

The Bellbird Primary School 'Soaring to Success'

Year 4 Home Learning Autumn – Ancient Maya

Daily / Weekly

- **Reading:** please continue to read with your child every day, ask them questions to check they understand what they are reading and make notes/sign in their reading records. In Year 4 we also encourage the children to keep a record of what they have read.
- **Mathletics:** weekly tasks will be set to support the learning we are doing in class. They will have times table practice cards to use at home and in school. They should also regularly practise their times tables on TT rockstars, Hit the Button, Mathsframe and Purple Mash. All log ins are their reading records.
- **Spellings:** Spellings for each half term will be sent home in a booklet on the first Friday. Spelling tests will be weekly on Fridays and there is an additional optional activity of choosing three of the words to write in sentences. Booklets should be brought in on the day of the final test.

Subject related activities

We would like you to complete at least 3 of these (but you can do more!)

- Create your own Maya temple
- Draw a map of Mesoamerica, labelling the different countries
- Create a simple quiz about the Maya civilisation
- Create a poster using information we have learnt in school or you have researched yourself
- Create a timeline of Ancient Maya history
- Make some authentic Maya hot chocolate!
- Create your own version of a Maya calendar
- Play the game Pika
- Create your own electrical invention (on paper!)
- Learn a song in French
- Learn a poem off by heart
- Create your own chocolate bar and design its wrapper

These can be brought into school at any time before **Wednesday 21st December** and will be shared each week on a Friday.

Have fun!

Mrs Thorpe, Mrs Chivers and Miss Lang