

Alderbrook Year 8 Homework: Term 1



What to do

- 1. Choose a **subject**
- 2. Choose a topic within that subject
- 3. Choose one type of retrieval task for that subject
- 4. Repeat steps 1-3 so that you complete at least one retrieval task for all your subjects by the end of the term

Retrieval Activities

- 1. Create a glossary of key words and their meaning for your chosen topic
- 2. Draw a picture to represent each key word for your chosen topic
- 3. Create a mind map for your chosen topic
- 4. Create a set of Cornell notes for your chosen topic



How to create a mind map



How to create Cornell notes

English

Topic 1: Grisly Gothic

Key Words: Ominous, foreshadowing, conventions, symbolism, dramatic monologue, motif, supernatural, exposition, tension, suspense.

Topic 2: Crime & Detective Fiction

Key Words: Atmosphere, motive, justice, retribution, remorse, perpetrator, atonement, withholding, antagonist, obfuscate.

Maths

Sparx Maths



Go onto Sparx Maths and complete a topic suggested by your teacher.

Write down your working out in your purple book.

Science

Topic 1: Breathing and digestion

Key words: Inhale, exhale, alveoli, diaphragm, amylase, protease, lipase, active site, substrate.



Topic 2: Matter 2

Key words: Atom, element, compound, alkali metal, halogen, noble gases.

Topic 3: Forces

Key words: Contact force, resultant force, stretch, compression, acceleration, moments.

Art

Topic: Mexican Day of the Dead/Portrait.

See Knowledge Organisers

Key words: cultural, spiritual, carnival, celebration, symbolism, artifact.

Portait, Proportion, Greek theory of Face, Symmetry, Asymmetry, refinement, accuracy,

Analysis, research, context.

Computing

Topic: Computer systems & hardware

Key words: Hardware, Memory & storage, Central Processing Unit (CPU), Virtual Reality (VR),

Augmented Reality (AR).



Topic: Analysing spreadsheets

Key words: Spreadsheets, Cell, Software, Formatting, Functions, VLook up.

French

Topic: Un Week-end Typique (A Typical Weekend)

Key words: See sentence builders in workbook

Sports & Freetime Activities / Weather and Hobbies / Weekend Plans.

Spanish

Topic: Mi casa (My house)



Key words: See sentence builders in workbook.

RE

Topic: Significant Religious Leaders

Key words: Submission, Monotheism, Hebrew, Guru, Nirvana, Buddha.



Topic: Where do we look for God?

Key words: Miracle, Coincidence, Evidence, Design, Causation, Atheist, Theist, Creation, Genesis.



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Food



Topic: Carbohydrates

Key words: Carbohydrates, fermentation, Yeast, Microorganisms, Gluten, Kneading, Fiber, Sugar, Starch, Gelatinisation, Caramelisation.

Technology





Key words (Polymer): Thermo-set polymer, thermoforming polymer, synthetic, crude oil, finite, non-renewable, water resistant, chemical resistant, insect resistant, wet and dry paper, polish.

Key words (Biomimicry): Design, Sketching, Rendering, Annotating, Nature, Inspiration, Design development, Problem solving, Modelling, Prototype, Craft knife, Cutting mat, Foam board.

Key words (Timber): Harwood, softwood, manufactured board, sandpaper, disk sander, paint, MDF, Plywood, Oak, Elm, Pine.

Geography

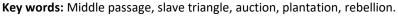
Topic: Cold environments and solving the development gap



Key words: Biome, densely, sparsely, environment, population, culture, long term aid, short term aid, microloans, government.

History

Topic: The Transatlantic Slave trade





Topic: The British Empire

Key words: Africa, diamonds, India, Gandhi, opium, China.

Music

Topic 1: Blues and Jazz

Key words: Blues Scale, improvisation, chords, slavery, 12 bar blues, structure.



Topic 2: Samba and Reggae

Keywords: Surdo, Apito, Repinique, Caixa, Agogo, Ganza, Reco-reco, Polyrhythm, syncopation, Rio carnival, ensemble, percussion, rhythm.

Drama

Topic1 (first half term): Into Text



Key words: DRAMA TECHNIQUES I can... Use improvisation, Create a monologue, Change my voice to suit the character I am playing, Use body language to reflect my character's feelings, Use physical theatre to give a sense of location, Use narration confidently to explore a new story, Give meaning to an abstract piece of text, creating characters & location, Develop a flashback.

Topic2 (Second Half Term) Greek Theatre

Key words: DRAMA TECHNIQUES I can use... Freeze Frame, Narration, Slow Motion, Ensemble (choral) speech and movement, Levels, Formations, Unison, Canon, Gestures, Proxemics, Script writing for Greek theatre, Feedback effectively to improve my work.

PE

Topic:



Key words: Application, muscles, delayed onset of muscle soreness (DOMS), fatigue, cardiovascular endurance, agility, strength, dynamic, static, explosive, power, flexibility, reaction time, balance, coordination, speed.

PSHE

Topic: Adolescence



Key words: Puberty, difference, change, menstruation, periods.

Topic: Difference

Key words: Neurodivergence, friendship, bullying, empathy, relationships.

Star key

Some work produced but presentation and / or effort could have been better

