

Research who the Maya gods were. Remember to type in KS2 or for kids at the end of your question.

## Ancient Maya Hot Chocolate

Only the rich and noble members of Maya society drank this chocolatey treat. Is your palate distinguished enough to appreciate its rich, wholesome flavour?

### Ingredients

3 tbsp instant hot chocolate powder  
250ml milk  
1 tsp ground cinnamon  
pinch of chilli powder

### Equipment

small jug  
teaspoon  
tablespoon  
pan for boiling milk

### Method

1. Mix the cocoa, cinnamon and chilli together in a small jug.
2. Heat the milk slowly in a small pan on the stove (or in a microwave) until it is bubbly and frothy.
3. Pour the milk into the jug containing the cocoa and spices and stir well.
4. Serve and enjoy!

### Top Tip!

if you want to make your hot chocolate more authentic, then use cacao (dark chocolate) and pour it back and forth, between two mugs to make it frothy. Depictions on vases show us that this is what the ancient Maya did!



Create a model of a Maya pyramid. Compare them to the pyramid from ancient Egypt.

Create a fact file about where the Maya lived.



# Mysterious Maya

The Maya played Pok-ta-Pok. Write a set of instructions on how to play this

Draw a proportionate timeline either showing world history including the Maya or important events during the Maya era.

Read a novel:

The Explorer by Katherine Rundell  
The river boy by Tim Bowler  
Mystery of the Maya by R A Montgomery

Create a wordsearch using words related to the Maya.

Use these ideas to complete your topic homework. Try and be as creative as possible.

Homework can be brought back into the classroom after the holiday or weekly