

Wednesday 3rd February 2021

English

WALT: write sentences using some correct punctuation and spelling. To know about a famous individual from the past.

Read through the information about Sir Christopher Wren.

You could also watch a short film about architects which is quite interesting and mentions Sir Christopher Wren. Visit: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/pshe-ks1-ks2-proud-to-be-an-architect/zbf76v4>

Sir Christopher Wren

Christopher Wren was born on 20 October 1632.

Wren was educated at Westminster School and then Oxford University.

Wren's interest in architecture began from his study of physics and engineering.

In 1666, the Great Fire of London destroyed much of the medieval city, providing a huge opportunity for Wren.

He drew lots of plans for rebuilding much of the city but many were not allowed. Instead, he designed 51 new churches – including St. Paul's Cathedral. He was then offered the chance to work on many other famous buildings.

Wren died on 25 February 1723. His gravestone in St Paul's Cathedral features the Latin inscription which translates as: 'If you seek his memorial, look about you.'



The following buildings were all designed by Sir Christopher Wren:



St Paul's Cathedral, London



Church of St. Martin, Ludgate, London



Sheldonian Theatre, Oxford



Royal Naval College, Greenwich



Royal Observatory, Greenwich



South Façade, Hampton Court



Royal Hospital, Chelsea, London

Maths

WALT: use multiplication to solve word problems.

Sometimes in Maths we use word problems and have to work out which part of the information is useful. For example: Apples cost 5p. How much will two apples cost? The words in red are the important bits. Once we've worked out the important bits, we need to write the number sentence and work out the answer: $2 \times 5p = 10p$. Work out the answers to the following problems. Don't forget to write the number sentences as well as the answers.

Comics cost 5p each. How much will 3 comics cost?

A packet of crisps costs 10p. How much will 12 packs cost?

Pencils cost 7p each. I need 3 pencils. How much will they cost altogether?

A bar of chocolate costs 6p. How much will 5 packs cost?

Drinks cost 8p each. I bought 4 drinks. How much did I spend?

Challenge question:

Apples cost 4p each. Pears cost 5p each. How much would 2 apples and 3 pears cost?

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SPaG

What compound words can you make using these words? Remember to use commas to separate the words when you write them as a list.

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|-------|-------|
| eye | house |
| milk | brow |
| him | ball |
| foot | self |
| suit | man |
| light | case |

Phonics

Look at the words below and think about the sound the /c/ is making. Is it making the sound we expect or is it making a /s/ sound instead? Write the words in the correct boxes.

| c sound | s sound |
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| | |

corn, card, braces, cat, face, lettuce, cook, camp, pencil, rice, space, castle, cable, price

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Science

WALT: compare the suitability of everyday materials.

Look through the following information:



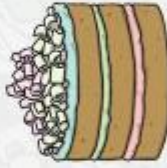
Suitability

Although these materials are all suitable for spoons, the spoon you would choose to use would depend on what you were using it for.

Which spoon would you give a toddler to eat their dinner with? Why?

Which spoon would you use to make a cake with? Why?

Which spoon would you use to eat soup with? Why?



Reasons for Using Materials

Which material do you think is best to make a ruler from? Why?

When might a **plastic** ruler be more suitable?

When might a **wooden** ruler be more suitable?

When might a **metal** ruler be more suitable?



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Discussion

Which material do you think would be the most suitable material for making coat hangers from and why?



Spoons

What material are spoons made from and why?

Why do you think spoons are made from different materials?

When would the spoons made from the different materials be used?

Who would use them and why?



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WALT: compare the suitability of everyday materials.

Read the object descriptions and write down a material which you think would be suitable for the job. Explain the properties it has that make it suitable.

Description

A hutch to keep a rabbit in. It has to be kept outdoors and keep the rabbit warm and dry.

A cup for a toddler. It has to be light, brightly coloured and safe for a toddler to use.

A pillow case. It has to be soft and able to go in the washing machine.

A vase. It has to hold flowers and look pretty.

Material

Why is it Suitable?

