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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 Wordsamateur, 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. |