

HOME LEARNING ROUTE

Make a Roman mosaic

Key Stage 2 • History

Make a Roman mosaic and learn more about Roman homes.

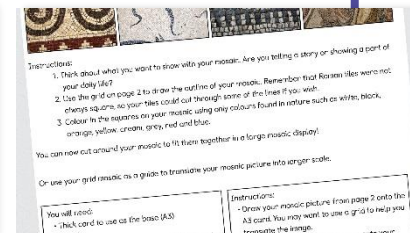
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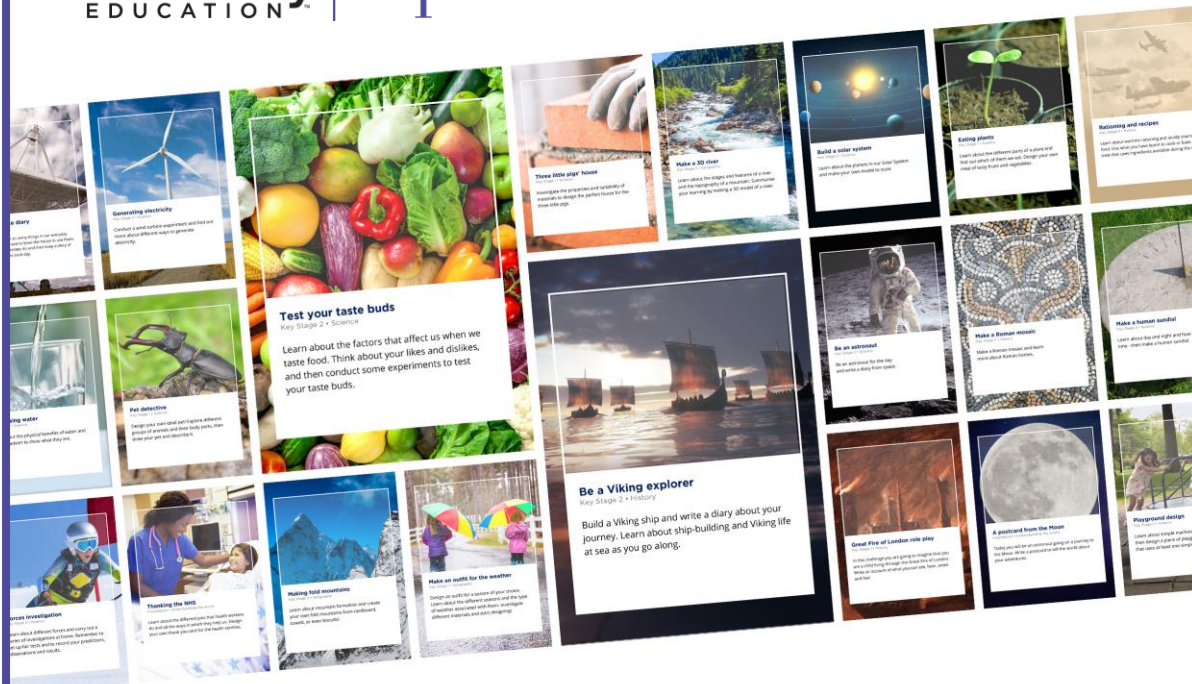


Preview of pupil steps:

1. You're going to make a Roman mosaic. But first, let's find out more about what mosaics are and where they could be found.
2. Watch this video and see if you can spot any mosaics. What are they? Where would you find them? What do you think was their purpose?
3. Watch this video and hear what Jo has to say about why the Romans had mosaics in their villas. What sorts of images were depicted? Do we have anything similar to mosaics today?
4. Look at these different images of mosaics. What do they show? What colour tiles were used? Why do you think these colours were used? Could these have changed over time?
5. Time to make your mosaic! Use the examples to get inspiration for what to depict and try to use similar colours and styles of pattern to make it look authentic.



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