

Virtual Wonders of the World Adventure



From ancient ruins to modern masterpieces...

In partnership with our friends at Twinkl Home Ed, we're taking a trip around the world to visit the New Seven Wonders of the World. Ready for adventure?

For even more programme ideas check out our 'Virtual Wonders' board over on www.Pinterest.com/PawprintFamily

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Meet the FAMILY

Hi there! We're Charlotte & Jamie, the husband and wife team behind the Pawprint Family and we believe in #AdventureForAll.

It's our mission to help leaders, teachers and parents save time by providing ideas and opportunities to help them deliver everyday adventure and skills for life. We do this through our family of brands; find out more below and head to the website for your next adventure!



PAWPRINT BADGES

Pawprint Badges provides thousands of free activity ideas and resources to help leaders, teachers and parents deliver fun and adventure.

Every activity helps you share skills for life and is linked to one of our pawesome embroidered badges. Build your collection and celebrate adventures, new skills and knowledge gained.

PAWPRINT TRAILS

Pawprint Trails are treasure-hunt style walks around locations in the UK. Solve puzzles, track down the answers and explore everything our great country has to offer.

From historical sights to popular culture discover something new or rediscover a love for where you live then collect the badge to remember your adventures!

Whether you're looking for the perfect addition to your next family holiday or a few hours of fun with friends; each trail can be completed in a few hours or extended with our activity suggestions in to a weekend or a week's worth of fun!

PAWPRINT TALES

Pawprint Tales are fully illustrated stories that can be enjoyed by the whole family. Join Alfie (our fox-red Labrador) on his adventures around the UK – solving puzzles, turning detective and making new friends. With twists and turns, every tale is an opportunity to discover new places, people and history without needing to leave the comfort of your own home.

Enjoy Pawprint Tales alongside your Pawprint Trails or as a standalone adventure!

PAWPRINT TRUST

Every brand in the Pawprint Family supports the Pawprint Trust with a percentage of profits from every sale providing grants to young people. We're passionate about enabling young people to access life changing adventures.

Share your adventures and join us over on our social channels for even more adventures and a nosy behind the scenes at Pawprint HQ!



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HOW TO: Use Your Challenge Pack



This Challenge Pack has been created in partnership with Twinkl Home Ed. Divided into 4 sections: Craft, Food, Games and Other, it's been designed to help you provide a balanced and varied programme for your young adventurers. We recommend that the following number of activities are completed by each age group:

Age 3 - 5									
Age 5 - 7									
Age 7 - 11		+							
Age 11 - 14		+							
Age 14 - 18		+							
Age 18+		+							

Craft

Food

Games

Other

PICK

Leaders, Teachers & Parents
Award yourselves a badge for supporting your young adventurers in their activities!

TOP TIPS

- Adapt activities as necessary to meet your needs.
- Add your own activity ideas or develop them into projects.
- Use what you have; don't buy in lots of new materials/equipment.
- No need to send us evidence, responsible grown-ups decide when the badge has been earned.
- One challenge badge can take as long as you like; from a few hours to days or even a full term!

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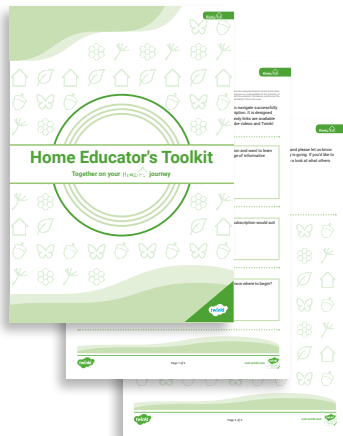
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A Big Hello from

Twinkl Home Ed!

Who are we?

We are a team within Twinkl Educational Publishing dedicated to helping, supporting and inspiring Home Educating families. Most of us are also Home Educating parents!



What do we do?

Our mission is to help Home Educating families. We make resources based on suggestions from our members, run themed weeks, competitions and initiatives on social media and we help our members take advantage of the huge range of possibilities their Twinkl subscriptions offer. Download our [Home Educators Toolkit](#) for a handy overview of what we do, complete with quick, clickable links.



Why Pawprint Family?

We love our Virtual Adventures in partnership with Pawprint Family, giving people the chance to earn another beautiful, embroidered badge as a souvenir of their journey. We already know lots of our Twinkl members love using our resources to work towards the tasks in the Pawprint Challenge Packs so we make a great team!

Find out more about our Virtual Wonders of the World Adventure on the next page and visit our [Virtual Adventures](#) category on the Twinkl website to catch up with any you may have missed.

