

Hello Year 6,

I hope you have managed to get back into a routine after our 'Easter Break'. Hopefully you are finding these planning sheets useful and easy to follow. Remember you can get in touch via Purple Mash if you are finding anything tricky. If something is too difficult, don't worry – just try your best. It is lovely to see the work you have been completing so please write comments to me when you are finished.

Please don't forget that learning comes in many forms. These tasks will be hugely beneficial to you but doing things you enjoy is just as important. Make the most of the lovely weather we are having (I have been painting my fence and shed!) and play in the garden; help to make tea; play with any siblings you have; do some colouring... the list is endless.

Stay safe,

From Miss Towers



Reading



Follow this link: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zbkbgwx>

There are two videos and three activities that you can complete in your exercise book. The activities can all be done in one go or can be spread out across the week.

Use the examples provided to help you understand what you are being asked to do and set out your work.

Extra: Remember to keep reading and completing quizzes on Accelerated Reader.



Writing



Lesson 1: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z6wthbk>

Follow this link. There are two videos and three activities. Don't worry if you don't have a printer for the worksheet task – just write the correct answers in your book like we would in class.

Lesson 2: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z4y492p>

Follow the link above. There are two videos and three activities again.

Extra → Remember you have a range of fiction story starters and non-fiction writing tasks in your home learning pack. See if you complete a different one this week.



Maths



Follow this link: <https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-6/>

For Maths this week, we will be learning about angles which we started learning about before school closed. On this webpage (link above), you will see four different tabs, which indicate Week 1, Week 2, Summer Week 1 and Summer Week 2. Please click on Summer Term Week 2 (the first lesson should be named: angles in special quadrilaterals). Once you click on this, it will show you 4 different lessons, for each day of this week, with a special challenge on a Friday.

Underneath the title, you will find a video which demonstrates the learning of the lesson, breaking down the understanding. Please pause and repeat this as needed. If you would like to write notes down during the video, please do. Once you have watched the video, please click on the 'Get the activity' section. This will then take you to a variety of different lessons based on the learning in the video. If you have access to a printer, you could print this off, however, alternatively, you could load up the document and work within your workbook to find the answers. After this, you have access to the answers, so you can mark your own work.

If you are finding it tricky, you can revise some more basic angles work by completing Summer Term: week 1 first which should be in the tab above on the website. It works in the same way with videos and tasks.



Science



Our new Science topic is evolution and inheritance. We had already started discussing some elements of evolution when learning how animals had adapted to living in The Arctic and Antarctica as part of our Frozen Kingdoms topic. I would like you to revise this by completing a writing project on Purple Mash. I have set a range of 2Dos which require to you to write an information text about adaption. I have set 5

different ones and you need to complete at least one. You can choose from adaptation to: deserts; woodland; oceans; tundra or mountains.

This is a great search engine to use: <https://www.kiddle.co/>



PSHE



I know from speaking to your families that some of you are beginning to think about secondary school. While September may seem a long time away, and I hope I see you all before then, it is good to start thinking about what secondary school will be like.

Follow this link - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zj2grj6> - and watch the two videos.

Make a list of things you are looking forward to in your new school. If you feel worried about secondary school, talk to someone in your family. You may also find watching this video - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/znkqgwX> - eases some of your worries.



Music



Music is very important in Mexican culture and is always part of a celebration, whether big or small.

Listen to and watch a traditional Mexican musical performance, such as the mariachi or ranchera.

Here is an example: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IOVUOj7EBck>

Imagine you a journalist and are reviewing the performance. Write a short article in your exercise book and give a star rating!



Geography



Our Summer topic is 'Hola Mexico'. I would like you to begin researching Mexico and find it on a map/globe.

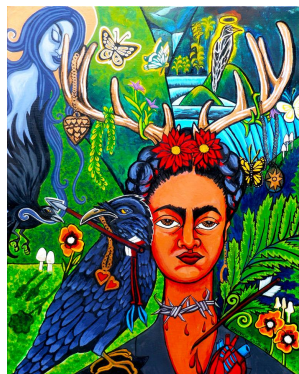
Once found, draw a sketch map of the country, showing aspects of its human and physical geography, including major cities, surrounding seas, mountain ranges, airports, and tourist resorts.



Art



Our new topic for the Summer term is Hola Mexico. One famous Mexican artist is Frida Kahlo. *Frida Kahlo* was a Mexican painter known for her many portraits, self-portraits, and works inspired by the nature and artefacts of Mexico. Research some of her works and have a go at recreating your favourite. This can be with whatever you have: a pencil sketch, coloured pencils or a painting. I would love to see your finished pieces – your adults can email photos to the school email address!



PE



As I am writing this, the weather is beautiful outside, so fingers crossed it stays like this.

Plan a game that you could play with siblings or an adult. Think about the equipment you will need (it will

need to be things you already have) or whether your game will purely require participation. Decide on the rules and test your idea out.



Try something new....



As most people in Mexico speak Spanish, I would like you to try and learn some basic greetings in Spanish. You could even continue your language learning and try and learn how to say hello in other languages. Challenge yourself to say hello in as many different languages as possible! How many can you learn?