

Year 5 Spring 1 Homework: Mayans

Take care with the presentation of the work and ensure you put in the same effort you would put into your school work.

If you are absent from school, do not forget to revisit the learning we have already done in school via the school website.

Please return your completed work on Monday 14th February 2022.



Maya Corn Tortillas Ingredients:

In Maths we have been using the column method for multiplication and bus stop method to divide.

Below is a list of ingredients needed to make traditional Maya corn tortillas.

Ingredients: (makes 20)

- 150g masa harina (precooked white maize flour)
- 100g cold water
- Pinch of salt
- 1 tablespoon of olive oil



How much of each ingredient would you need if you were to make the recipe for

- 40 people?
- 10 people?
- 30 people?
- 25 people?
- 75 people?



*Please continue to use Times Table Rock Stars to revise times tables. <https://trockstars.com/>

Maya Corn Tortillas Recipe:



Method:

1. Mix all the ingredients together in a large bowl to form a workable dough. If it's too sticky, add a little more flour. If too dry, add more water.
2. Divide the dough into 20 small balls.
3. Return the balls to the bowl, cover with cling film and stand in the fridge for 10 minutes.
4. Flatten the balls between your hands or roll into flat rounds to an approximate depth of 3mm.
5. Cook the tortillas in a lightly oiled frying pan for approximately one minute each side over a high heat.
6. Serve and enjoy!



In Literacy, we have been learning to vary our sentence openers.

Have a go at rewriting the set of instructions above so each instruction begins with a different fronted adverbial (when the adverbial word or phrase is moved to the front of the sentence, before the verb).

Can you up level the instructions further by adding adverbs?

*Don't forget to read the books that are allocated every Monday on Bug Club.



Maya Mask:

Masks played a central role in Maya culture and were made for a variety of occasions and purposes. In fact, they were even used to decorate temples. Wealthy Maya were buried with a death mask, which was intended to protect the wearer on their journey to the afterlife.

Event Maya Masks were vibrant and colourful as they represented animal spirits. Animals were regarded to be representations of Maya spirits. Jaguars were thoughts to be associated with strong kings.

Use the masks below as inspiration and have a go at designing your own Mayan mask.

