



12 Days of Christmas Homework Grid

Maple Class



<p><u>On the 1st day of homework:</u> Watch a famous Christmas film and write a detailed review - but no spoilers please!</p>	<p><u>On the 2nd day of homework:</u> Design and make a Christmas card that could be sold in a card shop.</p>	<p><u>On the 3rd day of homework:</u> Design and make an advent calendar to celebrate advent. Remember, it must be a working advent calendar.</p>
<p><u>On the 4th day of homework:</u> Choose a Christmas themed maths task (see class webpage):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Christmas gift algebra challenge 1 and 2 • Santa's Sack challenge 1 and 2 (pick just one) • Christmas Dinner family puzzle 	<p><u>On the 5th day of homework:</u> Produce a piece of descriptive writing titled, "What Christmas means to me..." - at least $\frac{1}{2}$ page of A4. Make sure it is not just a list - be descriptive, explain why?</p>	<p><u>On the 6th day of homework:</u> Interview an older family member about what Christmas was like for them when they were your age - present it however you like! Maybe they have photographs you could use.</p>
<p><u>On the 7th day of homework:</u> Research Christmas customs and traditions in a country of your choice. Produce a poster to show how these customs and traditions differ from the ways we celebrate Christmas in the UK.</p>	<p><u>On the 8th day of homework:</u> Get baking! Theme: Christmas. You could make: Christmas themed cake; Christmas themed cookies; Mince pies... Be creative! Send me photos: mapleclass@littledean.gloucs.sch.uk</p>	<p><u>On the 9th day of homework:</u> In the song "The Twelve Days of Christmas my true love sent to me...", how many presents were sent in total <u>after all 12 days</u>. See the worksheet on the class webpage to help solve the problem.</p>
<p><u>On the 10th day of homework:</u> Using The Twelve Days of Christmas song as a template, write your own version. <i>e.g. On the first day of Christmas my true love sent to me, a red Ferrari just for me. On the second day of Christmas my true love sent to me, 2 pairs of socks and a red Ferrari just for me. On the third day of Christmas my true love sent to me 3 donkeys dancing, 2 pairs of socks and a red Ferrari just for me.</i> Try to make it alliterative in places. Maybe you could perform it to the class? Or create a powerpoint with pictures. Or write in your neatest handwriting and illustrate in your homework book.</p>	<p><u>On the 11th day of homework:</u> Write the John Lewis Moz the Monster advertisement as a story. Or choose a previous year's advert to write as a story (Buster the Boxer; Bear and the Hare). Remember to use all you have learnt in English lessons about creating atmosphere and description (DADWAVERS!)</p>	<p><u>On the 12th day of homework:</u> Design and make a Christmas tree decoration. Ideas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • create a salt dough decoration; • decorate a fir cone; • sew a decoration; • use paper, card, toilet rolls and lots of glitter; • make paper snowflakes; • origami decorations. <p>The ideas are endless - a google search is always a good thing to try if you are out of ideas. Be creative! Enjoy!</p>

In addition to daily reading, mental maths and spelling practice, this menu of homework allows you and your child to choose tasks to complete over the term. Miss May will collect homework every Thursday. High quality homework will be rewarded with Maple Class loyalty points.

Please email any homework to: mapleclass@littledean.gloucs.sch.uk (please do not send to the school's admin email)

