Walk a little way, stop and look out over **Plymouth Sound**. Look for the Breakwater in the distance. What do you think the Breakwater is for?

Walk on for a little while until you reach a small grassed area.

Look at the **granite block** and its plaque. What was the name of the ship that Napoleon was on in Plymouth Sound?

When was he on that ship here in Plymouth?

Walk on a little further to find two cannons pointing out to sea.



What design are these **cannons**?

What dates can you see on the side of each cannon?

Continue walking in the same direction . When you see the Stella Maris statue on the other side of the road, cross over.



On the first of four **plaques** there are the names of people from Plymouth who helped found modern Australia. Write down three of their names.

Return to the Information Centre to collect your certificate.

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Plymouth Hoe Trail for Children

This trail will take you from Plymouth's Historic Barbican up on to Plymouth Hoe. The trail will guide you to many interesting features and return you to the Information Centre where you will be given a certificate for completing the trail.



This **sculpture** is known locally as the 'Prawn' but it's official name is the Plymouth Sea Monster. What would you call it?

Name the two sea creatures on the round plaques on the column.

Mayflower steps. Stand looking at the arch, what is the date beneath your feet under the word Mayflower?

This is the year that the Pilgrims finally left England to cross the Atlantic Ocean to settle in America. There were 102 Pilgrims on board.



Cross the road and walk a little way up the hill.



Stella Maris statue. Stella Maris is the Patron Saint of all Mariners.

Where was this statue salvaged from?



Walk up the hill and go up the steps (further along you can walk up a slope), carry on up the hill and cross over keeping the Royal Citadel wall on your left.

Look at the archway leading into the **Royal Citadel**. Carved into the stone is the date it was completed. What is the date?

The Citadel was designed by Sir Bernard de Gomme and built to protect Plymouth from attack from both the sea and land. Today it is the home of Two Nine Commando Regiment of the Royal Artillery. Make a sketch of one of the 25lb guns guarding the entrance gate.



Follow the road with the Citadel on your left until you come to steps and a ramp on the opposite side of the road. Cross over and go up the ramp and you are now on Plymouth Hoe.



Look at the figure of **Britannia** on top of the Armada Monument. Fill in the missing objects which she should be holding in her hands. Look at the plaque below the words 'HE BLEW WITH HIS WINDS AND THEY WERE SCATTERED'.

What was scattered?

What dates do you see on the **Naval War Memorial**? What do these dates refer to?



What date did **Drake** leave Plymouth for his round the world voyage?



What was the name of his ship?

Walk down the path leading to the lighthouse.

Look at the plaques on the side of the **lighthouse**. Who is remembered on the top plaque?

Where was this lighthouse originally erected?

When was it re-opened on this site?

Unscramble the letters below to find the purpose of the arrow on the top of the lighthouse.

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Continue down the slope and down the steps, cross the road at the pedestrian crossing and go to your left.

