

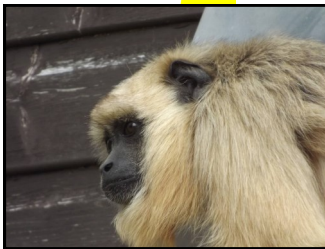
Places To Visit:



With artefacts from the Aztec and the Mayan Civilisations, The British Museum in London is one place where you can see real first hand evidence of these ancient civilisations.

They also sometimes showcase their exhibits online virtually.

If you wanted to see some animals native to Central America, then you could visit Blackpool Zoo. These Howler Monkeys are an example of some species of monkey found within Mexico and Central America.



Useful Websites:

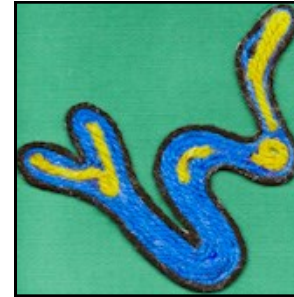
Topmarks: This site is great for SATs revision with lots of games and learning.

Ducksters: This website is great for giving you lots of Historical information about The Mayan civilisation.

Don't forget that our school website is packed full of useful links and supportive videos.

Things To Do:

You could have a go at making one of these *Mexican yarn pictures*, made by the Huichol people in the shape of a snake, corn or the even in the shape of the sun.



These colourful crafts could be made by with some felt and sewing skills, to help celebrate the day of the dead like in Mexico.

Keep In Touch:

Share your work with us on our Facebook page
[@Kincraigprimaryschool](https://www.facebook.com/Kincraigprimaryschool)

Follow our work on twitter
[@kincraigY6](https://twitter.com/kincraigY6)

Keep in touch with us via your child's Seesaw account.



MEXICO



Year 6

**Summer
Term**

We Are Learning About...

Maths:

During the Summer term, children will be looking at being able to work with and handle data. This will include being able to read and plot information from/ onto graphs. We will also be looking at how angles work within shapes and consolidating our knowledge on being able to draw shapes accurately. Finally, we will work closely with local high schools to complete Maths projects in preparation for high school.

English:

In English this term, we will be looking at a variety of different text types. We will be studying: autobiographies, novels and poetry around a given theme, flashback stories and finally a discursive essay with a formal debate. We will also work closely with local high schools to introduce children into texts and different grammatical terms that they will need to be aware of for Year Seven.

Science:

Our Science topic this term is Animals including Humans. In this unit we will learn all about the circulatory system and understand the impact of lifestyle on our bodies. We will also find out about the ways nutrients and water are transported in our bodies.



Geography/History:

Our topic for the Summer term is Mexico. During this term we will learn about the ancient civilisation, The Mayans. We will discover what importance the Mayans had and study any significant events that occurred during this period. Part of our topic will also focus on being able to describe the human geography features of America/ Mexico such as settlements and trade links and even water supplies.

Art/Design Technology:

In Art and DT this term, we will be looking at printing and textiles. We will be creating a leavers blanket using our knowledge of sewing and material uses. Within our DT lessons, we will be creating Mexican food (fajitas) and learning how to dice ingredients and fry off different food items using a hob.

Computing:

In our Computing lessons this term, we will be looking at being able to create simple mobile phone apps and we will then be looking at how we are able to record videos that can be uploaded onto websites and simple mobile phone apps.

PSHE:

Within the Summer term, we will be looking at how we are able to break stereotypes and are able to overcome obstacles and change that occurs within life. As we grow older, it is also really important for us to understand how to make the correct choices in life and avoid peer pressure and media manipulation. Finally, we will be looking at how we are able to stay safe online and protect ourselves against the dangers of social media and the internet.



Music:

In our Music lessons we will be looking at how we are able to listen to musical pieces with attention to detail and recall features that are typical to that genre of music. We will also spend some time looking at how we are able to improvise and compose music for a range of purposes.

PE:

In the Summer term, we will look at rounders and Outdoor and Adventurous Activities (OAA). We will practice our skills in striking and fielding in rounders and complete a variety of different challenges

RE:

In RE we are going to find out about Karma in Hinduism and the rights of passage in Christianity. We will look at the different celebrations that happened throughout the course of Christian life.

