### English

Key texts: Greek Mythology

Using nouns, verbs, adjectives, time words and adverbs with varying sentence types and starters Noun Phrases

Story openings

Writing stories with beginning, build up, middle, end.

Writing speech

Persuasive sentences e.g. adverts

Diary writing from different perspectives

Chronological report

Biography

Interviews

#### Science

Understand that light can't pass through solid objects, which is why shadows form.

Know that shadows have the same shape as the object because light doesn't bend around it.

Know that light moves in straight lines and doesn't bend around objects.

Understand that light travels from a source, hits an object, and then travels to our eyes.

Understand that some things give off their own light (like the Sun or torches), and others reflect light (like a mirror).

# Maths

## Number

Place Value Addition and Subtraction

### Measurement

Capacity 2D shapes

## **Art and Design**

To develop techniques, including control and use of materials, with creativity, experimentation and an increasing awareness of different kinds of art, craft and design.

To create sketch books to record their observations and use them to review and revisit ideas

To improve their mastery of art and design techniques, including drawing, painting and sculpture with a range of materials [for example, pencil, charcoal, paint, clay]

About great artists, architects and designers in history.

# **Poplars Curriculum**

**Information – Spring 2** 

# History

Understand the difference between the past and present and describe simple features of themes, events and people from the past and present.

Consolidate and extend the use of words and phrases relating to the passing of time: history, a long time ago, thousands of years ago, ancient, in the past.

Respond to words/phrases that relate to the understanding of simple timelines: same, different, order, timeline.

# **Ancient Greece**



# PSHE - Changing and Growing

**RE** – Expressing joy, what makes us happy.

#### PE and Life Skills

Swimming Water confidence Water safety Dressing/Self-help skills Forest School

#### Music

Sing and play musically with increasing confidence and control. They should develop an understanding of musical composition, organising and manipulating ideas within musical structures and reproducing sounds from aural memory.

# Computing

Digital Art