

## Physical Education

- ❖ Gymnastics
  - Use of apparatus to perform a sequence incorporating balance, stability, stretching, jumping, landing.
- ❖ Swimming
  - Every Friday
  - Children to learn water safety skills

## Maths

- ❖ Multiplication and division
- ❖ Fractions
- ❖ Decimals
- ❖ Measurement - Area

## Science

- ❖ States of Matter:
  - The three states of Matter
  - Group and sort materials into solids, liquids and gases.
  - Describe solids, liquids and gases using scientific language.
  - Investigating how Matter changes state when heated or cooled.
  - Use the terms 'evaporation' and 'condensation'.
- ❖ Sound
  - Understand how sound is made
  - Understand how sound travels to our ears.
  - What pitch is.
  - How best to block of muffle sound

## PHSE

- ❖ Mental Health and Wellbeing
  - Mental health, just like physical health, is part of daily life; the importance of taking care of mental health
  - Strategies and behaviours that support mental health — including how good quality sleep, physical exercise/time outdoors, being involved in community groups, doing things for others, clubs, and activities, hobbies and spending time with family and friends can support mental health and wellbeing
  - Strategies to respond to feelings, including intense or conflicting feelings; how to manage and respond to feelings appropriately and proportionately in different situations
  - Recognise warning signs about mental health and wellbeing and how to seek support for themselves and others
  - Recognise that anyone can experience mental ill health; that most difficulties can be resolved with help and support; and that it is important to discuss feelings with a trusted adult
- ❖ Equality
  - Recognise that we are all similar and all different
  - Recognise that no matter our differences we are all equal.
  - Focus: what is a disability? Famous figures with disabilities and their strengths
- ❖ Safer internet use
  - Passwords
  - Spam / phising
  - Positives and negatives of screen time

## Art

- Use sketchbooks to plan, develop and evaluate artwork.
- Cushions – explore Mayan patterns, sewing, colouring and padding fabric.
- Mayan Masks

## Computing

- ❖ Coding
  - Using variables to create their own games
- ❖ Research project
  - Using google slides to create an engaging and informative piece of information regarding a chosen theme related to the Mayans



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## English

- ❖ Michael Rosen's Book of Bad Things
  - Experience poetry as pleasurable and meaningful
  - To develop an understanding of a contemporary poet
  - To compare how a common theme is presented in poetry
  - Exploring language and style of poetry
  - Bringing out the meaning of a poem
  - Writing poetry based on personal experience.
- ❖ Gorilla
  - Engage children with a story with which they will empathise
  - Explore issues, and develop and sustain ideas through discussion
  - Develop creative responses to the text through drama, storytelling and artwork
  - Write with confidence for real purposes and audiences

## Geography

- Locate North America using Google Earth, Atlases and globes.
- Use aerial photographs, compasses and grids to locate North America in relation to the United Kingdom.
- Use Google Earth and Atlases to explore the human and physical features of North America.
- Ask and answer geographical questions (such as: Which country, continent or part of the world is it in? What plants grow here naturally?).
- Discuss and explain our views about the location (such as What the place is like, why it is like this.)
- Relate our discussions in relation to its position in the world (for example the Equator, Northern Hemisphere, The Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn).

## History

- ❖ The Mayan civilisation
  - Who the Mayans were.
  - Understanding the concept of 'civilization'.
  - Research 'Mesoamerica' using secondary sources.
  - Where and how they lived.
  - What we want to find out about them.
  - Invention of chocolate.
  - The Mayan calendar and number system.
  - Mayan cities and rules of Law.
  - The Spanish invasion.
  - The Mayans' decline.
  - What we have learned from them.

## Music

- Glockenspiel / beaters – learning basic instrumental skills.
- Tribal drumming
- Introduction to the language of music, theory and composition (notes and scales).

## Religious Education

- ❖ Hinduism
  - Learn about Hindus beliefs in god- Hindu gods and goddesses
  - Importance of shrines
- ❖ The Easter story
  - Learn about psalm Sunday
  - Making Easter cards.

## MFL (French)

- Personal information
- All about us
- Counting
- French Songs