## <u>Chestnut Class Years 5 and 6</u> Take Away Task - Summer 2024 (Due on or before 15/7/24)

Your task is to design and make a shield to represent one of the Olympian gods.

You must use a range of resources to help you learn about the god you have chosen and will need to explain to the class how the god is reflected in the design of your shield.

The Greeks thought the world around them was controlled by super-humans. The most important were the 12 Olympian gods.

Below is some information to help you choose one of the 12 gods of Olympus - the Olympians:

God	Symbol/s associated with them	<i>G</i> od	Symbol/s associated with them
Aprhodite - the goddess of love and beauty	sceptre myrtle dove	Hephaestus - god of fire and the forge	axe
Apollon - god of the sun, music and prophecy	bow lyre laurel	Hera – goddess of marriage	ornamental staff crown peacock
Ares - the god of war	spear	Hermes - god of travel and trade	staff with two snakes wrapped around it
Artemis - goddess of the hunt and the moon	bow deer	Hestia – goddess of the hearth/family life	winged boots
Athena – goddess of wisdom, war, the arts, industry, justice, skill and farming	goatskin (shield) owl olive tree	Poseidon - god of the sea	three-pronged spear horse bull
Hades - god of the underworld		Zeus - god of the sky and earth	thunderbolt eagle oak

If you need any help or resources please ask. Good Luck and enjoy! Mrs Tully

