

Year 3 Home Learning

Wider Curriculum

This half term, our topics are:

Geography - Mountains

Science - Rocks

History - Cradles of civilization - Ancient Sumer.

Proper Project

Research an ancient civilization of the world, apart from Ancient Egypt or Ancient Sumer.

Find out where this civilization began and why. What can you tell us about life in this civilization? How does it compare to Ancient Egypt? Did they believe in the after-life? Did they construct anything like the pyramids? Did they have their own form of writing?

Show on a timeline where this civilization fits in and think about interesting facts you could tell your class.

Maybe you want to write some information up as a factsheet, make a leaflet, or perhaps you could make a PowerPoint presentation on the computer for us to look at together.

Create 'n Make

Make a mountain!

Choose a famous mountain to learn about. Here are some ideas: Snowdon, Mount Everest, Ben Nevis or Mount Kilimanjaro.

Find out a few facts about this mountain, i.e. where in the world it is, if people climb it and how long it might take etc.

Create a model of the mountain. You could use papier mâché, cardboard boxes, Lego...anything that you have at home. You could bring this model in, or take a photo and bring it in to display on the wall.



Experiment! Learn all about the rock cycle using chocolate! Watch the

video and then see if you can have a go. [video](#)

(unfortunately the sound isn't always great)



Websites to visit...

Science:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z9bbkqt>

Geography:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z849q6f/articles/z4g3qp3>

<https://www.theschoolrun.com/homework-help/mountains>

History:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/history-ks2-introducing-ancient-sumer/zmgvkv7>

<https://www.theschoolrun.com/homework-help/ancient-sumer-and-mesopotamia>