

# Badgers Class Newsletter

Friday 11th October 2024

## What has been happening this week?

**In English**, the children have continued to enjoy their learning on the Adventures of Odysseus. This week we have read about him escaping from the deadly sirens. The children then wrote powerful persuasive speeches as Odysseus imploring his crew to never give up!

**In Maths**, the children have consolidated their skills in addition and subtraction, using both mental strategies and formal methods.

**In History**, we researched the history of the Olympic games. We found many fascinating facts, including that the competed naked and barefoot!

**In Science**, we learned about inherited characteristics, the idea of survival of the fittest and adaptation.

**In PE**, the children have begun a new topic of basketball. They are already becoming quite skilled!

## Celebrations & Pupil Voice

**Work on the Wall:** Erin and Archie for writing wonderful speeches as Odysseus!

### Headteachers Awards:

- Max for excellent effort in all subjects all week!
- Sasha for using her awesome art skills to contribute to our school displays!

**Pupil Voice:** "It's fun [playing Ukulele] getting to play and learn the notes." (Ava)

## Reminders & Messages

- Thursday 17th October Open Afternoon- All welcome- spread the word!
- Please return data forms ASAP. :)