

Year 4 Spring Homework Activities

'Feasts and Festivals'



English:

- **Read daily!** Write a response to your reading:
 - Write a 'blurb' for the back cover
 - Describe a favourite character
 - Recount part of the story in your own way
 - Write five facts you have learnt from a non-fiction book
 - Write a book review
 - Read to someone and ask them to write a comment
- **Practise spellings** from the year 3/4 list
- Write a **diary entry** as a child living in Mumbai
- Write a **story**, set in India, that includes a **dilemma** for one of the characters
- Write a **newspaper report** about something that happened to you over the weekend!
- Write a **description** of a journey to India
- Write a **poem** about the weather
- Write **instructions** for performing a Bollywood dance!

Science

- Make a poster explaining digestion in humans
- Find non-toxic liquids in your kitchen and put them in order of viscosity (how runny they are). Predict beforehand and think of a way performing a fair test!

Geography

- Create a **leaflet** persuading people to live in an Indian city or village (you choose!)
- Create your own 'bird's eye' view **map of India** showing some key places (cities, places of interest etc.)
- Write a list of **similarities and differences** between India and the UK.
- Design an **information poster** about India
- Write and draw a character profile about a **Hindu God**.
- Make and taste some **Indian food!** Can you create a menu and write a review about the food you made?

Art and Design and Technology

- Design your own Rangoli pattern
- Draw a famous Indian landmark

Maths homework is set on Sumdog every other week

Blue

Aa

accident
accidentally
actual
actually
although

Bb

believe
bicycle
business

Cc

caught
centre
century
certain
circle

Ee

eight
eighth
enough
experience

Ff

famous
favourite

Gg

grammar
guard
guide

Hh

height

Ii

imagine

Kk

knowledge

Ll

length
library

Mm

material
medicine
mention
minute

Nn

naughty
notice

Oo

occasion(ally)
often

opposite
ordinary

Pp

particular
peculiar
position
possess(ion)
potatoes
pressure
probably
purpose

Ss

sentence
separate
special
strength
suppose

Tt

therefore
though
thought
through

Vv

various

Ww

weight
woman
women