Year 2: The Olympics

Summer 2

Sequence of Learning

What was life like in Ancient Greece?

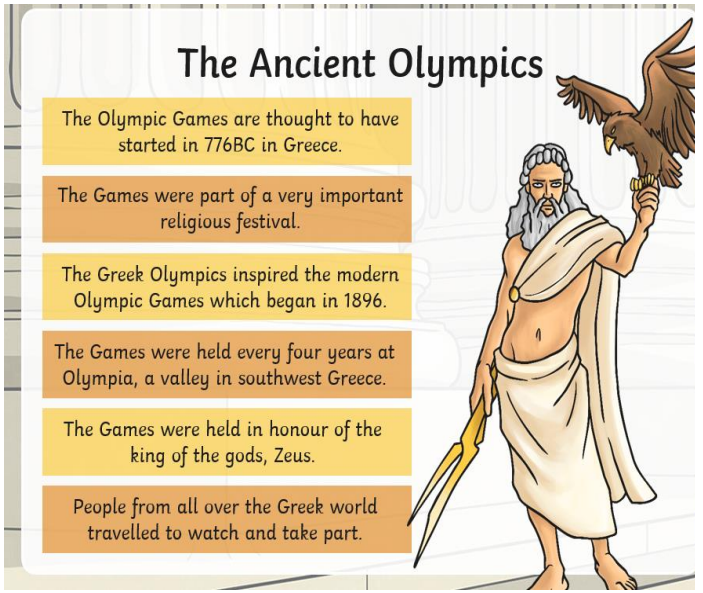
When and where did the Games begin?

What can pottery tell us about the Olympic Games in Greece?

What is the legacy of the Games?

Compare Olympics past and present.

Key Facts



Final Outcome:

Make a clay pot showing a sport from the Olympics today

Key Vocabulary

Ancient	A very distant past: a long, long time ago.
Olympia	In Southwest Greece, where the first Olympics were held
Zeus	King of the Gods
Spectators	People who watch the game/ race
Competitors	Athletes who take part in the sporting competitions

National Curriculum Key Skills

<u>Events beyond living memory that are significant nationally or globally:</u>

Understand and use the words past and present when telling others about an event

Describe the differences between then and now

Recount the main events from a significant event in history

Use artefacts to find out about the past

Ask and answer questions

Use timelines to order events