



St John Fisher RC Primary School

Year 5 Knowledge Organiser – Summer Term One – Geography and History

What we will be learning

I know:

Lesson 1 - Greece has the longest coastline in Europe and is bordered by seas including the Mediterranean. The country is well known for the thousands of islands.

Lesson 2 - The Ancient Greeks lived in Greece about 2,500 years ago. The Greeks believed that Gods and Goddesses looked after them.

Lesson 3 - Mount Olympus was thought to be the home of the Gods who watched over them. The Greeks built temples to their gods and goddesses.

Lesson 4 - Many tourists visit Greece and the Greek Islands because of the warm climate, beaches, the food, rich culture and history.

Key Knowledge:

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Key Facts to Remember

- Greece has the longest coastline in Europe.
- The Ancient Greeks lived in Greece about 2,500 years ago.
- The Greeks believed that Gods and Goddesses looked after them.
- Many tourists visit Greece.

Key Vocabulary and Glossary

Greece	Greece is a country in south eastern Europe with thousands of islands throughout the Aegean and Ionian seas.
Ancient Greece	Ancient Greece was a place and time in history, about 2,500 years ago, where a civilization called the Greeks thrived.
Athenian	People from the Greek city of Athens.
City State	A small area that ancient Greece was divided into with its own government, laws & army.
Mount Olympus	In Greek mythology, Mount Olympus is the home of the gods.
Tourist	A person who is travelling or visiting a place for pleasure.

