

Year 5

Marvellous Middle

NPP – introducing the topic of Mayans using technology.

Science: Forces

- Explain that unsupported objects fall towards the Earth because of the force of gravity acting between the Earth and the falling object.
- Identify the effects of air resistance, water resistance and friction, that act between moving surfaces.
- Recognise that some mechanisms including levers, pulleys and gears allow a smaller force to have a greater effect.

English

Terrific Text: Kensukes' Kingdom

Writing Opportunities

- Diary entry
- Setting description
- Narrative
- Poetry

Spoken Language Opportunities/Oracy

Presentation using green screen
Poetry Recital
Advent Carol Concert

Computing Search Engines

- How to use search engines effectively
- Internet safety

Art: Mayan Art

- to improve their mastery of art and design techniques, including drawing, painting and sculpture with a range of materials [for example, pencil, charcoal, paint, clay]

Other Reading Opportunities

Non-fiction texts – Mayans

Poetry Focus: Remembrance

'Dulce et Decorum est'
by Wilfred Owen

Music Ukulele

- play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression

- listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory

Unit B: Miracles and Sacrament of the sick
(Assessed Unit)

Unit C: Advent

PSHE: Kapow – Health and well-being

RSE: Module - Module 1
Created and Loved by God:
Unit 2 – Me, My Body, My Health

Dignity of the Human Person

Each person is unique and irreplaceable - everyone matters

Virtues:

Attentive and Discerning

Scripture Focus:

"You shall love your neighbour as yourself" Matthew 22:39

Prayer Focus:

Magnificat

Big Question –

Does adversity make us stronger?

P.E.

Dance – Pupils explore different ways of moving around the space as a Greek God

- Pupils need to select their own Greek God and create a short motif (two or three movements, that represents their God).

Tennis – To play competitive games, modified where appropriate, and apply basic principles suitable for attacking and defending. To develop flexibility, strength, technique, control and balance in the context of tennis skills.

Maths

Multiplication and Division – multiplying and dividing by powers of 10

Fractions – equivalent fractions, comparing fractions, adding and subtracting fractions

History: Mayans NPP

- **Disciplinary knowledge:** - Children will learn historical research methods and source analysis, exploring maps, illustrations, hieroglyphics, and pottery.
- **Substantive knowledge:** - Mayan geography, societal structure, culture, daily life, contributions to math and science, decline, and enduring legacy.

MFL Clothes

- listen attentively to spoken language and show understanding by joining in and responding

- speak in sentences, using familiar vocabulary, phrases and basic language structures

DT Food technology

Understanding what makes a balanced diet, reading nutritional values and deciding which recipe is healthier; preparing and cooking savoury Mexican dish using a range of cooking techniques

Fantastic Finish

Food tasting – Mexican food