

Home Learning Challenges - Wider Curriculum KS1

Materials at Home

History – My family through time

Art

Home Survey

Look around your home.
Can you find 5 things that are made from wood, 5 from metal, 5 from glass, 5 from plastic, 5 from card? Write a list of each.

Could be made from

Complete the sentences. Use these words – wood, metal, plastic, glass, card, rock, fabric
A spoon could be made from . . .
A cup could be made from . . .
A coat could be made from . . .
A house could be made from . . .

Family Tree

A family tree is a map showing everyone in your family. It could look like this one. Could you create your own family tree?

Shape Picture

Can you create a picture using only one kind of shape? What can you create? Can you create another one using a different kind of shape?

Bend or Break

Take your list from the home survey. Think about what would happen if you tried to fold them. Group your items into 'things that I think will bend' and 'things that I think will break'

Bend or Break 2

With help from someone at home, gather 6 things that you are allowed to try to fold. (paper, an old packet, a biscuit, a plastic spoon, a wooden tooth-pick, kitchen foil etc.) Try to fold them. Record which bend and which break.

My life timeline

Create a timeline of your life. Include when you were born, when you started school, when your brothers or sisters were born, other important dates in your life. There's some more ideas below.

Family Story

MY FAMILY TREE

Talk to member of your family on the phone – maybe a grandparent. Ask them what it was like when they were a child. Write down some of the things that happened when they were a child.

Sculpture

Gather empty packets, boxes and containers. Use them to create a sculpture (model) of a person. If you have paint, you could paint your sculpture.

Could be used for

Complete the sentences with 3 ideas for each one.

Wood could be used to make ...

Metal could be used to make ...

Rock could be used to make ...

Plastic could be used to make ...

Fabric could be used to make ...

Water Resistance

With help from someone at home, gather 6 things that you are allowed to get wet.
Put each one under a tap. Does it stop the water coming through or not? Record your results.

A long time ago

Find out where your family lived a long time ago.
Can you find out what life would have been like for your family long ago?
Write down some ideas.

Family Portrait

Draw a picture of everyone in your family.

Book Illustrations

Draw some new illustrations for the book you are reading. Don't copy the pictures that are already in there; create some new ones of your own.









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