



Hideaways in History

Overview of Studies

ANCIENT WORLD

Weeks 1-7

- Week 1: *Meeting First Peoples*
- Week 2: *Build Pyramids in Egypt*
- Week 3: *Travel to Early Cultures*
- Week 4: *Feuds & Fights in Mesopotamia*
- Week 5: *Glorious Greece*
- Week 6: *Gladiators & Life in Rome*
- Week 7: *Caesars, Christians & Barbarians*

MIDDLE AGES

Weeks 8-16

- Week 8: *Exploring Britain*
- Week 9: *Islam Grows in the Middle East*
- Week 10: *France & the Fierce Vikings*
- Week 11: *Britain Becomes England*
- Week 12: *Difficult Times in Europe*
- Week 13: *The Mysterious East*
- Week 14: *Asian & African Places*
- Week 15: *Exploration of the Americas*
- Week 16: *Renaissance & Reformation*

CHANGING TIMES

Weeks 17-25

- Week 17: *Spain & England Collide*
- Week 18: *Back to Asia*
- Week 19: *World of Empires & Colonies*
- Week 20: *New Powers on the Scene*
- Week 21: *The New Country of America*
- Week 22: *Turmoil in France*
- Week 23: *A Changing World*
- Week 24: *New Ideas & Industry*
- Week 25: *Freedom Fights in America*

MODERN AGE

Weeks 26-36

- Week 26: *The British Empire Around the World*
- Week 27: *A Changing America*
- Week 28: *A Growing America*
- Week 29: *All Around Asia*
- Week 30: *A Moving America*
- Week 31: *China's Modern Age*
- Week 32: *World War I*
- Week 33: *World War II*
- Week 34: *After the Wars*
- Week 35: *Communism and Civil Rights*
- Week 36: *A New Day for Freedom*

Hideaways in History - Week 6

Gladiators & Life in Rome



RESOURCES	DAY 1	DAY 2	DAY 3	DAY 4
READ & DISCUSS TOGETHER				
HISTORY: <i>Let's Hideaway in History!</i>	Roman Beginnings Pages 52-53	The Roman Empire Pages 54-55	Life in Ancient Rome Pages 56-57	Gladiators Pages 58-59
HISTORY: <i>Encyclopedia of World History</i>	Read Pages 184-185	Read Pages 186-187	Read Pages 188-189	Read Pages 190-191
HISTORY PICTURE BOOK SET: <i>Marco Polo's Silk Purse</i>		Read Pages 6-9	Read Pages 10-11	Read Pages 12-13
SCIENCE: <i>The World God Made</i>	Read Page 14 and complete activity	Check on yesterday's science activity	Read Page 15 and complete the activity	Have student narrate about what forms water can take
BIBLE: <i>Hands-On Bible Explorations</i>	Read Lesson 6 Pages 17-18	Review Lesson 6 & Make Craft Page 18	Have Student Retell the Story Using Craft	Discuss "Think About It" Page 18
WRITTEN WORK				
KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS: <i>Mastering Kindergarten Skills</i>	Complete Page 224 & 189 "What's Missing?" & "A Toy Shelf"	Complete Page 110-111 Numbers 0 & 1	Complete Page 212 "Solid, Liquid or Gas?"	Complete Page 33 "The Letter E"
1ST GRADE STUDENTS: <i>Mastering 1st Grade Skills</i>	Complete Page 23	Complete Page 121	Complete Page 122	Complete Page 123
NOTEBOOKING: <i>Make-Your-Own Hideaway Book</i>		Complete "Stop in Time" Page		Complete Hideaway Frame Page
HIDEAWAYS & OTHER FUN				
<i>Hideaway in History:</i> GLADIATOR ARENA	Prepare box as directed below.	Create the hideaway using the directions below.	Add ideas from your inspiration resource, and add some detail.	Spend time in your Hideaway, and narrate to a parent what you know about the gladiators and Rome.
<i>"On-the-Spot" History Fun</i>	★ EASY ★ Activity #9 Great Gladiator Game			★ EASY ★ Activity #11 Roman Milestone Ad

Notes

TEACHING STRATEGIES:

- ☐ Day 1: Discover the life of a Roman child at:
http://www.mce.k12tn.net/ancient_rome/children.htm
- ☐ Day 2: Discover a lot of information about gladiators at:
<http://library.thinkquest.org/J0112842/>
- ☐ Day 3: Learn more about the daily lives of Romans at:
<http://rome.mrdonn.org/dailylife.html>
- ☐ Day 4: Read this online book about gladiators -- it's fantastic! Go to:
http://www.salariya.com/web_books/gladiator/index.html

YOU WOULDN'T WANT TO . . . Library Book Suggestion
You Wouldn't Want to Be a Roman Gladiator!

Hideaway in History!

BASIC IDEA: Gladiator Arena in the Colosseum

For this project, there isn't an idea in *Creating Clever Castles and Cars*, but it's easy to create this hideaway. See page 190 of "Usborne Encyclopedia of World History" to get some idea of a basic outline for your arena in the Colosseum. Your student can re-create the Colosseum and hold gladiator battles inside. Cut open two boxes so that they are flat strips, and create one big circle by connecting the two ends. You can cut out an arched entry in the middle of one of the strips. **Use 2 small boxes.**

ADD MORE DETAIL: Student can draw the detail of the outside of the Colosseum as shown on page 190. Inside the Colosseum, students can draw wild animals or other gladiators. Student can stage battles with small action figures, toy soldiers,