What Is a Virtual Adventure?

Our Virtual Adventures are rich learning experiences that use a story-based presentation and a tracking sheet; together with links to further resources, to take you on a trip to a faraway place, all from the comfort of your own home.

Where can you find us?

Browse our selection of 900,000+ resources at www.twinkl.co.uk.



Together on your
Home Ed Journey!

What is the Virtual Wonders of the World Adventure?

Join Twinkl Home Educators on an exhilarating journey around the world on the Virtual Wonders of the World Adventure. Explore the awe-inspiring Seven Ancient Wonders, the breathtaking Seven Natural Wonders, and the stunning Seven Modern Wonders of the World. Get ready for a captivating journey of discovery for learners of all ages that brings the world's wonders to life like never before!

Through an interactive main story PowerPoint, learners can travel the world in a spaceship, sharing knowledge about all the sites with a friendly alien along the way.

On their journey, learners will encounter a wide range of different Wonders of the World, whether they be Ancient, Natural or Modern. Each wonder tells a unique story, reflecting the diverse cultures and landscapes that make up our incredible planet. Some of the wonders will also be accompanied by a video lesson that can be accessed from the main story PowerPoint.

How Do I Track My Progress?

Your pack includes a series of photographs and a map. As you visit each wonder, you can collect a photo to pin to the map. Look out for the secret code on the bottom of each photograph - these are needed for a fun code-breaking activity to conclude your adventure!

Where Do I Get the Pack?

Download your free pack [here](#) and visit our accompanying [Field Guide](#) for a mix of free and paid activities with which to extend your adventure!



Have fun!

Love from the Twinkl Home Ed Team



Together on your Home Ed Journey!



Craft

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- 📍 The Wonders of the World are seven of the most iconic landmarks in the world. Design your own building with innovative shapes and materials.
- 📍 Create a silhouette painting of your favourite Wonder of the World.

How?

Start off by painting your background a colour of your choice. You can mix colours together to create a realistic sky scene, but we recommend using no more than two colours as this can cause your painting to look too busy and the silhouette will not be as visible. Once you have painted your background, leave it to dry completely, then sketch out your 'Wonder of the World' e.g. the Colosseum or the Great Wall of China' using a pencil. When you are happy with your design, colour in your sketch using black paint or a black felt tip pen.

- 📍 Paint a picture of Christ the Redeemer in Brazil.
- 📍 Put together an outfit you would wear to explore one or more of the Seven Wonders of the World. You could even pack a bag and pretend you are traveling to each one.
- 📍 Did you know that The Colosseum is one of the top 10 (when writing this pack in 2024) largest Lego sets ever produced, containing over 9,000 pieces? Try building your own version, perhaps with not so many bricks...
- 📍 Learn more about the home of Machu Picchu by taking part in some Nazca Line mark making using paper, sand and something with a round, small tip such as the end of a paintbrush.

What?

The Nazca Lines are a group of large designs etched into the sand of the Nazca Desert in southern Peru. Many of the lines form images such as a monkey, an astronaut and a spider. They were discovered in 1926 by Toribio Mejia Xesspe and have been a mystery to many ever since, although there have been many theories.

- 📍 The Taj Mahal in India was built by Emperor Shah Jahan between the years of 1631 and 1648 and was in memory of his beloved wife Mumtaz Mahal who sadly died. The name 'Taj Mahal' means 'Crown of Palaces' in Persian – Craft your own paper crown, complete with decoration of your choice.
- 📍 Build a 3D model of Chichén Itzá using cardboard or junk model materials.
- 📍 Assemble a collage of the different flags that are home to the Seven Wonders of the World - China, India, Italy, Brazil, Jordan, Mexico and Peru.



Food

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- 📍 Hold a Wonders of the World themed buffet where you include traditional foods from each of the seven countries.
- 📍 The recognisable dome on the top of the Taj Mahal is often referred to as the 'Onion Dome' due to its colour and shape. Put together an edible version of the Taj Mahal, complete with a real onion to represent the dome.
- 📍 Build The Great Wall of China using rice cereal and marshmallow or sugar cubes.

Did you know?

All of the sections of the Great Wall of China add up to around 21,196 kilometres long (13,171 miles). It took over 2,500 years to build and was a combined effort by many different people over the years, this included soldiers and convicts.

