

# Year 5

## Essential Knowledge

## By the end of this unit children will:

- explain that a continent is a large landmass;
- explain that continents are groups of countries;
- identify some countries in North America;
- identify some countries in South America;
- describe physical and man made features of an area of the Americas;
- describe the climate of an area of the Americas;

- describe the human geography of an area of North America;
- explain what latitude is;
- identify the equator, tropics and poles on a map;
- explain that coordinates pinpoint a geographical location;
- name some wonders of the Americas;

## Sensational Start

Virtual tour of Colonial America

## Extraordinary Extra

## Fabulous Finish

Virtual tour of modern America

Key dates:

Spellings; out on Monday, due on Friday Homework: out on Tuesday, due on Monday PE Days

Peake— Monday and Wednesday

Fiennes— Monday and Wednesday Core Subjects: Links to theme

## The Amazing Americas —Theme Content—National Curriculum links

## English

## Foundation Subjects

Key Texts

Ruin

Newspapers

## History

Our final Geography topic is 'The Amazing Americas'. Children will be finding out about some of the contrasting regions of the Americas, and their landscape, climate and locations.

## Computing

Stop motion animation

#### RE

Our topic will be How does faith enable resilience?

The children will be able to understand how having Faith can help a person through difficult times.

#### Maths

Fraction

Decimals and fractions

Multiplication and division

#### Music

Keyboards

## Art and Design Unit

Self-Portraits

#### DT Unit

Textiles

Children will design and make stuffed fish toys

## Science

Animals including humans

#### French

Meet my French family

This unit will look at describing families.

#### P.E.

Striking and Fielding

**Athletics** 

#### RSE and British Values

Changing Me

British Value— Recap of all values