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| **Overarching theme – Hola Mexico** | | | | |
| **Week commencing** | **Reading** | **Spelling** | **Writing Punctuation and Grammar links** | **Writing opportunities** |
| 04/09/23 | * Reading fluency speed * Reading Plus Baseline assessment * Echo reading | **Step 1**  Challenge Words   * accommodate, available, competition, determined, existence, identity, muscle, prejudice, rhyme, suggest |  | **Letter Formation and Expectations** |
| 11/09/23 | * Mexico City – Vocabulary Focus * Crater Lake – Text Analysis * Ask and answer questions about a text * Discuss and evaluate author’s use of language * Give reasoned justifications for their views | **Step 2**  Challenge Words   * accompany, average, conscience, develop, explanation, immediately, necessary, privilege, rhythm, symbol | **Place Value of Grammar and Punctuation**   * Common and Proper Nouns * Collective/Partitive Nouns * Abstract Nouns * Being Verbs + ‘to have’ | **Simple, Compound and Complex Sentences Around an Image** |
| 18/09/23 | * Dia De Los Muertos – Summary Focus * Crater Lake – Text Analysis * Ask and answer questions about a text * Discuss and evaluate author’s use of language * Give reasoned justifications for their views | **Step 3**  Challenge Words   * according, awkward, conscious, dictionary, familiar, individual, neighbour, profession, sacrifice, system | **Place Value of Grammar and Punctuation**   * Regular action verbs and verb phrases * Regular action verbs/verb phrases (doubling the consonant) * Irregular action verbs and verb phrases * Phrasal Verbs | **Simple, Compound and Complex Sentences Around an Image** |
| 25/09/23 | * Sugar Skulls – Retrieval Focus * Crater Lake – Text Analysis * Ask and answer questions about a text * Discuss and evaluate author’s use of language * Give reasoned justifications for their views | **Step 4**  Challenge Words   * achieve, bargain, controversy, disastrous, foreign, interfere, nuisance, programme, secretary, temperature | **Place Value of Grammar and Punctuation**   * Subject * Single-Clause Sentences * Pronouns | **Simple, Compound and Complex Sentences Around an Image** |
| 02/10/23 | * Mexico – Retrieval Focus * Crater Lake – Text Analysis * Ask and answer questions about a text * Discuss and evaluate author’s use of language * Give reasoned justifications for their views | **Step 5**  Challenge Words   * aggressive, bruise, convenience, embarrass, forty, interrupt, occupy, pronunciation, shoulder, thorough | **Place Value of Grammar and Punctuation**   * Coordinating Conjunctions * Compound Subjects and Dummy Subjects * Gerunds | **Simple, Compound and Complex Sentences Around an Image** |
| 09/10/23 | * Grandmother – Inference Focus * Crater Lake – Text Analysis * Ask and answer questions about a text * Discuss and evaluate author’s use of language * Give reasoned justifications for their views | **Step 6**  Challenge Words  amateur, category, correspond, environment, frequently, language, occur, queue, signature, twelfth | * Analysis of text type * Imperative Verbs * Parenthesis * Planning an instructional text * Drafting an instructional text | **INSTRUCTIONAL TEXT**  Write an instructional text for surviving a zombie apocalypse. |
| 16/10/23 | * Crater Lake – Text Analysis * Ask and answer questions about a text * Discuss and evaluate author’s use of language * Give reasoned justifications for their views | **Consolidation** | * Drafting an instructional text * Editing and improving a text * Writing an instructional text | **INSTRUCTIONAL TEXT**  Write an instructional text for surviving a zombie apocalypse. |