

Year 4 Weekly Homework – Week 4

Topic: Anglo Saxons

Your homework is your choice! There are 9 challenges to choose from below. Please try and complete 6 challenges this week.

Challenge 1 (Literacy)

Fronted Adverbials

Fronted adverbials are the words or phrases at the beginning of a sentence to describe the action that follows e.g. **As soon as she could**, Tracey ran out to play.

Watch this clip as a reminder on what fronted adverbials are.
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zwwp8mn/articles/zp937p3>

Have a go at these questions. You need to rearrange the sentences so that the fronted adverbial is at the beginning. Remember to put a comma after your fronted adverbial.

1. The train is due to leave the station in five minutes.
2. I am going to the zoo later today.
3. The slimy slug crawled along the path slowly.
4. The chef washed his dishes carefully.
5. Joe tiptoed down the stairs without making a sound.
6. Ellie goes to the gym twice a week.
7. John flew his kite at the edge of the beach.
8. The snow covered peaks could be seen in the distance.

Challenge 4 (History)

Anglo Saxons

To help you begin to understand who the Anglo Saxons were, have a go at researching these questions:

1. When did the Anglo-Saxons invade Britain?
2. Where did they come from?
3. How long did the Anglo Saxons stay in England?
4. Where did they choose to settle in Britain?

<http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/saxons.htm>

Extension: The days of the week we still use have been named after Anglo Saxon gods. Can you find out what they are?

Challenge 2 (Art)

The Anglo Saxons used brooches to help keep items of clothing together. They were known for being round, jewelled and using natural colours (e.g. gold, red, blue, green)

Have a go at designing your very own Anglo Saxon Brooch!

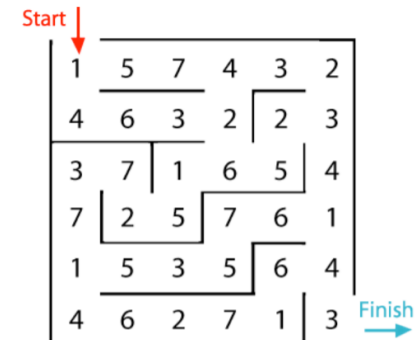


Challenge 3 (Maths)

Maze 100

In this maze there are numbers in each of the cells. You go through adding all the numbers that you pass. You may not go through any cell more than once.

Can you find a way through in which the numbers add to exactly 100?



Challenge 5 (Maths)

Watch the videos and try the first 2 interactive videos before completing this task on rounding to the nearest 10, 100 and 1000.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zjf492p>

Remember, if the digit is 4 or less round down. If the digit is 5 or more, round up.

Eg. 1372 to the nearest 10 = 1370
 1372 to the nearest 100 = 1400
 1372 to the nearest 1000 = 1000

Task: shorturl.at/FLN02

Challenge 6 (Science)

This half term we would have been starting a new Science topic looking at living things. One of the things we would have done is go on a bug hunt to see what different insects we could find.

If it is safe to do so, go on a bug hunt around your garden/yard or nearby open space. Make a tally chart of the insects you find!

	On bark	On plants	In the sky	In the soil	Under Rocks
dragon fly					
snail					

Extension: Insects are known as invertebrates. Find out what the word invertebrate means!

Challenge 7 (Computing)

We're all having to spend more time indoors at the moment which means we are probably using computers/tablets or phones to use the internet more.

We must make sure we remember how to stay safe when we are online.

Have a go at the following game which asks you questions on what you should do in some online situations.

https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/8_10/



Challenge 8 (P.E.)

Have a go at the BBC SuperMovers videos. There are some great ones to help you learn your times tables.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/supermovers/ks2-maths-collection/z7frpg8>

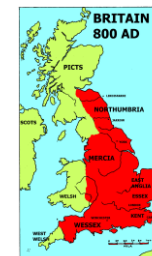


Extension: Make up your own routine to learn a times table you might struggle with.

Challenge 9 (Geography) Anglo Saxon Place Names

Across the UK there are still many towns and cities named from when the Anglo Saxons settled there. Using a UK map, how many towns/cities can you find that end in:

-ton
-ham
-wich
-burh



Remember:

- Weekly spellings are also posted on the school website.
- Keep practising your times tables using Times Table Rockstars.
- Find a book you enjoy reading on Bug Club or at home. Can you read a paragraph out loud with expression to your grown up?