

Year 6 History Trip - British Museum - November 2022

We visited the British Museum to build upon our history learning in school. We are learning all about the Ancient Greeks – their lives and achievements and their lasting influence on aspects of our life and culture today.

We explored a room full of Ancient Greek pots which are a fantastic primary source, teaching us many things about both the Greek Gods and Goddesses, as well as what life was like in Ancient Greek times. Seeing the pots at the museum will inspire clay pots we will be making in school very soon.







We then had a workshop learning about who the figures are on the pots and vases and how to identify them. For example, Herakles (or Hercules) would always be shown holding a club, wearing a lion's skin and with a bow and arrow.

We then learnt about everyday life in Ancient Greece, using many other primary sources that the museum has on offer.