

Year 4 Project Home work



For our project homework for this half term, we would like children to complete a project looking at how Roman soldiers protected themselves.

You could:

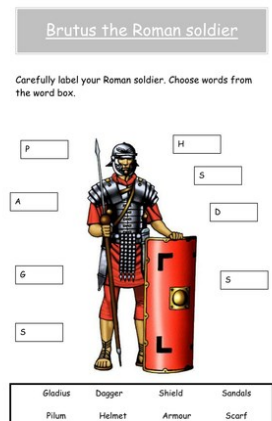
- Draw a picture of a Roman soldier and label their equipment, describing how it protects them
- Make a 3D model of a Roman shield or helmet.
- Dress up as a Roman soldier and take photo!
- Write about the Roman army and their strategies in battle.

Useful website:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zqbnfg8>

<https://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/romans/soldiers.html>

<https://historyforkids.org/roman-soldiers/>



Weekly Homework:

Read 4 times a week, to be recorded in your reading record.

Times Table Rockstars

15 minutes on Garage, 2 minutes on Studio

(login is in the front cover of your reading record)

Spellings

We will send home spellings for your child to practice. Attached to this sheet is a set of activities that you can choose from each week to help your child practise their spellings in a more fun and interactive fashion.

Please choose 2 activities to complete each week. To evidence this please sign and date the spelling book and write which activities you completed.

Project due Monday 15th December

Thank you for supporting your child with their homework,

Mrs Longland Mrs Maltby Miss Jennings

Morse Code

Use Morse Code to spell your words.
It is a series of dots (1 count) and dashes (3 counts). Check out this site, <http://www.morsecode.dutch.nl/alphabet.html> to see the international (NATO) Morse Code so you can practice!

Scrabble!

Use Scrabble tiles to spell out your spelling words.
For a little extra math practice, figure out the point value of each of your words!

Flash Writing

In a darkened room, use a flashlight to write your spelling words in the air.

Have a partner read your words as you write them OR your partner can "flash write" the words and your job is to read.

Delicious Words

Spray a small amount of whipped cream (or anything else you can eat) on a plate and spread it out.

Write your spelling words and be sure to clean up afterwards...

Rainbow Write

First write each word in pencil. Then trace over each word three times. Each time you trace, you must use a **DIFFERENT** colour crayon. Trace neatly and you will see a rainbow!

Silly Sentences

Write silly sentences using a spelling word in each sentence. Please underline your spelling words! Write neatly!

Example: My dog wears a blue and purple dress when he takes a bath.

Hidden Words

Draw and colour a picture. Hide your spelling words inside your picture.

Show your picture to someone and see if they can find your hidden words!

Backwards Words

Write your spelling words forwards and then backwards. Write neatly!

Example: where erehw

Practice Test

Take a practice test. Have your Mom or Dad ask you to spell your spelling words.

Write them on a list. Check your practice test and correct any missed words. *This would be an especially good activity to complete on Thursday night.*

Sound Words

Use a voice recorder to record your spelling words and their spelling. Then play it back and listen to it, checking to see that you spelled all the words correctly.

Spelling Baseball

Draw four bases on a piece of paper or lay out four pillows to be the bases.

The pitcher selects a word. If the batter can spell the word correctly, he moves forward one base.

A point is earned every time you pass home plate.

Words Without Consonants

Write your spelling words on a list but replace all the consonants with a line. Then go back to the beginning of your list and see if you can fill in the correct missing consonants.

Spelling Bee

Practice your spelling words in Spelling Bee style.

Spell your words out loud to a parent or sibling.

Words Without Vowels

Write your spelling words on a list but replace all the vowels with a line. Then go back to the beginning of your list and see if you can fill in the correct missing vowels.

Spelling Flashcards

Make a set of flashcards to practice your spelling words. When you look at your flashcard, read the word and then spell it out loud.

**Example- there t-h-e-r-e.*

Make Some Music

Write a song or rap that includes your words!
Share with a friend or family member.