

Home Learning – Year 6

Spring 2 – The Mayans

Choose one or many of the suggestions below. In class, we will share all our entries. All winning entries will be shared in our Home Learning Celebration.

Arts

- The **Maya** are an indigenous people of Mexico and Central America who have continuously inhabited the lands.
- Why not have a go at designing your own Mayan patterns on clothing, clay or paper.

See following links for more information:

<https://www.ducksters.com/history/maya/art.php>

<https://www.dkfindout.com/uk/history/mayans/mayan-art-and-craft/>



STEM

(Science Technology Engineering Mathematics)

- Why not research and produce a factfile or leaflet about the following key events:
- 950 CE - 1524 CE
- The Post-Classic Period in which the **cities** were abandoned and the region was invaded by the Spanish conquerors.
- 1840 CE
- The **Maya civilization** is discovered by John Lloyd Stephens and Frederick Catherwood who explore and document the ruins.



Music

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=36Ul4dprIXg>

Have a listen to the above link.

- Could you describe the sounds you hear?
- Could you write a poem about what you hear?
- Could you create a similar piece of music using equipment you have at home?

