

# Outstanding Olives Newsletter Summer 1

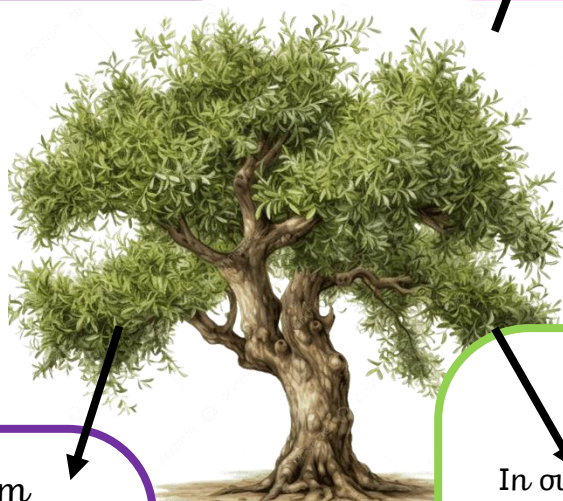
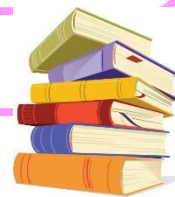
## Writing

In our writing lessons, we will be using 'Escape from Pompeii' as a stimulus to write a writing a historical narrative. We will also be writing a biography all about Boudicca, the Iceni Queen!

We will be working on features for entertaining the reader like fronted adverbials and description and features for informing the reader like subheadings and facts.

## Reading

In our shared reading lessons, we will be developing our skills by reading and understanding texts across a range of genres - both fiction and non-fiction. Our main focus will be on inference and retrieval skills. As well as improving our summarising and sequencing skills.



## Wider Curriculum

History – ancient civilisations (the Romans)  
DT – pavilions  
Science – states of matter  
PE- striking and fielding  
Music - Trumpets



## Maths

In our maths lessons this half-term, we will be developing our knowledge of fractions and understanding mixed numbers and improper fractions. We will also be learning about money and finding change.

We will also be practicing our multiplication tables daily ready for the MTC next term.



## Key Information

- **Read** at least 3 times per week
- Practise **spellings** on your colour each week
- Practise your **times-tables** or arithmetic skills each week
- Complete **MyMaths** homework
- **PE is on Tuesday and Thursday.**