### Class 6

# Spring term:

South America and The Maya

# **Computing:**

- Using, applying and consolidation of research and note-taking skills
- Planning an app
- Designing and creating an app
- Publishing an app

# Topic

#### South America:

- I can identify countries and capitals
- I can compare and contrast physical and human geographical features
- I can use a compass
- I can use grid references
- I can identify lines of longitude and latitude

# The Maya:

- I can use historical evidence
- I know about Mayan cities and societies
- I know about Mayan beliefs
- I know about everyday life
- I know about Mayan writing and art

- Dodgeball
- Outdoor challenges

#### PE

- Dance

## Science

# Animals, including humans:

- I can describe the digestive system
- I can identify the function of the heart, blood vessels and blood
- I can describe the ways in which nutrients and water are transported within animals, including humans.
- I can identify and name the parts of the human circulatory system
- I can recognize the impact of diet, exercise, drugs and lifestyle

### Maths

- Number and place value
- Written addition and subtraction
- Decimals, percentages and their equivalence to fractions
- Fractions, ratio and proportion
- Mental multiplication and division
- Written multiplication and division
- Problem solving, reasoning and algebra
- **Properties of shapes**
- Mental addition and subtraction
- Statistics
- Geometry: position and direction

#### MFL:

- Sports
- Festivals
- Easter in Spain

#### Music

### MUSIC THROUGH THE DECADES

**Singing:** What is harmony? **Listening:** Popular Styles through the decades from 1920s onwards.

**Composing:** A Bassline Performing: Ukulele pieces. Musicianship: Exploring the key features of popular styles of music. **Notation:** Building confidence to read a short piece of treble clef

## music.

# **English:**

- Explanation text explaining how the heart works
- Travel guide to a South American country
- South American/Mayan stories
- Newspaper Writing (linked to the Mayans)

# Reading:

Writing:

- Book reviews
- Drawing inferences
- Considering the use of figurative language

# Art/DT:

- Investigating and imitating South American artists, through collage and printing techniques:
  - Beatriz Milhazes
  - Joaquin Torres Garcia
- South American food and cooking
- Creating Mayan masks
- **Sketching Mayan temples**

# RE:

- Faith and resilience
- Easter
- Humanism