

Homework Menu - How does the world celebrate?

Languages, Literacy and Communication	Mathematics and Numeracy	Science and Technology						
<p>EPIC Challenge</p> <p>At the start of this half term we wrote discussions to answer the question 'Should we chop down the rainforest?'</p> <p>Write a short discussion to answer the following question - 'Is Christmas better than Halloween?'</p> <p>Remember to organise your writing into the following sections:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Introduction 2) Arguments for and against 3) Conclusion - with your opinion 	<p>EPIC Challenge</p> <p>There are lots of different celebrations around the world and there is at least one in each month of the year.</p> <p>Create a calendar of celebrations. Can you find one for each month of the year and for a range of religions?</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Name of Celebration</th><th>Date</th><th>Who celebrates it?</th></tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td> </td><td> </td><td> </td></tr> </tbody> </table>	Name of Celebration	Date	Who celebrates it?				<p>EPIC Challenge</p> <p>Use your amazing ICT skills to prepare a presentation about a celebration of your choice.</p> <p>Share it with me on one drive and then you will be able to present it to the class in school.</p>
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Health and Well-Being	Humanities	Expressive Arts						
<p>At special times, food is an important part of the celebrations. However, most of the celebrations are about eating lots of food or mostly unhealthy food.</p> <p>If you were to make up a celebration, what healthy foods would you include on the menu?</p> <p>Create a healthy menu for your own special celebration.</p>	<p>Each religion has its own celebrations and they take place at different times of the year.</p> <p>Choose one of the religions below and find out about their most important celebrations.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Islam • Sikhism • Hinduism • Judaism • Buddhism 	<p>In Christianity, Christmas carols are an important way of celebrating the birth of Jesus. There are also many other Christmas songs which are popular this time of year.</p> <p>Either</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Find out the most popular Christmas song and carol in your house/family. <p>My favourite carol is 'O holy night' because it was the first time I sang by myself in school when I was six. My favourite Christmas song is Little Drummer Boy by Bing Crosby and David Bowie because Bing Crosby reminds me of my grandfather.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2) Write your own Christmas song. 						

Please try to complete one of these activities a fortnight and bring your homework books in on a Monday morning so I can mark your work and reward your efforts with dojo points. Feel free to adapt any of the activities if you so wish.

Good Luck, Mr Lloyd-Jones