

Sawley Junior School



Spring Term 2 Homework Challenges - Year 4

USA land use: How do people change the land around us?

Gold Challenges		
<p>USA Land Use Mini Booklet</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create a small booklet explaining how people use land in the USA. • You could include: • Farming, cities, roads, or national park. How rivers or mountains affect land use. One way land use in the USA is different from the UK 	<p>Diary of a Child Living Near a River or Mountain</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Write a diary entry from the point of view of a child who lives: • Near the Mississippi River or close to a mountain range. • Include: What your day is like. How the landscape affects your life. One challenge and one benefit of living there. 	<p>Natural Disaster Newspaper Report</p> <p>Write a newspaper report about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A flood or a volcanic eruption • Include: • A bold headline. • Who, what, when, where and why. • A quote from someone affected.
Silver Challenges		
<p>River or Mountain Fact File</p> <p>Create a fact file about a river or mountain studied in class. Include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Location • Key facts • How people use the area • A labelled diagram or map 	<p>Comparing Places Poster</p> <p>Make a poster comparing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sawley and Naples or a place in the USA and the UK • Include: Jobs, land use, one similarity and one difference 	<p>Spanish Shapes Poster</p> <p>Create a poster showing shapes in Spanish. Include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The shape name • The correct article (el / la)
Bronze Challenges		
<p>Map Skills Challenge</p> <p>Draw and label a simple map of North America showing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • USA, Canada and Mexico • One river • One mountain range 	<p>Music Rhythm Challenge</p> <p>Create a rhythm using clapping, tapping or objects.</p> <p>Try:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A 4-beat pattern • An 8-beat pattern 	<p>PE Skills</p> <p>Practise basketball or pilates skills at home.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Write or draw: • What you practised • What went well • What you want to improve next time
Weekly Expectations		
<p>Reading</p> <p>Read to an adult at least 3 times per week. Talk about what you have read and record it in your reading record. Make sure an adult signs your reading record.</p>	<p>Spellings</p> <p>Practise your weekly spellings using Spelling Shed or writing them in different ways (use the link below for some ideas). Aim for 8–10 correct in your test.</p> <p>https://www.scholeselmet.leeds.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/09/Some-super-spelling-strategies.pdf</p>	<p>Times Tables</p> <p>Practise regularly using TTRockstars. Be ready for quick-fire questions in class.</p>