

Year 1 Spring Homework Projects

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Y1 Science – Spring
Choose from the following ideas:

Everyday Materials:

- **Sorting Task:** Find five different materials at home and describe what they are used for.
- **Design Challenge:** Build a model house using different materials and explain why you chose them.

Animals:

- **Fact File:** Choose an animal and describe what it eats, where it lives, and how it moves.
- **Creative Task:** Create a mask of your favorite animal.



Y1 History – Spring
Choose from the following ideas:

Year 1 Homework Challenges - The Great Fire of London

Choose one of the homework challenges to complete this half term as we learn about The Great Fire of London.

Make a tudor house.



Make a poster to show what you know.

The Great Fire of London

 <p>The Great Fire of London happened between the 2nd and the 5th September in 1666.</p>	 <p>People had to live in tents because their houses had been burnt down.</p>
 <p>The fire began in a bakery on Pudding Lane.</p>	 <p>Sir Christopher Wren designed a monument to remember the Great Fire of London.</p>
 <p>Many houses were made from wood and straw.</p>	 <p>More than 70,000 people were made homeless.</p>
 <p>People used leather buckets, metal hooks and water squirters to put out the fire.</p>	 <p>When houses were rebuilt, a lot of them were made with bricks instead of wood.</p>
 <p>The fire lasted four days, and burned down over 13,000 homes.</p>	 <p>It hadn't rained for 10 months so the city was very dry.</p>

Year 2 Spring Homework Projects

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Y2 Science – Spring
Choose from the following ideas:

Uses of Materials

- **Observation:** List everyday objects and identify the materials they are made from.
- **Recycling Task:** Design a poster encouraging people to recycle materials.

Observation:

- Explore your garden or local park to find different mini-beasts and draw them.
- **Creative Task:** Make a model of an insect hotel using recycled materials.

Y2 DT – Spring
Choose from the following ideas:

Y2 - DT Homework Project

Over this half term our DT lessons are all about fruit and designing and creating your own fruit kebabs. Please choose one of the following tasks to complete.

Fruit Rainbow

Can you create a fruit rainbow?

Think about what fruit to include. Use the techniques you have learnt in school to chop, grate or slice the fruit.



3D Paper Fruit

Can you make your favourite fruit?

Think about what fruit to is your favourite. What colours would you need? How could you fold the paper?



Fruit Poster

Can you make a poster about fruit?

It could be about:

- The importance of eating fruit
- How to make a fruit Kebab
- What different fruits there are



Y2 History – Spring
Choose from the following ideas:

Neil Armstrong & Amelia Earhart

1. Make a model version of Apollo 11 or Amelia Earhart's plane.
2. Design a poster explaining the achievements of either person.
3. Create a leaflet about the life of Neil Armstrong or Amelia Earhart.
4. Draw a portrait of either person.



Year 3 Spring Homework Projects

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Y3 Science

Choose from the following ideas:

Organisms:

- **Creative Task:** Create a "fact file" on an unusual plant or animal.
- **Observation:** Go on a nature walk and record different types of plants and animals you see.

Plants:

- **Experiment:** Plant a seed and keep a growth diary with drawings or photos.
- **Creative Task:** Design a new type of plant and explain its special features.

Y3 Art – Spring:

- | This half term, we have been creating Chinese paper willow lanterns.
- | Can you use recyclable materials to create a lantern of your own?



Year 3 Geography, choose one of the following ideas:

Write a fact file about a volcano

Research one of the world's mountain ranges

Identify the biggest mountain ranges and volcanoes in the world on a map



Build your own volcano! Use your imagination and see how creative you can be.

Discover more about an earthquake. Can you find out where and when one occurred and what it measured on the richter scale?

Year 4 Spring Homework Projects

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Y4 Science – Spring
Choose from the following ideas:

States of matter:

- **Experiment:** Observe how water changes from ice to liquid to steam and record findings.
- **Creative Task:** Write a story about a water droplet's journey through different states of matter.

Sound:

- **Investigation:** Find different objects around the house that make different sounds and explain how they work.
- **Creative Task:** Make a homemade musical instrument and explain how it produces sound.

Y4 DT – Spring
Choose from the following ideas:



Design and Technology

Can you use your risk taking abilities to try 3 healthy foods that you have never tried before at home?

Make sure to record your findings:

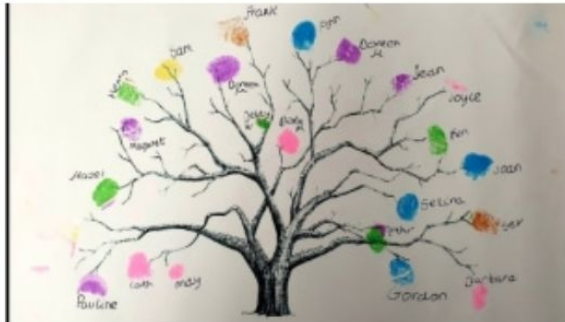
- *What you tried*
- *What you found appealing/unappealing about them*
 - *The taste/texture*
- *Finally, if you liked it/ thought it was ok/ didn't like it.*

Y4 Geography – Spring
Choose from the following ideas:

Geography



Create a people tree, stretching out from you. Think about the **migration** of your loved ones. Have you **migrated** from any different countries? Have you **migrated** within the UK? Include this on your tree.



Remember - a people tree can be made up of the people you live with who care for you or your family.

Year 5 Spring Homework Projects

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Y5 Science – Spring

Choose from the following ideas:

Life Cycles

- **Research:** Choose an animal and create a life cycle poster.
- **Creative Task:** Draw or model the different stages of a butterfly's life cycle.

Human Development

- **Research Task:** Interview a family member about how they have changed over time and write a short report.
- **Creative Task:** Make a timeline showing the different stages of human life.

Y5 Art – Spring

Choose from the following ideas:

Tudor Portraits

1. Create a piece of art work inspired by Gustav Klimt
2. Design a mood board based on the work of Gustav Klimt
3. Draw a portrait of Henry VIII using your knowledge of facial features in proportion



1. Create a 3D model of a rainforest, explaining the different layers
2. Write an information leaflet about the African savanna, describing the conditions
3. Write a holiday brochure for thrillseekers who are looking to visit the Canadian Rockies
4. Create a fact file on an animal which is specific to the biome of your choice



Year 5 Geography - Spring Term - Biomes

Year 6 Spring Homework Projects

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Y6 Science – Spring

Choose from the following ideas:

Light

- **Experiment:** Investigate how shadows change at different times of the day.
- **Creative Task:** Make a shadow puppet theatre and create a short play.

Further Classification

- **Sorting Task:** Collect pictures of different animals and classify them into groups.
- **Creative Task:** Create a new imaginary creature and classify it based on its features.

Y6 DT – Spring

Choose from the following ideas:

Year 6 Design Technology Homework Project

Can you use recycled materials to design a toy with pulleys?

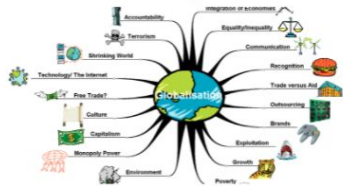


Y6 Geography – Spring
Choose from the following ideas:

Geography - Globalisation

Option 1:

Create a mind map showing all the items that you use in a day and where in the world they were produced and exported from.



Option 2:

Create a fact file following the journey of one good or service from its original country. Possibly discuss the impact of it being imported on consumers and labourers.



Option 3:

Create a poster advertising the goods and services that Britain produces and exports to countries across the world. What are the UK's largest exports?

