Year Five Topic Homework



To be handed in before Tuesday 3rd June.

<u>Asia</u>

Our learning journey this half-term takes us to the fascinating continent of Asia. Here are some homework ideas. Be as creative as you like, but there must be some written work with each project please.

- Asia fact file/ booklet. Find out about the countries in Asia and their capital cities. Look at how many people live there (population), flags, languages, religions, food.
- Map work. Where is Asia? On a blank map, label the countries in Asia and name their capital cities. (See me if you need a map)
- Mountains. Find out about Mount Everest, how high is it? Who were the first people to reach the top? This book is good: Mount Everest
- Famous landmarks. Research famous landmarks in Asia. You could present your findings as a poster.
- Wildlife in Asia. Find out about some of the animals that live in Asia. You could paint or draw some of them. Or you could make a fact file about them. You could even do a David Attenborough style presentation to explain where the animals live.
- Rangoli art. Draw or paint some rangoli patterns. You could make one using coloured sand or rice. Find out about the Hindu festival of Diwali.
- Japanese writing. Find out about calligraphy. Research some words or phrases to share with the class.
- Musical instruments of Asia. Research the instruments found in Asia. What are they made of and how are they played?
- Visit Asia. Create a tourist information leaflet to persuade people to go on holiday there. Where would they visit? You could even present this as an advert for radio or television.
- Asian food. Prepare and cook an Asian meal at home with an adult. Take a photo to share with the class. What did you like best? Create an Asian menu card.

You could use BBC Bitesize: Asia to help, there is also the documentary Asia on I Player.

We look forward to sharing your findings with the rest of the class after half-term.