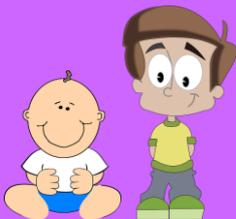


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SUMMER TERM – History

Early Years

- Draw a picture of yourself as a baby and now - How have you changed?
- What was your favourite toy/object as a baby? Draw and describe it.
- Draw a dinosaur and where it would live.
- Design an old treasure map - what would the treasure be?



Year One This term our focus for history is: The Seaside. We would like you to:

- Design a lighthouse. What were lighthouses used for and what do you think it would be like to live in one?
- Design a brochure about seaside holidays. Why do people go to the seaside? Did your older relatives go to the seaside when they were little?
- Make a puppet for a seaside puppet show (use items such as old washing up bottle, socks, cardboard).



Year Two This term our focus for history is: 'Great Explorers'. We would like you to

- Design the ideal outfit for an explorer. Explain what you have chosen and why - remember to think about where your explorer will be travelling (e.g. desert / Artic or Space).
- Write a diary entry about your day as an explorer - what would you hope to discover?
- Watch this clip - Explorers Song - sing the words to the tune.
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uWC MsOt0DAY> Now write your own song lyrics about what it takes to be a great explorer.

Year Three This term our focus for history is: 'Ancient Egypt.'

- Design an information poster about the River Nile. Why was it so important to Ancient Egypt?
- Research about Cleopatra - write a fact file about her. Include drawings.
- Build a model of a pyramid (cardboard, lego, sugar cubes) design the inside of your pyramid - what rooms and items would be inside?
- Create your own Egyptian god/goddesses - why would Egyptians pray to your god? Watch this clip
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zg87xnb/articles/z4m8pg8>

Year Four This term our focus for history is: 'Romans and how their arrival changed Britain'. We would like you to:

- Design your own Roman Villa and describe the features that it would have.
- Create a poster recruiting people to join the Roman army - how were they paid? Where would they travel? What would it be like?
- Research which roads that exist today are originally Roman Roads? Write a report on what you discovered.



- Design your own Mosaic tile.

Year Five - this term our history focus is "The Story of the Trojan Horse: fact, legend or myth?"

- Design an information poster explaining the difference between fact, legend and myth. Use some examples that relate to Ancient Greece.
- Create your own Olympics - what sporting events would you have, where would your Olympics be held? Create a brochure advertising your Olympic event.
- Write your own myth or legend - write as a story or a comic strip.
- Using recycling materials at home make



your own Greek temple.

Year Six This term our focus for history is: "Why did Britain once rule the largest Empire..":

- Research a country that was in the British Empire - create a factfile or information poster about that country.
- Why do you think that a lion was used as a symbol of the British Empire? Create your own symbol and explain what it represents.
- Watch this short video <https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/history-ks3-gcse-what-legacy-has-the-british-empire-left-behind/zmyvrj6> (there are more available) Write a balanced argument about the negative and positive impacts of the British Empire

Please remember to ask an adult for help and use a safer search engine when doing research online.

