## Class Curriculum Information



#### Year 6 Summer Term 2



Hola Mexico!

#### CLASS NOTICES

#### Class Text

Our class text is 'Holes' by Louis Sachar.

#### Reading

All children will read for at least 10 minutes every day in school and we hope parents will do the same at home. As a class, we discuss and read a shared text linked to our topic and check we understand the themes, characters and plot development.

#### PE

PE will take place on a **Wednesday** & **Friday**. Children can come to school in their kit on PE days (shorts/leggings/jogging bottoms, plain t-shirt, trainers and jumper for outdoors).

#### Year 6 Residential to York

Our yearly residential trip is from Monday, 19th June to Thursday, 22nd June.

Please ensure your child brings in a named water bottle everyday.

#### ENRICHMENT AREAS OF LEARNING

# English

In English this term we will be focusing on reinforcing the skills for answering questions linked to text we have read. Our writing will focus on securing skills writing for a number of different audiences and purposes. Our core text is Holes by Louis Sachar.

#### Maths



In Maths, we will be revisiting aspects of the mathematical skills learnt in Year 6. We will then use these skills in real life contexts, allowing children to see how important maths is in all aspects of life.

#### Science



During the term, the children will be learning about light, concentrating on scientific inquiry skills and conducting experiments to give the children a chance to predict and explain.

#### Computing



We will continue to learn about E-safety and how to stay safe when using all types of technology. We will also be developing our skills at programming and coding.

#### ENRICHMENT AREAS OF LEARNING

### Geography and History



We will be studying the human and physical geography of Mexico. We will look at the geographical similarities and differences between Mexico and other European countries. In history, we will study the ancient Mayan civilisation.

#### Music



Our unit this half-term is 'Moving On'. We will be singing a song with expression and sustained notes; identifying the structure of a piece of music and preparing for a performance.

#### DT/Art



During this half term, the children will consider requirements for a design project and will construct simple structures. We will be creating art linked to our study of Mexico.

#### P.E.



Children will develop teamwork through completion of challenges in which they work to solve problems. They are encouraged to be inclusive of others and share ideas to create strategies. They will have the chance to lead a group and learn how to navigate using a map.