

HURRAY! You helped George Cadbury remember all about the weird and wonderful things in Selly Manor!

We would love to see some pictures of you doing the trail! Please ask an adult to share on social media and tag us in...



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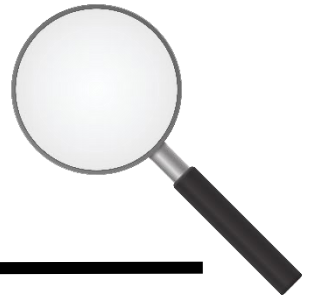


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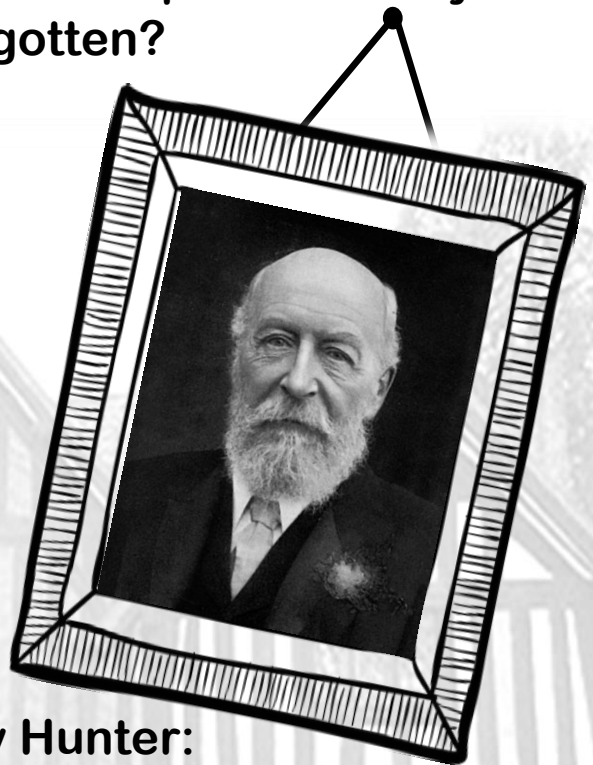
Family Trail



Mr Cadbury doesn't just like chocolate, he also likes history and old things!

He moved Selly Manor to Bournville so that everyone could learn about Tudor houses. The problem is he has so many old objects that he has forgotten where they all are – and what they all do!

Can you explore Selly Manor and help Mr Cadbury to remember what he has forgotten?



Name of History Hunter:

The Parlour

What do you think this object is?
Circle your answer:

- a) a pizza oven
- b) a bread oven
- c) a pottery oven



Detective work....

Can you find this hidden symbol?

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Can you find the SETTLE? Have a look at the information panel so you know what it looks like. Look carefully, what do you think it was used for?

Circle your answer:

- a) a chair
- b) a bed
- c) a chest
- d) all of them

Did you know?

Tudor houses like this one are made out of wattle & daub. The ingredients are wood, mud, cow's hair, horse wee and cow poo! Yuck!

Find the fireback
in the fire place.
What is the date
on it?



The Solar

There are some numbers written on the floor and walls from when this house was built. They are called Roman Numerals.

Can you find any? Draw them here:



Detective work....

Which of these objects is not in this room?

Circle the right answers.



Did you know?

Glass was very expensive in the Tudor times. The air bubbles in the windows are because it was hand-blown.

The bed in this room is very colourful.

What colours can you see?



The Garret




Can you find these different weapons?


Tick them off when you have found them:

- Sword
- Gun
- Pike
- Crossbow



How many helmets can you count in this room?



Detective work.... 

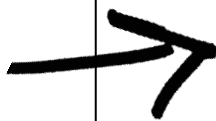
Can you find the secret hiding place in this room?

What do you think it was for?

What objects can you see in the hiding place?

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Take a look at the Tudor family crest.
Can you draw your own in this box?



Did you know?
Not going to church,
playing cards on a Holy
day and arguing in the
street were all crimes
in the Tudor times!



The Hall

What do you think this object was used for?

Circle your answer:

- a) a toaster
- b) to pick up food
- c) to cook meat



How would you describe the table in the middle of the room?



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↙ Colour me in when you get home!



Did you know?
Adults & children drank ale not water in the Tudor times because the water was not safe to drink!

Can you find these in the tapestry on the wall?
Tick them off when you have found them:

- 7 people
- 2 houses
- 1 sword

The Kitchen

Did you know?

The Tudors didn't like waste. They would eat eyeballs, teeth, brains, tongues, bones and all of the grisly bits of animals!



How many animals are in this room?

Look high and low and write the number in this box

What do you think this object was used for?

Circle your answer:

- d) Washing clothes
- e) Making butter
- f) Squashing fruit

I think the Tudors liked cheese!



Detective work....

Can you find these objects?



The Bedchamber

How is this bed different to yours at home?

Tick the right answers:

- Bigger
- Wooden
- Has curtains
- Has a roof

Did you know?

In the Tudor times little piglets were wrapped in blankets and put at the end of your bed as a kind of hot water bottle!



Detective work....

Can you find this hidden symbol?
Where is it?



Can you find the magical creatures and monsters on the grotesque chest?
Now draw your own drawing in the box below...





Count the steps from the hall to the bedchamber



Have a look through the little spying window into the kitchen as you come up the stairs