

Press Release

It's All Greek to Me!

Whilst Forms V & VI were away in Cornwall enjoying a week of activities, the girls of Form III and IV were not to be outdone and participated in a Greek Week at Seaton House. A full timetable of lessons were tailored to everything Greek from learning the alphabet and where Greece is on the map, to learning about Greek Theatre with an introduction to Theseus and the Minotaur and following a timeline of Ancient Greek History.

The girls made head-dresses of snakes to replicate the story of Medusa who by marrying Poseidon was cursed and changed from a beautiful woman into an ugly monster with snakes for hair.



The Aesop Theatre visited school and performed many of the famous fables much to the delight of the girls.



James Renshaw, author of 'In Search of the Greeks', former Seaton House pupil and now Head of Classics at Colet Court came and gave a fascinating insight into the lives of ancient Greek women and girls.



The week culminated with our own mini Olympic Games with competitions in discus and javelin as Athens competed with Sparta!

Headmistress, Mrs Debbie Morrison commented "this was a truly inspiring week for the girls with a diverse range of topics explored, stories re-enacted, artwork created and a mini Olympics staged, all culminating in an increased knowledge of the lives and times of Ancient Greece, which I know was enjoyed by everyone."



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