




Year 4 Homework Term 1 'The Ancient Mayans'



Maths	Reading	Writing	SPaG	Additional activities	
TT Rockstars practice KNOW YOUR TIMES TABLES  See reflective work set every other week via class dojo	Accelerated reading daily Read every day - AR or a book of your choice providing it is the correct book level. (Use www.arbookfind.co.uk to check the level of your own books)	See reflective work set every other week via class dojo (this may include SPaG elements too).	Spelling practise from lists given Read and spell every word spelt incorrectly in cold test using the menu choices uploaded on Dojo. (Use the spicy menu if scoring full marks on cold test each week)	History/ Geography Research, make and try xocolatl, the Mayan chocolate drink. Compare it to modern hot Chocolate. Post pictures of your facial expression when tasting it!!	RE Design an illustrated poster explaining the story of creation.
				Design and Technology Make a Mayan sculpture. Use any materials you like - card, paper, fabric, cake, wood, plastic, chocolate...	Music Find out about Mayan musical instruments. What were they made out of? What sort of sounds did they make? When did they listen to or play music?
				Art and Design Research and cook something using chocolate. Could you find a recipe for something savoury using chocolate? Post your pictures on dojo.	Science Create a body box that shows the digestive system (oesophagus, intestines, stomach etc. This could be done in a shoe box.
<p>Children should complete reading daily and take a minimum of 3 quizzes per term, aiming for 80% accuracy to receive homework golden time. They can take the tests at home using this website: https://ukhosted59.renlearn.co.uk/1892799/</p> <p>Spellings and times tables should be completed every week.</p> <p>Feel free to choose any of the other activities in the grid or the reflective activity each week to complete 4 pieces in total over the term.</p> <p>Metacognition - talk about your learning; Growth Mindset - FAIL - First attempt in learning; Philosophy for Children - Purpose for learning.</p>				Physical Education Research and create a poster of the sport 'Pok-a-Tok' that the Ancient Maya used to play. What is it? What are the rules? How do you play it? How is it different and/or similar to games we play today?	SMSC - Spiritual, moral, social and cultural thinking. 