



## Year 6 Autumn 1



### Home learning

This half term we will be learning about South America in our Geography lessons then Evolution and Inheritance in Science. Please choose one activity from either subject to complete.

The deadline for projects to be uploaded to Google Classroom or brought into school is the **Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October 2026**.

#### South America

1. **Creatures of South America:** Research an animal indigenous to one of the South American regions studied and prepare a fact file about it.
2. **Totem Poles:** Design your own version of a Native American totem pole.
3. **Cooking:** Research South American dishes and recipes. Choose one to cook and present your learning in a format of your choice.
4. Read a book linked to our topic and prepare a summary to share with the class. Remember to include recommendations and your own thoughts on the book.

#### Evolution and Inheritance

1. Draw or print off an animal and/or plant and label the characteristics that have allowed them to adapt to their environment.
2. Design, invent and draw a diagram of a plant or an animal that can live in an environment of your choice. Explain what adaptations make it suitable to live in that environment.
3. Create a poster/presentation to explain what you have inherited from your parents/family? Example: eye colour, dimples, etc., but how are you different from your parents/family members?
4. Explore different parts of the world and research the variety of animals that live in these specific areas.