



Year 6 Summer 1- Darwin's Delights

Topic Overview

During this term, students will be learning about Charles Darwin and the Theory of Evolution.

Our Learning Overview

Darwin's Delights	Writing	Children will be writing setting and character descriptions which they will then incorporate into their own narratives. They will also be including dialogue in their writing.
	Maths	Children will be recapping their learning of angles this half term. They will then apply this knowledge to solve problems involving angles in different shapes. Children will solve problems with coordinates and learn how to translate and reflect shapes.
	Reading	Children will use VIPERS reading strategies to consolidate their comprehension skills using the book 'The Great Sea Dragon Discovery' as the core text. They will also be summarising news articles and will retrieve information from non-fiction texts.
	Science	Children will be exploring evolution and inheritance this half term and will relate this to their own family history. They will also be learning about genetics and DNA.
	History and Geography	Children will be learning about Charles Darwin's voyage on the H.M.S Beagle and the Galapagos Islands.
	Art	Children will be improving their mastery of art and design techniques, including drawing and painting.

Key Texts

