

# New World to New Delhi

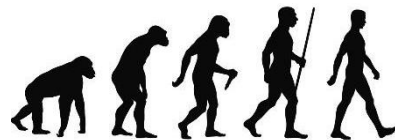
## Year 6 Autumn 1



To kick off the year in Year 6, we will be learning all about North America, who the first people to settle there were and how it became the United States of America that we all know today.

### Challenge

What do you know about the geography of North America? Can you find out about some of North America's natural landmarks? Here a few to get you started: The Rocky Mountains, monument valley and Niagara Falls.



Our Science topic this half term will focus on Evolution and inheritance. We will be looking at the life and work of Charles Darwin, as well as other scientists, and we will complete an experiment based on Darwin's work.

At the start of Year 6, we will also be looking at the rights and responsibilities of a learner, British values and our school community. House captains will also be elected for the coming year.

### Key Maths Learning

We will begin by looking at place value, comparing and ordering numbers, rounding, negative numbers and the four operations.

### Key dates

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> September - School opens  
19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> October - Parent Consultations  
Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> October - School closes

Children will be given weekly Maths and English homework each Thursday and it will be due each Tuesday. They will also be given a list of spellings that we will be learning in school so they can be practised at home.