- 📍 The ancient city of Petra in Jordan is often referred to as the 'Rose City' due to the stone colour used within many of its buildings – Try a new recipe that includes rosewater to provide a unique, fragrant flavour. Why not use some edible dried rose petals to decorate your dish?
- 📍 Chichén Itzá is a former Mayan city and is an active archaeological site. Put together an edible archaeological dig with edible artifacts and chocolate soil.
- 📍 Make a grazing board filled with a variety of your favourite fruit and nuts to enjoy whilst watching a film with your friends, family or group.

Why?

Gladiators took part in fights against one another in the Colosseum and people would come and watch the fights. It has been said that spectators may have enjoyed snacks such as fruit and nuts as remains of these foods have since been discovered during an archaeological dig.

- 📍 India's national fruit is the mango and is known as the 'King of the Fruits' – Prepare a dish that uses mango. Some examples might include a mango sorbet, smoothie, salad or fruit tart.
- 📍 Arrange a platter of red, white, green and black foods to represent the Jordan flag. For a savoury platter you could use tomatoes, mozzarella, basil and black olives or for a sweet version, try strawberries, marshmallows, pistachios and dark chocolate.
- 📍 Taste test some classic Italian desserts such as Panna Cotta, Cannoli or Gelato. Why not have a go at making your own?



Games

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- 📍 Historians believe that Soccer (or Football as you may know it) originated in China in around 1000BC. Challenge a group to a game or have a kick around individually.
- 📍 Diwali is a big celebration in India. Play a game of Create Diwali (ladieskitty.net).

How?

Each player places a paper plate on their head and draws the following: Two candles and two diyas, a swastika and write 'Happy Diwali'.

When complete everyone looks at their drawing and scores themselves as follows:

- 5 points if the candles are not touching each other 2 points if they are.
- 4 points if the diyas are not overlapping and 2 if they are.
- 3 points if the swastika is in the correct shape and 1 point if it is not.
- 10 points for writing Happy Diwali in one line and 5 points if it is not.

- 📍 Play a game of 'Great Wall of China', an similar alternative to a 'British Bulldog' style game.

How?

All players must begin standing in a line, if playing indoors this might be up against a wall. A 'tagger' is then selected and they must shout 'Great Wall' to allow the other players to start running across to the other side of the room, field etc. Players who are tagged start forming a wall along the centre line, holding their arms and legs out. The game continues and as time goes on, the wall grows bigger. This is a perfect way to explain to children that the Great Wall of China was built over a long period of time by many different people.

- 📍 Snakes and Ladders is said to have originated in India and was introduced in the UK in 1892. Go head to head in a game or create your own version based on the Wonders of the World.
- 📍 Have your own 'Battle of the Oranges'.

What?

Held in Ivrea, Italy and dating back to Medieval times, the Battle of the Oranges is part of their Mardi Gras traditions. The battle includes the throwing of oranges between organized groups and is the largest food fight in Italy. Turn this idea into a game of dodgeball.

- 📍 Print or draw some pictures of the Wonders of the World and use them to create your own Snap or Bingo cards.



Other

- 📍 Visit a library to find out more about the Wonders of the World.
- 📍 The Taj Mahal is a famous mausoleum in India. Find out what a mausoleum is and what it is used for.
- 📍 Listen to some traditional Mexican Mariachi music.
- 📍 Research some local human-made tourist destinations that you believe should be classed as one of the Wonders of the World.

Here's an idea!

For an additional activity, you could write a letter to UNESCO explaining why you think the destination should be one of the Wonders of the World.

- 📍 Christ the Redeemer took nine years to complete. Find out how long each of the other Wonders of the World took to build. Which took the longest?
- 📍 Take a look at some Brazilian Samba dancing. Why not try your hand at some of the dances yourself?
- 📍 Over 70% of the world's alpaca population live in Peru. Visit a local alpaca farm or go on an alpaca walk.
- 📍 Create a basic travel guide for a friend explaining each Wonder of the World to them. For each of the countries you could include cuisine, culture, traditional activities and the weather throughout the year.
- 📍 Bollywood is one of the largest film industries in the world and made around \$1.3 billion in 2023. Watch a light-hearted Bollywood film - make sure to choose one with lots of dancing!
- 📍 Chinese inventor Cai Lun began the invention of paper in around 150AD. Find out more about how he invented it and create a short drama piece based on his process.
- 📍 Watch the BBC documentary *The Seven Wonders of the World*.
- 📍 Petra in Jordan is famous for its beautifully carved rock architecture. Try sketching some of your own architectural rock masterpieces. Who knows, you might design the next Wonder of the World!
- 📍 Put together a budget and itinerary for a future visit to one of the Seven Wonders.

