

We are excited to offer a variety of homework activities this term, all connected to our curriculum topics. You are welcome to complete as many as you would like, but we kindly ask that you try at least three. If homework is not for you, that is perfectly fine too. When you are ready to share your work, please email it to our class address at year3@bgl.org.uk. Alternatively, feel free to speak with the class teacher; if appropriate, we can arrange a special "Show and Tell" opportunity. Our goal is to make homework fun, manageable and purposeful. If you have any questions or need help, your teacher is always ready to support you. We cannot wait to see your creativity and efforts! Best of luck and most importantly, have fun!

Geography:

Research one famous volcano, such as Mount Vesuvius, Mount Etna or Mount St Helens. Create a newspaper article containing the information:
Where is it?
When did it last erupt? What happened?
Is it still active?

Science: Rocks

Find some different rocks from your local area. For each rock:

- Draw or take a photo of it
- Describe its colour
- Is it rough or smooth?
- Is it hard or soft?
- Can you see any grains or crystals?

Geography:

Create your own erupting volcano!

You will need:

- A small plastic cup or yoghurt pot
- Cardboard or tray
- Newspaper and tape (optional)
- 2-3 spoonfuls bicarbonate of soda
- 100-150ml vinegar
- Washing up liquid
- Food colouring
- A small amount of water

Song time!

Time to have some musical fun. Choose one of the topics you have found out about. Can you put what you've learnt into a song? You can use this app to do it:
www.suno.com

Science: Animals including Humans

Think about what you have eaten today. Create an Eatwell plate, drawing or writing your foods into the correct categories.

History: Write in Role

Imagine if you found a time machine and travelled back in time to the Stone Age. Write a short story based on this, describing what happened when you arrived in the Stone Age and how you get back home!

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History: Stone Age

Draw and list animals that existed during the Stone Age.

Create a Stone Age recipe, think of ingredients that were available during that time.

Art: Prehistoric Art

Create your own paint using water, flour and any natural materials you can find (e.g. grass, flowers, coffee, soil)

Make a handprint using paint, just like on a cave wall! You could repeat a pattern or ask your family to join in.

Science: Write a biography

As part of our Science topic, we will be studying the famous palaeontologist Mary Anning. Write a biography including key facts about her life and her most famous discoveries!

Reading Suggestions

Escape from Pompeii – Christina Balit
Stone Age Boy – Satoshi Kitamura
The Boy with the Bronze Axe – Kathleen Fidler
Stig of the Dump – Clive King
How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth – Kate Hindley and Michelle Robinson