

Year 2 First Emperor of China Topic optional homework tasks

Please do share your work through seesaw

<p>1. Build Your Own Great Wall</p> <p>Emperor Qin is famous for connecting many walls to create the Great Wall of China to protect his people.</p> <p>The Activity: Use LEGO, wooden blocks, or even empty cardboard boxes to build a "Great Wall" across your room or garden.</p> <p>The Challenge: How long can you make it? Can you add a 'watchtower' at each end?</p> <p>Materials: Any building blocks or recycled materials.</p>	<p>2. The Terracotta Army Clay Workshop</p> <p>The Emperor had thousands of life-sized clay soldiers made to guard him in the afterlife. Every single soldier had a different face!</p> <p>The Activity: Use playdough, clay, or salt dough to sculpt your own 'Terracotta Warrior.'</p> <p>The Challenge: Give your warrior a unique feature—maybe a special hat, a shield, or a funny moustache!</p> <p>Materials: Playdough or modelling clay.</p>	<p>3. Designer of the Dragon Robe</p> <p>In Ancient China, the Emperor often wore clothes with dragons on them, as dragons were symbols of power and luck.</p> <p>The Activity: Draw a beautiful 'Dragon Robe' for Emperor Qin.</p> <p>The Challenge: Use lots of yellow or gold, as these were the Emperor's special colours. Can you draw five claws on your dragon? (Only the Emperor was allowed five-clawed dragons!)</p> <p>Materials: Paper, pens, and gold/yellow crayons.</p>
<p>4. Master of the Secret Script</p> <p>Before Emperor Qin, people in China wrote in many different ways. He made a rule that everyone had to use the same kind of writing.</p> <p>The Activity: Chinese writing uses 'characters' that look like small pictures. Try to copy the Chinese character for 'Mountain' (山) or 'Sun' (日).</p> <p>The Challenge: Can you use a paintbrush and black paint (or a thick felt-tip) to make it look like real calligraphy?</p> <p>Materials: Paper, black paint, or markers.</p>	<p>5. The Emperor's Map</p> <p>Emperor Qin brought seven different kingdoms together to make one big country: China.</p> <p>The Activity: Look at a map of China today. It is shaped a bit like a giant rooster! Try to draw the outline of China on a piece of paper.</p> <p>The Challenge: Draw a star where the capital city, Beijing, is today, and a circle where the Terracotta Warriors were found (Xi'an).</p> <p>Materials: Paper and a pencil.</p>	