







As part of our studies on North America, we had fun designing and making totem poles.



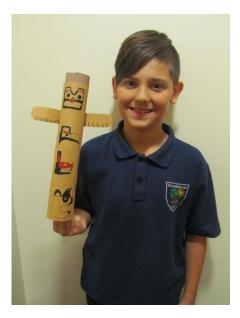














North American indigenous people carved totem poles from huge trees to represent people, families and events from their culture

















The carvings were mostly of animals with each one representing different valued characteristics.











Some of the most popular animals were: Bear – industrious, instinctive, protective of the world Eagle – intelligent, courageous, spiritual, daring Beaver – determined, strong-willed, constructive Wolf – loyal, persevering, successful, spirited Frog – sensitive, beautiful, powerful





