<u>History</u>

As historians, Year 6 will be delving into the depths of the Mayan Empire. We will be exploring how the Mayan people lived, what they believed in and how they compare to other ancient civilisations.

Geography

We're off to Central America! Year 6 will be exploring the modern countries that the ancient Mayan civilisation covered and thinking about the challenges that the Mayans faced.

<u>Science</u>

The Mayans didn't know much about how humans really, evolved but Year 6 will certainly become experts in this area as part of our evolution and inheritance science topic!

<u>Rights and Responsibilities</u> We will be taking a look at Article 37 (the right to be treated fairly if you break the law) as we investigate Mayan punishments... <u>Hooks</u>

We will be getting out our Mayan weapons and going to war. Don't worry, as there will be no violence - it will all be through the form of dance!



Magnificent Mayans

<u>Music</u> Get ready for some Mayan rhythms as part of this half term's music topic!

Writing

If you didn't get away this summer, don't worry... Year 6 will be writing some highly persuasive holiday brochures to tempt you into booking a winter break in Chichen Itza.

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Like many other ancient civilizations, the Mayans believed in a range of different gods and goddesses. We will be investigating these beliefs.

<u>Art</u>

The Mayan's prided themselves on their gorgeous artwork so we will follow in their footsteps when we create our very own Mayan headdresses!

<u>Maths</u> Year 6 will be travelling to Central America to solve the riddle of the Mayan number system... Parent/Carers reply slip. Please send in your suggestions and comments by returning this slip to your child's class teacher.