Weekly Essential -Reading Challenge & Reading Response Please ensure you are reading at least 3x every week. Log your reads in your record. You will also need to complete a written reading response, which you can choose from the list of ideas provided. Check-in Day: THURSDAY	Reading Response - Be an Agony Aunt Think of a dilemma a character in your book is facing. What advice can you give them to help them out? Write them a letter/e mail with your advice.	Reading Response - Newspaper Report Think of an exciting event in your book. Can you write a newspaper report to tell me what has happened?.	Reading Response - Diary Entry Think about a funny event that has happened in your story. Write a diary entry telling me all about it, Don't forget to add your character's thoughts and personality in your writing.
	Reading Response - Alternative endings Think of how the story you have read ended. Can you think of a better way for this story to end?	Reading Response -Poem Choose a character from your book. Write a poem to describe them.	Reading Response - Setting Description Describe a setting in your book. Remember to use expanded noun phrases and similes to add details in your writing.
Weekly Essential -Maths Challenge Use TT Rock Stars and Maths Shed to practise your times tables facts. It is very important to learn all of your times tables in year 4. Check-in Day: THURSDAY	Enrichment Ideas  Hand in Day: THURSDAY  We encourage you to choose at least 6 enrichment activities over the term. It is always fantastic to see the creative ideas you have and the ways you extend your learning at home.		
	WOW me! Create a leaflet about your favourite hobby. Remember to use headings to split up your information and tell me lots of facts.	Experience Go on a nature walk and notice what animals you see. Can you classify or group them in different ways?	Research – The Maya Society. Show your knowledge by designing a plan for a Maya village, make a PowerPoint sharing your knowledge or make a model of a Maya home, temple or village.
Weekly Essential - Flashback 4: This will be in the form of 4 retrieval questions. This will be a quick task to complete and help children to remember what they have been learning across the curriculum.	Research - What did the Maya people wear? Can you design outfits for a Maya tribe?	<b>Design</b> - Make a poster to show the importance of looking after our environments, rainforests or deforestation.	Create - Look at the designs of Maya jewellery. Can you create your own piece of jewellery? Can you make the jewellery using everyday household materials
Weekly Essential -Spelling Challenge Weekly spelling focus is on Spelling Shed. Look at our Spelling strategies to help you learn them. Spelling Quiz: FRIDAY	Make - Can you make a habitat in your garden for some creatures?  Make a list of the creatures who come to stay.	Sketch - Draw a Rainforest scene. What creatures will you put in there?	Experience - Ask your parents/carers about their favourite track & listen to it with them. What instruments are in it? How does it make you feel? Why do your parents think it is so great? Do you agree with them?