



Independent Learning Project Spring 1



Year 5



The Great, The Bold and The Brave

During the school holidays you may want to do some additional learning in preparation for your new unit 'The Great, The Bold and The Brave'. Below are some ideas but you can also let your imagination go wild! We would love to see what you do, maybe a poster, photos, a presentation, a model.... We hope you have lots of fun getting ready for your next bit of Learning!

The Great, The Bold and The Brave Summary

The history of western civilisation begins with the Greeks and the Romans. Their expanding empires helped to spread ideas about architecture, food, entertainment, literature, science, medicine and politics across the globe. As their empires ended, other cultures rose to prominence, absorbing and passing on their own ideas and cultures – creating the world we know today.

We will need to be historians, geographers, musicians and artists to investigate and develop our understanding of different historical civilisations and their impact on our world.

What were some of the biggest contributions of these civilisations? How do their legacies impact upon the world we live in today?

Project Ideas

- Create a fact file/poster about The Greeks or The Romans
- What have we learnt from The Greeks?
- What evidence of The Romans is still present today?
- What food did they eat during this time?
- How did the empires end?
- How have historians helped us to learn about the past?
- What instruments were played during these times?
- What is the biggest contribution of the Greeks/Romans to your life today?

What ideas do you have?

Please bring your projects in to school the first week back!