

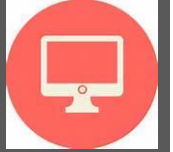


A History of Leith

At Home Learning - May/June 2020



The History of Leith



Learning Intentions

- To **learn** about the local history of Leith
- To **create** a walking tour of local landmarks
- To **explain** why the landmarks chosen are significant and explain the history behind them



Local History

Last week we asked you to get some basic research on landmarks around the Leith area.

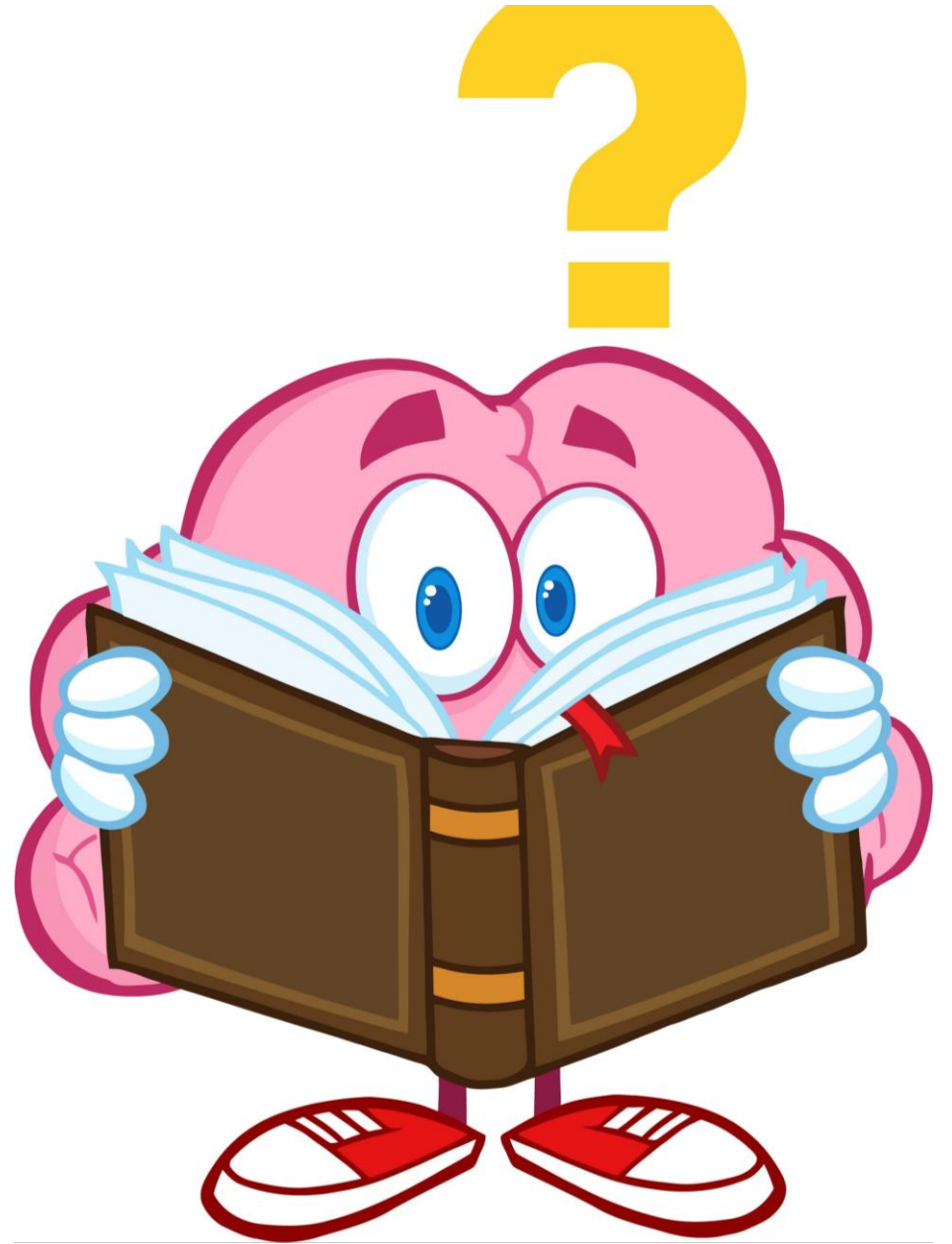
This week we want you to use this information to create a script for a walking tour.



What's the plan?

Walking tours are really popular. It is an active way to see and learn about a local area. You get to hear about it's hidden local history.

We would like you to organise your 8 locations and plan a route that you could take your family on during lockdown.



Places in Leith

- Think about where you will start and where you will end.
- Have an order to your route that makes sense if you were to walk it with your family.
- Make a script of what you will say at each location. Give as much information as possible.

‘our first stop on our tour is....’

Try to give 3 or 4 facts about each location.



Websites to Help

http://www.leithlocalhistorysociety.org.uk/maps/leith_interactive_map.htm

<https://inews.co.uk/inews-lifestyle/travel/exploring-leith-hidden-history-edinburgh-526130>



Take your family for a walk

Once you have planned and written out your walking tour, take your family on it and show them the histories of Leith!

Take some photos while you're out and pop them on twitter and tag the History Twitter Page

@leithAChistory





Watch out for the next set of work on the school website.
