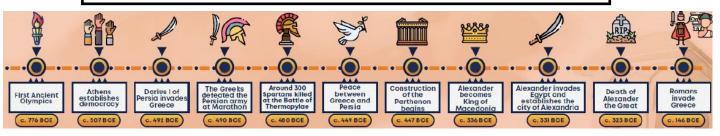
## Ancient Greece - History Y3



**Polytheistic** - The worship of many gods and goddesses.

**Mount Olympus** - The place where the Greeks believed that the Gods and Goddesses lived on earth.

**Myth** - A story that was told again and again over many years. Greek myths often feature the gods, creatures that are half human and half animal and monsters. These stories were often told by the Greeks to ex-

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**Olympics** - A religious festival held in honour of Zeus, attended by people from all over Greece.

Olympia - The city where the Ancient Greek Olympic games was held.

**City State** - An area around a city that had its own rulers, customs and laws. They often fought each other but sometimes joined together to battle foreign enemies.

Athens - A city state in Ancient Greece best known for its democracy.

Sparta - A city state in Ancient Greece best known for its military.



**Legacy** - Something that is left behind after we die that help people remember them.



**Parthenon** - A temple in Athens that was built to honour the goddess Athena.

Acropolis - A high point within a city.

**Parthenon (Elgin) Marbles -**Sculptures made from marble that decorated the Parthenon.