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Upper 3 geographers explore the Wonders of the World through VR: a journey beyond imagination!





In their exploration of the Wonders of the World, our Upper 3 pupils recently embarked on an extraordinary journey using the school's cutting-edge virtual reality (VR) headsets. This immersive experience allowed our pupils to virtually traverse the globe, soaring beneath the enchanting Northern Lights in Iceland and gliding over the majestic Grand Canyon in the USA. Beyond these natural wonders, they had the opportunity to visit newer wonders such as Machu Picchu in Peru and Chichen Itza in Mexico. With the VR headsets, pupils could fully immerse themselves in each location, enjoying the breathtaking 360-degree views.

Upon returning from their virtual travels, I asked each pupil to summarise their experiences into just three words, capturing the essence of their adventures using the headsets. I have compiled these responses into a word cloud shown on the next page, revealing the most common sentiments shared by our pupils.

This unique and innovative educational experience has undeniably been a resounding success, enriching their understanding of these magnificent wonders of the world.

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