

Ancient Greece Fact-File with Ellie the Elephant

Learning objective: To identify and describe key features of life in Ancient Greece.

Ellie the Elephant is exploring the history of Ancient Greece! Help her record what you have learned by filling in the boxes below. Use the word bank to help you spell tricky words. Write in full sentences where you can.

Word bank: Athens · Sparta · Olympics · Pottery · Temples · Democracy · Greeks · Social Studies / History

1. Where did the Ancient Greeks live? Tell me about the cities they built. (2 marks)

2. What are the Ancient Olympics? Why do you think they were important? (2 marks)

3. Name one type of art or building that the Ancient Greeks were famous for. (2 marks)

4. What is 'Democracy'? Explain what you think it means in your own words. (2 marks)

Draw: Draw a picture of an Ancient Greek temple or an athlete taking part in the first Olympic games.



Extension challenge: If you could visit Ancient Greece, would you rather live in Athens or Sparta? Write one reason why.