use technology safely, respectfully and responsibly.
Design and write programs that accomplish specific goals, including controlling or simulating physical systems.
Explain how a simple algorithm works