History Year 3 Knowledge Organiser

Main Learning: Civilizations - Ancient Greeks

Key knowledge		
Know what the Ancient Greeks gave the world		
Know why the Ancient Greeks were more advanced than Ancient Britons		
Know what the Ancient Greeks introduced that we benefit from today		
Know how the Ancient Greeks were influenced by their Gods		
Know how important philosophy and democracy was in helping the Greeks to be remembered today		
Know what the main characteristics of the Spartans and the Athenians were		

Vocabulary		
philosophy	Is a way of thinking about the world, the universe, and society	
Athenians	Residents of the ancient city-state of Greece, Athens, in around the 5th century BC	
Spartans	Believed that strict discipline and a tough upbringing was the secret to making the best soldiers	
democracy	Allowing citizens to make their own decisions for their personal lives	
Zeus	The supreme God of the Olympians	
Olympics	The ancient Olympic Games were originally a festival, or celebration of Zeus	





