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9<sup>th</sup> January 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are very excited to have arranged for the London-based company Mexicolore to visit our Year 5 children as part of their 'Marvellous Mexico' unit on **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> January 2025**. Mexicolore is a small, independent, artefact-based teaching team providing in-school visits and teaching resources on Mexico, the Mexica (Aztecs) and the Maya. The children will participate in an action-packed workshop that will support and significantly enhance their learning in both History and Geography.

To help combat the rising cost of coach travel (which has significantly increased the costs of our trips over the last year), we are keen to arrange more high-quality visitors coming into school instead of off-site trips where possible. We believe that this 3-hour long workshop will not only be highly enjoyable but also incredibly memorable and beneficial to the children's Ancient Mayan learning.

*'When I saw the Mexicolore presentation last year I was spellbound. This year - it was even better! So much information, presented in such an interesting and memorable manner... If you are studying the Maya - this is a must!'* (Lead Yr 5 teacher, Ferndown Middle School, Dorset).

**The cost of this workshop is £6.45 per child** and is payable via ScoPay.

Kind regards,

Mrs Katie Coe  
Year 5 Learning and Progress Leader