

Maths

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Today we're going to keep working on time. First, for your fluency, a recap of what you learnt last week about the days of the week. Then for your reasoning, you need to use your knowledge of leap years.		
Fluency		Reasoning
Use a calendar to help you answer the questions. a) How many days are in each month in a normal		2020 is a leap year.
calendar year?		
January May	September	There are 365 days in the year 2020
February June	October	a) Do you agree with Rosie? Talk about it with a partner.
March July	November	
April August	December	·
There are modays in a leap year of the answers to will change	ır, so all part a)	b) When will the next three leap years be?
Do you agree with Tommy?		
Explain your answer.		

English

This week we're going to look at more Greek myths, but we're going to think about the types of characters we see in these stories. We already know that there is usually a competition between good and evil and that there is usually a hero in the stories. However, Greek myths are set in a mysterious time when gods and goddesses ruled Earth from their palace at the top of Mount Olympus (the tallest mountain in Greece). The King of all the Gods was called Zeus and he was extremely powerful. The Ancient Greeks believed that lightning was Zeus' weapon and that when they saw it in the sky, it was because Zeus was angry. Also, there were giants and monsters on Earth as well as people. Some of the myths tell us how things came to be. The myth we're going to look at today tells the story of how mankind discovered fire. I'm going to read it to you but also include it as a resource for you to read because today's story is presented as a comic strip so I'd like you to be able to look at it yourselves. What I'd like you to do is to answer these questions:

- 1. How is this myth different to the others we've looked at so far?
- 2. What do you think about Zeus' personality? Why do you think that?
- 3. Was Prometheus right to do what he did?

This story forms the first part of another myth too- we'll read that one on Wednesday...

Foundations Subject - Art

For the next two weeks, we are going to look at some Roman art. The Romans were famous for their mosaics. Mosaics are pictures made of tiny pieces of tile and were used to decorate walls and floors. In some places, we can still see examples of Roman mosaics. I've attached some information about mosaics and I'd like you to research examples of mosaics. See if you can see what type of pictures they were used to show. I've also added some sheets so you can design and colour some of your own mosaic designs if you are able to.