



KNOWLEDGE ORGANISER-The Ancient Greeks

KEY VOCABULARY

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| Ancient | Something from a very long time ago. |
| Civilisation | A human society with well-developed rules and government, often where technology and the arts are considered important. |
| City States | Small areas that ancient Greece was divided into, each with their own governments, laws and army. |
| Empire | A group of countries or states that are ruled by one ruler or country. |
| Democracy | A system where the citizens of a country or state are involved in the way it is run. |
| Myth | A story from ancient times about something that happened long ago that some people believed to be true |
| Legacy | Thing that exists after someone dies or after a civilisation or event ends |
| Hellas | The Greek land |
| Homer | An important Greek writer |
| Zeus | The ruler of all Greek gods |
| Primary Source | Information and objects that come from the time being studied |
| Secondary source | Interpretations of information and objects which are produced after the time being studied. |

Key Knowledge - The legacy of Greek culture (art, architecture and literature) on later periods in British history, including the present day.



Examples of different Greek Architecture.

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A map showing the different states in Ancient Greece

A Phalanx

