



Khalsa Primary School Curriculum Map



Year 4 Autumn 1 – American Dream

Collaboration

As collaborators we will work together to make dream catchers and drip painting. We will learn about the discovery of America. We will learn about the purpose of National Anthems.

Creativity

As creators, we will think creatively in our learning and begin to learn new techniques for how to make and present our work.



The World and Me

As super citizens, we will consider the impact of our behaviour. To understand how building relationship and friendship are key for peace and harmony.

Critical Thinking

As learners, we will use our higher order thinking skills such as comparing, contrasting and evaluation.

As Historians we will...

Learn about the discovery of America. We will learn about Native Americans. We will research and learn about different tribes. We will use drama to focus on daily life of men, women and children.

As Digital Citizens we will...

Use technology safely, respectfully and responsibly; recognise acceptable/ unacceptable behaviour. Select use and combine a variety of software systems to collect, analyse, evaluate and present data and information.

As Musicians we will...

Learn about the purpose of a national anthem and compare five national anthems e.g. U.K; U.S.A; France; South Africa; Germany. We will compose our own national anthem as well.

As super citizens (through PSHE) we will...

Refer to the 5 values to discuss how we can build our social skills. Reflect on our actions and how it affects others.

As Geographers we will...

Explore places with different climate zones and compare and describe how climate affects living things: e.g. North and Central America. Identify where significant places are located in the UK, Europe and the wider world e.g. learn about the discovery of America. Use appropriate geographical vocabulary to identify famous landmarks in North America.

As Writers we will...

Write our own myth and legend, based on the stories read. We will write a news report on a weather disaster which has affected North America. We will make a leaflet persuading people to visit North America.

As Scientists we will...

Set up and carry out simple practical enquiries, comparative and fair tests. Distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made. Understand the difference between man-made and natural materials. We will devise an investigation on absorbency, flexibility, strength of materials

As a sports people we will...

Learn, practice, refine and perform dance phrases about American tradition of line dances with physical control, expression, rhythmic timing, musicality and an awareness of other performers

As Mathematicians we will...

Use Number and Place Value to compare and order numbers with one decimal place. We will Order and compare numbers beyond 1000. We will collect data linked to favourite American foods.

As Artists and Designers we will...

Plan and create different effects and textures with paint. We study the American jeans designer: Levi Strauss and create a mood board. We will research and design our own dream catchers.

As Readers we will...

Read a selection of Native American myths and legends and compare similar features? We will use drama to act out some of the stories, hot seat some of the characters from the stories and retell in our own words.

As Faith learners we will...

Identify how core beliefs can guide lifestyle choices. As Panjabi speakers, we will Recap first 6 sets of letter sounds and 5 vowels (First 25 alphabets and kanna, sihari, bihari. lawa and dulawa vowels). Read and write words and simple sentences