



Independent Learning Project Autumn 1

Year 4



Temples, Tombs and Treasures

During the school holidays you may want to do some additional learning in preparation for your new unit 'Temples, Tombs and Treasures'. Below are some ideas but you can also let your imagination go wild! We would love to see what you do, maybe a poster, photos, a presentation, a model.... We hope you have lots of fun getting ready for your next bit of Learning!

Temples, Tombs and Treasures Summary

We will be learning about who the first Ancient civilisations were, where they settled in the world and why they chose that particular place. We will look at how these civilisations grew rapidly and lasted for thousands of years. We will explore what their family life was like, how they communicated their life, their religion, traditions and beliefs, who ruled these civilisations, their tombs- how they were built, why they were built and the process of making a mummy! We will investigate the treasures and paintings left behind in these tombs and how this can tell us about life in the past. We will look at their stories and retell these stories with music and compare life in the past to life today. We will need to be historians, artists, geographers and musicians.

Project Ideas

- Was the life of a child different in Ancient Egypt to your life?
- Find out about a tradition from Ancient Egypt.
- Where is Egypt?
- Plan a holiday to Egypt. Where would you visit?
- Write Your Own Ancient Egyptian Myth.
- Draw an Egyptian Mask.
- Make Your Own Ancient Egyptian Bread.
- Write Your Name in Hieroglyphs.
- Make a Pyramid Out of Cardboard.

What ideas do you have?

Please bring your projects in to school the first week back!