

Year 4 Home Learning - Spring Term 2019

China - Land of the Rising Sun

Create a dictionary of some popular Chinese characters and their meaning.

Create a Chinese calendar showing and explaining the 12 animals used.

Make a Chinese lantern

Find out about one of the large Chinese rivers and its route.

Create a fact sheet or model of the Great Wall of China with loads of interesting facts to describe how and why it was built.

Over the course of the term we would like you to complete at least 5 of the activities suggested on this letter. If you can think of an even better one, please feel free to complete it in your home learning book to share with the class: you may inspire some others!

We recommend reading at home as often as possible. When you read to yourself, please make sure you record it in your reading records. These are checked regularly and we will be encouraging you to read to yourself, or an adult, as much as possible.

Please continue to practise the spellings from the lists provided, the spelling patterns learnt in school will be posted in the classroom window on a weekly basis.

Make a kite and take it to the beach to fly.

Have a go at some Chinese cooking.

Make some fortune cookies with advice for people inside it.

Dragons

Design your own dragon - what special adaptations does it have to help it survive?

Imagine you have found a Dragon Egg - keep a diary of its development.

Create a poster for a Dragon Zoo

Create a dragon puppet and use it to act out a poem you've written.

Write a story where you meet a dragon - are you friends or enemies?

Go to the library and borrow *How to Train your Dragon*, *Eragon*, *My Father's Dragon*, *Dragon Rider* or one of the many popular children's book titles involving dragons and write a book review to share with the class.