



# St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

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## Year 5 Ancient Greek Day Thursday, 9th November 2017

Dear Parents

On **Thursday, 9<sup>th</sup> November**, we have booked an all-day Ancient Greek workshop here at the school. During the day the children will have an opportunity to explore ancient Greek life and culture, re-enact Greek myths and discuss its impact on our lives today. The differences between the city states of Athens and Sparta are explored and the children will take a lesson in democracy, followed by a mini Olympic Games.

To stay with the theme, children will be allowed to come to school dressed in Greek costumes. Please see the attachment to this letter for ideas on how a costume can be made from old items you may have at home. Please do not go to any expense providing costumes. Making costumes from things already at home will be so much fun. If children have made a sword or shield for their ancient Greek project they can keep this with them for the day. *Please be aware they will only be allowed **cardboard weapons** on the day.*

We are asking for a contribution of **£9.00** towards the cost of the workshop. **Payment and consent for this workshop should be made online. Please note that we will no longer be accepting cash/cheques at the school office for events.** Payment is due by **Friday, 3rd November**. If you have not yet requested your online user code, please speak to the school office.

If you are able to help with the workshop on the day, either for part of the day or the full day, please let us know either by speaking to us in the playground or by email to the school office ([office@stjosephs.barnet.sch.uk](mailto:office@stjosephs.barnet.sch.uk)).

We look forward to a wonderful 'Greek' experience.

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely

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