

English

I will be able to:

- ✓ Read Middlewood - The Jaguar Stones.
- ✓ Analyse character profiles.
- ✓ Analyse the grammar used in the story.
- ✓ Write diary entries and descriptive pieces about Max's journey.

Key Vocabulary: archaeologist, perilous, villainous, smuggling, suspense, modal verbs, nouns, adjectives

Class Book

Middleworld - The Jaguar Stones by J&P Voelkel
The Lion, the Witch & the Wardrobe by C.S. Lewis

Computing

I will be able to:

- ✓ Research & present information about the Mayans.

Key Vocabulary: read-around, scan, text box, text-wrapping

History

I will be able to:

- ✓ Discover facts about the Mayan civilisation.
- ✓ Explain who the Maya people were and when and where in the world they lived.
- ✓ Explain the religious beliefs of the Maya people, understand how they worshipped, name some of the main gods and know what they represented to the people.
- ✓ Describe a range of foods that were eaten by the ancient Maya people and explain why certain foods were particularly significant.

Key Vocabulary: civilisation, Mesoamerica, codex/codices, significance, sacrifice, ritual, Xibalba, Chichen Itza, lithography, primary/secondary source, hieroglyphs, cacao, maize

Learning Journey Year 6 Autumn Term 1

Maths

I will be able to answer fluency and reasoning questions about:

- ✓ Number & Place Value - order, compare, round, negative numbers
- ✓ The Four Operations - long multiplication and division, factors, multiples, prime numbers, squares, cubes, BIDMAS

Key Vocabulary: long multiplication, long division, standard method, factors, multiples, prime, square, order of operations

The Ancient Mayans

Science

I will be able to:

- ✓ Plan an investigation in a group.
- ✓ Understand what affects pulse rates.
- ✓ Understand the circulatory system.

Key Vocabulary: pulse, fair test, respiration, valves, artery, vein, circulation

The Arts

I will be able to:

- ✓ Explore Mayan patterns through art.
- ✓ Create a Mayan headdress.
- ✓ Use a basic weaving loom and wool.
- ✓ Make a Mayan clay pot.

Key Vocabulary: construct, production, fibres, criteria, modify

Character Education

I will be able to:

- ✓ Make a sustainability awareness poster.
- ✓ Understand Rosa Parks story.

Key Vocabulary: sustainability, racism, livelihood, inner strength

Other Activities

ESTATE visit

Light Up New Mills contribution