

Take Home Task for Autumn 2020

This should be completed at home with your child as part of this term's topic. Any models **SHOULD NOT** be bigger than a piece of A4 paper, but they can be built from whatever you like, e.g. boxes, papier-mâché, modelling clay, etc. This term's task needs to be completed and brought into school by Monday 7th October.

Choose **ONE** of the following tasks to complete:

- **Research** one aspect of the Stone Age, or Bronze Age and produce a poster, PowerPoint, leaflet or booklet about it.
- **Research** volcanoes make a volcano (no bigger than an A4 base please) and explain how they are formed.
- **Plan** a walk around Toddington starting at the School and taking in some of the local landmarks, write directions for it and mark the route on a map.
- **Draw** a map of your house & garden, or your route to school – include a map key and symbols.

At home you can support your child by:

Watching history programmes about the Stone Age (Horrible Histories are good for that!).

Reading non-fiction texts about that period.

Research Stone Age life using the library, internet, or both!

Use the internet to find places of interest to visit on a walk around Toddington (The Library also has maps to buy).

Homework

Reading: Please continue to support your child with their reading at home, even if they are a free-reader. Remember, your child should be reading as regularly as possible, at least two or three times a week.

Spellings and Maths Homework will begin towards the end of September

Spellings: The children will continue to bring home a set of spellings each week in their Take Home Spellings book. We ask you to support your child to learn these at home. Spelling tests will be on a Wednesday morning.

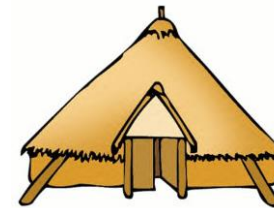
REMEMBER that the Home Spelling books should be brought into School every day and that work done at home in these books should be in by the following Tuesday to be marked.

Maths: Children will be given Maths Homework on a Wednesday to be handed in by Tuesday of the following week. This will usually be related to the Maths covered in class that week, a skills related task, or a challenge based on the area of Maths covered so far.

Year 3

Autumn Term 2020

The Stone Age Rocks!



Useful Information

Book changes: Children in Year 3 change their book independently in the classroom, selecting a book of their choice from the level they are on, when they have finished it. Free readers are able to choose books from the class Library. Please ensure that you sign your child's reading record (if applicable) and make a comment.

Library book changes: Wrens – Thursday
Robins – Wednesday

Swimming: will start after half term until Christmas.

Spellings and Maths Homework: will usually be given out on a Thursday, for the following Tuesday.

Success Shields: to be in on Tuesday for Wednesday celebration.

Take Home Tasks: details of the Take Home Tasks for this term are inside.

Literacy

The themes we will be studying this term in Literacy are:
Creating Images – using different words to enhance visual pictures.
Humorous poems.
Stories from Other Cultures.

Stories by the Same Author.

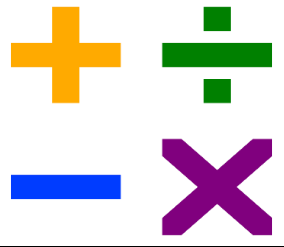
Instructions & Explanations (G&H)

Information Texts (LF).



Maths

Will include:
Recapping Year 2 work along with:
Number, place value & money.
Mental and written addition and subtraction methods.
Measuring in cm and m.
Collecting data and drawing bar charts.
Fractions – single and multiple fractions.
Mental & written methods of multiplication and division.



Science

1st & 2nd half - Rocks &



Volcanoes

– link to Pompeii and Mt. Vesuvius – for Romans in Summer Term



Theme

The children will build upon their Year 2 knowledge of the countries of the British Isles and name the capitals, oceans and seas around it.

1st half - Local Study – Toddington, mapping & map symbols. (G)

2nd half - Stone Age to Bronze Age. (H)



RE

1st half - Why do some people think life is like a journey?

How and why do people mark the significant events of life?

2nd half - What is the Trinity and why is it important to us?

Special day: Incarnation Day.



PE

Orienteering, ABC & Gymnastics. Swimming and Ball skills.



Computing

Coding, Online safety and Spreadsheets



Art & Design

Journeys & designing map symbols

Cave painting – & Banksy style art.



Design Technology

Pizzas & Pizza boxes. Making Pizza (LF)



Christmas decorations & food gifts.

Music



French

In French, the children will learn Introductions, greetings, numbers, colour & The Nativity.

