

Year 3 'EARLY HISTORY' Homework Tasks - Autumn 1

All homework needs to be completed and handed in to your class teacher by

Friday 10th October 2025

1 POINT TASK– Book Review

What is your favourite book?

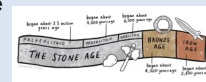
Which book did you enjoy reading this summer?

Write a book review about a book that you have enjoyed recently. You can head down to your local library to read and borrow some books. Why not complete some artwork inspired by your book?

A Book Review by _____		Your star rating for this book: ☆☆☆☆☆	
Title: _____		Author: _____	
Characters Who are they? Did you like them? How did they make you feel?	Plot What happens? Is it fun to read?		
Your opinion Did you like the book? What was your favourite part & why? Were there any funny or scary bits? Did you learn anything?	Recommend Why or why not?		

1 POINT TASK Write out and practise your 2,3,5 and 10 times tables. If you know these, start to learn others up to 12 x 12. When you are confident mix them up and test yourself.

2 POINT TASK- Create your own timeline that includes the Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age. You can add facts and pictures for each time period. If you know any other periods of time in history, you could add these to your timeline. There is a timeline in the playground to help you.



2 POINT TASK - Stonehenge

Fact file

Create a fact file about Stonehenge.

- What is Stonehenge? - What does it look like?
- Where is Stonehenge? Why was it built? - Who built and used it? What does it tell us about the people who built it?

You can research online or visit your local library to find books and materials on Stonehenge.



2 POINT TASK

Meet a Bronze Age settler

Watch the following video or imagine you are a Bronze Age settler and answer the questions in your homework book. Please ensure you have an adult with you if watching the video.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8gNXbYGmyCY>



Questions:

- Why is it so smoky in here?
- What is the house made of?
- How did you build your house?
- Is there a bathroom?
- Where are the rooms?

2 POINT TASK - What is a roundhouse?

Can you research what a roundhouse is? How was it built? What was its purpose? There are books that you can use in your classroom to help you research.



3 POINT TASK -Research and make a short fact file about the Spanish language. Ideas for things you could find out include: numbers of speakers worldwide; which countries it is an official language, any important people/sportstars/celebrities who speak Spanish; a simple history of how Spanish began; other similar languages; words in our English language that originate from the Spanish language.

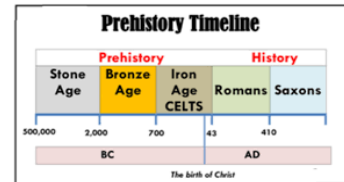


1 POINT TASK– Visit the following online learning portals using your usernames and passwords given to you by your teacher.





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3 POINT TASK

Your task is to create a menu including a starter, a main and a dessert as if you were someone living in the Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age. Your menu needs to be as tasty and exciting as possible for the people in those time periods.

You will need to research what people ate in each time period. Have a think about the following questions while you are finding information for your menus :

- What did people eat on a daily basis?
- How did their food change with the season?
- How did they get their food?
- What might be a special treat for them?
- Any unusual or surprising foods?

Why might meals have changed over time?

<https://www.imagininghistory.co.uk/>



5 POINT TASK– Stone Age Jewellery

Make your own Stone Age jewellery using salt dough and twine.

Using salt dough you can shape your beads into animal teeth, bones or even shells. Do not forget to decorate it with paint or carve a design on to your beads.



In search of more challenge when you are finished?

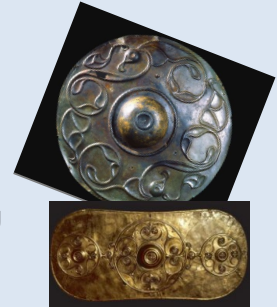
- Visit **nrich website** for some fantastic mathematical challenges, puzzles and problem solving activities.
- Challenge yourself by reading a more complex chapter book.
- Learn a new skill such as sewing or cooking and share it with the class.
- Create a challenging mathematical word problem for your class teacher!
- Learn how to spell your Year 3 high frequency words.

3 POINT TASK

Design your own Iron Age shield or make one using recycled products.

You can choose from a round or an oblong shape.

Decorate your shield using any materials you like, such as coloured pencils,



5 POINT TASK– Basketball dribble challenge

How many times do you think you can dribble a ball in 1 minute?



How long can you dribble a ball for without stopping?

Keep notes of your results so that you can share your personal best with the class!

Time	How many bounces?
1 minute	4
1minute	6

Challenge yourself with an obstacle course whilst dribbling a ball.

Places to visit linked to the topic:

- British Museum
- Museum of London in Barbican
- Visit Wins Common to find the Round Barrow
- Walk around Greenwich park and look out for Romano Celtic Temple



Iron Age shield templates



Book Review

Book Title: _____

Author: _____

Fiction or Non-fiction: _____

What is the book about?

Who would you recommend the book to? Why?

Book
Illustration

Rating: ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

Can you write three facts you have learnt or three things you have learnt about one of the characters?

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____