



# YEAR 5 CURRICULUM OVERVIEW - SPRING TERM

Our whole school theme this term is where we make links to **Belonging and Community**.

The question Year 5 are going to answer is

***Why do people live near volcanoes?***



## GEOGRAPHY

In the spring term, children will answer an enquiry question in each lesson which is linked to geography.

### ***Why do people live near volcanoes?***

What is latitude and longitude?

What are the different climates of North and South America?

What are the key physical characteristics of North and South America?

Where are the cities and countries of North America located?

What is a volcano and where are they?

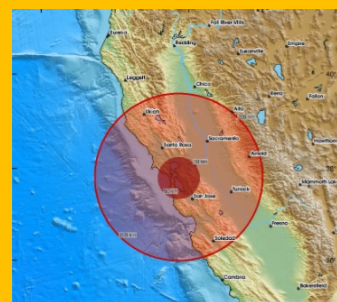
How and where do earthquakes occur?

What are the mountain ranges in North and South America?

Where are the cities and countries of South America located?

What are the geographical similarities and differences of human and physical features in North America?

What are the cultural, history, traditions and beliefs of Native Americans?



## ENGLISH

In the spring term, children will be exploring beautiful books and film clips as a stimulus for learning to write:

- Non-chronological reports
- Explanation texts
- Persuasive speeches
- Narratives

## WORLD VIEWS

### **Islam**

What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God?

### **Christianity**

How significant is it for Christians to believe that God intended Jesus to die?



## ART and DT

**DT—Structures** Bridges

**Art—Sculptures** Attaching parts to create totem poles

## MATHS

Topics this term include:

- Multiplication B
- Fractions B
- Decimals and Percentages
- Perimeter and Area
- Statistics

## COMPUTING

**Programming A** Selection in physical computing

**Data and Information**—Flat file databases

## PSHE

### **Dreams and Goals**

Aspirations, how to achieve goals and understanding the emotions that go with this

### **Healthy Me**

Being and keeping safe and healthy

## FRENCH

At the market

Clothes

## MUSIC

Dancing In the Street

The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air

## SCIENCE

Units of learning will focus on:

- Earth and Space
- Animals including humans

## P.E.

### **Real P.E. (Indoors)**

- Co-ordination – ball skills
- Agility - React and respond
- Co-ordination– send & receive
- Agility - Ball chase

### **Outdoor P.E.**

- Invasion game - Netball
- Strike and field - Rounders

## ENRICHMENT

Magna trip

Drumming concert

World Book Day

Mobile planetarium visiting school

