




KS2 Homework Menu Topic: North America



Children are expected to complete one task each week. They may choose the activity they want to do but must ensure they have completed at least one from each column by the last week of term. Homework books to be handed in by Friday 15th July, 2022

A English	B Maths	C Science	D Art/DT	E Humanities
<p>LO To write a letter to an imaginary pen friend in another country</p> <p>Write a letter to an imaginary friend in North America telling them about your life in England. Remember to talk about where you live, what there is to do, what you enjoy doing. And don't forget to ask them questions about their life too, maybe how is their weather different to ours etc. Decide what country or state of America you would send your letter to.</p>	<p>Working out time durations</p> <p>Make a list of TV programmes you enjoy watching. Write down what time the programme starts and what time it finishes (or what time you start watching and what time you finish watching). Can you work out how long the programme is? Repeat for other programmes (you can use a TV guide for this if you want to)</p> <p>Ext - can you list the times in 12 and 24 hour? Can you record the durations in minutes and hours and minutes?</p>	<p>Animals including Humans</p> <p>LO to identify types of teeth and what they're used for</p> <p>Use play doh/clay or similar to make a model of a human set of teeth. Are they baby teeth? Adult teeth? Wisdom teeth? Can you label the different types: incisors, canines and molars? If you can't make one, you could draw a diagram or make a Powerpoint/Slides presentation to share with your teacher. Take a photo of your finished model and stick it in your homework book.</p>	<p>Can you design and make a dream catcher. Research the history of them and look at the different materials that can be used to make them.</p> <p>eg https://www.warpaths2peacepipes.com/native-american-life/dream-catcher.htm</p> 	<p>• LO: To research a famous event in history</p> <p>• Find out about Thanksgiving and its importance to the American people. What are they celebrating and how do they celebrate?</p> <p>Design a menu for a Thanksgiving party? What food would you serve and what else might you do to celebrate that holiday?</p>
<p>• .</p> <p>LO: To write an adventure story</p> <p>Write a story about someone who gets caught up in some extreme weather or an earthquake. Your story can take any form that you like. For example it could be a science fiction story about a child who gets caught in a tornado and ends up in another world, or it can be about someone who is lost or who has lost something because of an earthquake or hurricane. It is completely up to you - have some fun with it.</p>	<p><u>Collecting Data</u></p> <p>What birds are most frequent visitors where you live? Collect and present data to answer this question. You will need to decide:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - How are you going to record your observations? - How much detail do you want to record? <p>Does it matter if we count birds in January or April, May or June? Why /why not? You could also find out which birds are threatened and why.</p> <p>LO: Interpret and present discrete and continuous data using appropriate graphical methods.</p>	<p>LO to know the main stages of the human digestive system</p> <p>Write a postcard/letter/diary using to describe the journey of a piece of food all the way through the human body from mouth to toilet!</p> <p>eg <i>Dear Family,</i> <i>I've just been cut up by sharp white boulders before being ground up by some different ones...</i></p> <p>Write in the first person. Make sure you describe the journey from the perspective of the piece of food. Use Science words (ie incisor, large intestine etc) if you prefer, to name organs and processes or simply describe them as a piece of food.</p>	<p>Find out and write about a famous North American artist or painting. We will be looking at the paintings of Georgia O'Keeffe in class, so maybe choose someone else. Have a go at recreating one of their famous paintings</p> <p>eg</p> <p>Most famous American artists</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Gilbert Stuart (1755–1828) ... 2. Frederic Church (1826–1900) ... 3. James Abbott McNeill Whistler (1834–1903) ... 4. Mary Cassatt (1844–1926) ... 5. John Singer Sargent (1856–1925) ... 6. Edward Hopper (1882–1967) ... 7. Georgia O'Keeffe (1887–1986) ... 8. Jackson Pollock (1912–1956) 	<p>Research a country of North America. Create a leaflet about that country encouraging people to visit.</p> <p>L.O. To research the leisure facilities of different counties of North America.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Select and research one country • Create a leaflet. • Explain why you would go there. • Suggest activities or places to go to explore