St Michael's CE (A) Primary School

Topic Termly Overviews

Year: 5

Topic: Wonders of the Tropics

Term: Spring





Subjects	Objectives/Learning intentions
Art	To develop ideas
Mayan	Develop and imaginatively extend ideas from starting points in the curriculum – keep notes.
Masks	Collect information, sketches and resources and present ideas in a sketchbook with annotation
	included.
	Comment on artworks using visual language.
	-colour
	-line
	-tone -pattern
	-texture
	-shape
	-form
	-space
	To master techniques- Sculpture
	Show life-like qualities and real-life proportions or, if more abstract, provoke different
	interpretations.
	Create texture and pattern that conveys feelings, expression or movement.
	Combine visual and tactile qualities
Art	To develop ideas
Rainforest	Develop and imaginatively extend ideas from starting points in the curriculum – keep notes.
Pictures	Collect information, sketches and resources and present ideas in a sketchbook with annotation
Henri	included.
Rousseau	Comment on artworks using visual language.
	-colour
	-line
	-tone
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	-form
	-space To master techniques
	Drawing
	Use different pencils effectively and sketch where appropriate.
	Use a variety of techniques to add interesting effects (e.g. reflections, shadows, direction of
	sunlight).
	Choose a style of drawing suitable for the work (e.g. realistic or impressionistic).
	Use lines to represent movement.
	To take inspiration from the greats (classic and modern)
	 Give details (including own sketches) about the style of some notable artists, artisans and designers.
	Create original pieces that show a range of influences and styles.

Geography

South America

To Investigate places

- Ask and answer geographical questions giving detailed descriptions and opinions of the characteristic features of a location.
- Name and locate South America, concentrating on its environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics, countries and major cities.

To investigate patterns

- Understand some of the reasons for geographical similarities and differences between countries through studying the human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom and a region within South America.
- Identify and describe the geographical significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones (including day and night).

To communicate geographically

- Describe and understand key aspects of:
 - physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts.
 - human geography, including: settlements, land use, and the distribution of natural resources including food, minerals, and water supplies.
- Use different maps (e.g population density, land use) symbols and keys to communicate knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world.

History The Mayan

To understand chronology

- Know and sequence key events of time studied
- Use relevant terms and period labels

To build an overview of world history

- Study different aspects of different people differences between men and women
- Examine causes and results of great events and the impact on people
- Compare life in early and late times studied
- Compare an aspect of life with the same aspect of life in another period

To investigate and interpret the past

- Use evidence to build up a picture of a past event
- Select relevant sections of information
- Use the library and internet with increasing confidence

To communicate historically

- Use appropriate historical vocabulary to communicate, including:
- Dates
- time period
- era
- chronology
- continuity
- change
- century
- decade
- legacy.
- Use literacy, numeracy and computing skills to an exceptional standard in order to communicate information about the past.
- Begin to use original ways to present information and ideas.