

# Fairfields Primary School

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Headteacher  
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Dear Parents & Carers,

## Year 5 - Ancient Greece Workshop

In history we will be learning about Ancient Greece. To help reinforce the learning about this, we have asked 'Portals to the Past' to come and work with the children. As part of the workshop children will learn about what life was like in Ancient Greece times, see a variety of artefacts and even get to try some on.

This will take place in school, during the day on **Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> October**. The PTFA have kindly covered 40% of this cost, therefore we would like to ask you for a non-refundable voluntary contribution of **£4.35** per child.

This is payable on School Gateway, our preferred method of payment. Permission to attend this workshop can also be given on School Gateway so there is no need to complete a separate permission slip. Please make payment by **Friday 26<sup>th</sup> September**.

If you are in receipt of Benefit Related Free School Meals, then the school will meet the full cost of this workshop. Please contact the school via email or message on School Gateway confirming that your child is eligible and give consent for your child to attend this workshop.

If you require financial support, then please contact the school for a Financial Support Request Form.

Additionally, to allow the children to enter into the spirit of being an Ancient Greek for the day, we would like to ask all children to dress up in an Ancient Greece style outfit for the day. We do not expect any expense to be made on costumes. A sheet with a belt (some form of trousers underneath) will work for a toga. Your child could also wear jeans with a shirt and be an archaeologist studying the Ancient Greeks.

If you have any questions, then please speak to one of us.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Vincent & Mr Gonzalez  
Osprey & Buzzard Classes

