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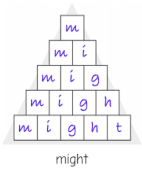
Year 4

Autumn 2: Learning opportunities: The Ancient Maya

Here are a variety of OPTIONAL activities which you may wish to do with your child out of school to support and extend their learning in school. Feel free to follow your own interests linked to The Maya

This page is designed to help you to 'Enjoy Learning Together at Home'. If your child would like to share any of these tasks with us, we'd be delighted to see their work.

Spelling



Practise spelling the year 3/4 statutory words using the suggested game below:

Spooky Spellings || Practise spelling Common Exception Words (ictgames.com)

You can use the games we have learnt in school which have been shared in the Spelling Strategies booklet.

If you would like another copy, please let us know.

Maths



TT Rockstars

Please continue to practise your times tables as much as possible!

You can go on TT Rockstars or try some of the websites below:
Times tables games - Learn them all here!

Hit the Button - Quick fire maths practise for 6-11 year olds (topmarks.co.uk)

Practise telling the time at home using an analogue clock. Try to tell the time to the nearest minute.



Writing



Do you know any Mayan myths? How could you retell this myth in an interesting way: using a comic strip, poem or story book. You could even act it out!

Handwriting

Choose a passage out of your reading book and write it out in your most beautiful joined handwriting.

Reading



Continue to read regularly at home and ask a grown up to support you by asking questions about what you have read.

Why not visit the library and use reference books to do some research of your own all about the Maya civilisation?

Please share with us any good books you have discovered.

Science - Electricity



Research a famous scientist who created an important electrical invention and present your findings.

Invent your own electrical item! Explain how it would be used, with pictures and labels.

Think about your usual day to day routine and record all the different ways you use electricity.

Write about how different your life would be without electricity. What would you miss the most?

Other projects and ideas

Make a fact file about one (or more) of the Mayan Gods.



Design and create a model of a Mayan temple.

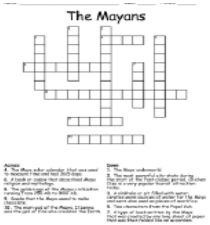




Mayans took great care in styling their hair. They would wear elaborate headdresses on top. Design or make your own Mayan headdress.



Make a travel brochure for an ancient Mayan city. What are the features? Why should people visit?



Create a crossword or wordsearch linked to the Mayans. Use vocabulary specific to the Mayans.