

Meddling in Mesoamerica

A study of Mayan and Aztec life

Multiplication & Division:
Standard written methods for multiplication and division and solving problems involving all operations.

Fractions:
Understanding, comparing and ordering fractions.

Adding, subtracting and multiplying fractions

Decimals & Percentages:
Exploring, ordering and comparing decimals and using percentages.

Maths:
Multiplication & Division
Fractions
Decimals & Percentages

Literacy
Traditional Tales
Information texts
Slam Poetry

Traditional Tales
Writing our own traditional tale based on *The Tear Thief* by Carol Ann Duffy

Slam Poetry
Write and perform slam poetry

Information Text
Writing information pages about the Aztecs

Report Writing
Writing travel accounts from South America

Dance
Develop flexibility, strength, control and rhythm

Using 'Go' by Public Service Broadcasting to create a space themed dance.

Invasion games:
Netball
Tennis

PE:
Dance
Invasion Games

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Knowledge of the World:
Science
Geography
History

The Solar System:
Eclipses Seasons
Day and night Phases of the moon
Forces

Geography:
Where did the Mayans/ Aztecs live?
How did they use their land?

History:
Who were the Mayans?
The rise and fall of an empire
Mayan life
Mayan jobs

Art: Catherwood
Music: Vivaldi
D&T: Tortillas

RE:
People of God
Salvation

Art:
Study, sketch and create Aztec stelae using clay Dias de las Muertos masks

Design and Technology:
Create Aztec tortillas

Music:
Study the classical composer Vivaldi and compose a piece of music inspired by the seasons.

Computing:
Creating Media: video editing
Data and Information: flat file databases

People of God
How can following God bring freedom and Justice?
Salvation
What did Jesus do to save human beings?