

Literacy

Spellings

Homophones, words ending in -able and -ible and Year 5/6 statutory words. Homework activities on Purple Mash will help the children practise these.

SPAG

Each week we will be focusing on a different element of either spelling, punctuation or grammar.

Fiction: Oral storytelling traditions.

Non – fiction: To write a non-chronological report on Guatemala and to write a traditional folk tale inspired from the Mayans.

Music

Exploring traditional music from Native America and Mayans. Our song we are focusing on this term is Happy by Pharrel Williams using

Art

Exploring art inspired by the styles of French artists. Learning about art from the Mayan civilisation.

PE

Football - spatial awareness, skill development and team work.

Fitness – Circuit training



Maths

We will be working through the Year 6 curriculum. We will be extending the children's ability to subtract, add, multiply and divide with fractions and decimals.

Our main focus throughout this term will be on number and place value, and statistics and Fractions.

History and Geography

We will be learning about the Americas and the vast variety of rich history of the Mayan civilisation. We will also locate rivers, identifying their features, and investigate mountains and how they are formed all over the Americas.

The Mayans

The ancient civilisation of the Mayans

Year 6 Term 1 – 2023

Mr Nicholls, Mr Matthews



Collective Worship

Whole school Collective Worship will be on a Friday and KS2 Collective Worship will be on a Tuesday. They will focus on our value.

RE ~ Islam

Beliefs and practices.

Values

Our value this term is Generosity.

PSHCE

We will be learning about 'Relationships' this term.

Computing ~ Coding

To use the program design process, including flowcharts, to develop algorithms for more complex programs.

Internet Safety

Revising safe ways to use the internet.

Science ~ Classifying Organisms

Based on living things and their habitats- packed full of animals, plants and micro-organisms to be classified.

We will recap knowledge of broad groups of organisms before taking a much more in-depth look at the classification system, linking to plants and animals in Europe.

Spanish

This term we will be learning about wild animals in Spanish.

How you can help

Please continue to encourage your children to complete all set homework.

We also need to ensure the children are fluent in their times tables.

Regular reading – either listening to or reading with your child each night will continue to build their fluency and enjoyment for reading.