



At Marshfield, our learning is driven by...

Diversity and Difference

To celebrate diversity and differences, we will:

- Learn about and appreciate a non-European society with a different belief system
- Explore past (European) attitudes towards indigenous cultures

Sustainability

In our drive for sustainability, we will:

- Explore the environmental causes of city-state decline following the Maya Classical Period

Creativity

To nurture creativity, we will:

- Explore gestural drawing with charcoal
- Learn to play the lute and appreciate different styles of music

Areas of learning

ENGLISH

Writing

- Use expanded noun phrases precisely to add detail across a piece of writing
- Indicate degrees of possibility through the use of adverbs
- Use inverted commas and other punctuation to indicate direct and reported speech
- Use embedded clauses

Reading

- Discuss their understanding of both texts they have read independently and those read to them
- Ask relevant questions to improve their wider understanding of a text, topic or theme
- Use age appropriate dictionaries and thesauri to check the meanings of words
- Use skimming and scanning to locate information efficiently across a range of sources
- Draw inferences from within the text about themes and characters' and authors' viewpoints

MATHS

Number and Place Value

- Read, write, order and compare numbers to at least 1,000,000 and determine the value of each digit.
- Count forwards or backwards in steps of powers of 10 for any given number up to 1,000,000.
- Interpret negative numbers in context, count forwards and backwards with positive and negative whole numbers, including through zero.
- Round any number up to 1,000,000 to the nearest 10, 100, 1000, 10,000 and 100,000.
- Solve number problems and practical problems that involve all of the above.

Addition and Subtraction

- Add and subtract whole numbers with more than 4 digits, including using formal written methods (columnar addition and subtraction).
- Add and subtract numbers mentally with increasingly large numbers.
- Use rounding to check answers to calculations and determine, in the context of a problem, levels of accuracy.
- Solve addition and subtraction multi-step problems in contexts, deciding which operations and methods to use and why.

History – The Maya

- Learn how Maya civilization changed over thousands of years and still exists today, despite the arrival of Spanish invaders.
- Use primary sources to identify Maya beliefs
- Learn about advances the Maya made in mathematics, engineering and astronomy.

Science – Earth and Space

- Describe the movement of the Earth, and other planets, relative to the Sun in the solar system
- Describe the movement of the Moon relative to the Earth
- Describe the Sun, Earth and Moon as approximately spherical bodies
- Use the idea of the Earth's rotation to explain day and night and the apparent movement of the sun across the sky.

PE

Fitness: Circuits
Tag Rugby

PSHE (Jigsaw)

Being Me in My World

RE

Why do some people think that life is a journey?

Spanish

Describing Myself and Others

Computing

Computing Systems and Networks: The Internet

Our Christian value for term one is **Respect**:

Matthew 7:12: "Do to others as you would have them do to you."

