

Thistle Page 15

Hello Thistles. What has happened to that lovely sunny weather? Rainy days can be just as much fun - just put on your raincoat and wellies and you are good-to-go! The easing of lockdown has meant that some of us have been out and about a little more than we were before. We have all had more time to enjoy being outdoors and some of us have taken the time to look more carefully at our surroundings. This has been the inspiration for some of our activities this week. We hope you enjoy your work on monuments.

Love from Mrs Seville and Mrs Mackey

Monuments

A monument is a structure that has been created to commemorate a person or event. Some of the first monuments were megalithic constructions built for religious purposes. Examples of monuments include statues, war memorials, historic buildings and archaeological sites. Can you think of any examples that you have seen? Where are these local monuments?



1. _____



2. _____



3. _____



4. _____



5. _____

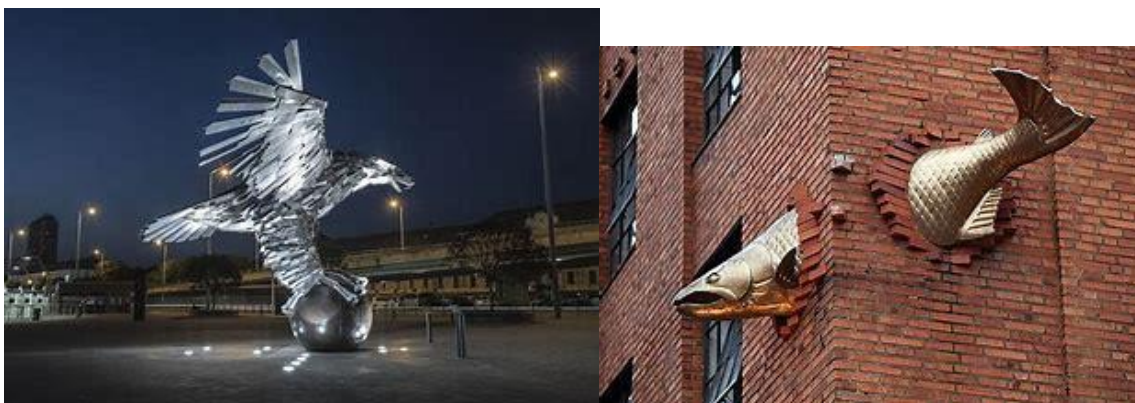
Now it's your turn!

You will need - a selection of pens, pencils, crayons/pencil crayons and some paper.

A Monument to You

What would you like to be remembered for in a thousand years time? What will you be famous for and how will you show this in your monument? What will your monument be made of? Your monument does not have to look like a person. It could be a representation of you and your interests. It could be, for example, a giant slice of pizza or an exploding football. Have fun with your creations. Jot down some ideas before you start.

Here are some examples to give you inspiration.



Now design your monument. Remember to send us some of your work for the gallery.