

MTP - Emerald Class Overview

Term: Autumn 2018



ICT;

Internet safety - being safe online.
Web searches and fact finding - but is everything true?
Education City
Purple Mash
Satellite images - what they can show us.

History:

South America - Cinco de Mayo, Hispanic culture,
Significant people - Guy Fawkes, Pele, Eva Peron
Remembrance Sunday

RE:

Faith as a driving force.
Brazil and Christ the Redeemer.
Celebrations and festivals e.g. explore South American ceremonies (such as Day of the Dead) and their importance.

Physical

Development:

Brain Gym.
Soft Play.
P.E.
Sports club.
Swimming.
Forest School.
Cooking.
Yoga.
Dough Gym

Music;

Exploring Sound - using instruments to create an atmosphere e.g. Digital Superhero sounds!
Carnival music - not just the samba!

Art:

Drawing in pencil and charcoal.
Frida Kahlo - studying and copying her style.
Design and paint a Carnival Mask



Theme: "Can we explore it?"

Superheroes and South America

Geography:

Maps - identify key places in South America. Use atlases and map work.
Landforms and settlements e.g. Rainforests - to understand the ecological effects of deforestation.
Coasts and the importance of trade.

DT:

Rainforest in a jar - create, predict, observe and record.
Make Carnival masks - to Papier-mâché and paint.
Mexican pottery - own creations!

Science:

Animal facts - habitation and classification.
My body - what I need for healthy growth and healthy teeth.



Literacy:

Letters and Postcards - Recap features and compose own for different purposes.
Information Texts - Study information texts, finding facts then write own information texts, comprehensions.
Superhero Stories - Own compositions focusing on description of powers and setting.
Poetry - create, analyse and respond as well as to learn by heart a chosen poem.

PSED:

Rules - are they needed? What should they be for our new class?
Healthy living - emotional and physical wellbeing.
Stranger danger - not just face to face!
Telling the truth - the importance of doing so.
Zones of Regulation

Mathematics:

Number and place value - to read and understand the value of all numbers.
Addition and subtraction - Securing number facts.
Multiplication and division - using mental and formal written methods.
Properties of shapes.
Position, direction and movement.