

History Curriculum Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Nursery	<p>Under My Roof Family trees (grandparents, great grandparents) Developing sense of chronology: before I was born, before I came to nursery, when I go to school. Our past: How have we changed since we were born? What could we do then and what can we do now?</p>	<p>Animal Magic Endangered animals: some animals we know about became extinct in the past (dinosaurs), some animals now are endangered.</p>	<p>Once Upon a Time Kings and Queens, then and now Queen Elizabeth II and King Charles III's coronations in Westminster Abbey</p>	<p>Come Outside Farming in the past: use of horses and carts, horses and cows pulling ploughs. Present day use of machinery in farming.</p>	<p>Splish, Splash, Splosh Extinct and endangered ocean animals – mastodon, sea turtles, tuna, blue whales.</p>	<p>On the Move Transport in the past: what it looked like – motor cars, steam trains, tall ships. How cars, trains and aeroplanes look different today.</p>
Reception	<p>My Hero People Who Help Us – change over time. Developing sense of chronology; before I was born, when I was a baby, before I came to school, which classroom will I be in next year? Our school year – what will we do this year in Reception?</p>	<p>Light and Dark Past explorers – space exploration The International Space Station: when and why it was launched. Significant individuals who looked at the stars (Galileo) and the moon landings (Armstrong). What scientists and astronomers know about our Solar System now: our sun, the planets in our solar system.</p>	<p>Look Inside What makes me special? My past, present, future and that of others including characters from stories.</p>	<p>Into the Woods Tree growth over time – locally relevant information e.g. areas that used to be woodland and what those areas look like / are used for now.</p>	<p>Food Glorious Food How we cook food now – campfire toasting compared to the past. Food used for celebrations in the past and present, a Victorian tea party.</p>	<p>Around the World Past explorers – Captain Scott, Amelia Earhart, Neil Armstrong. Transport in the past; horse and carriage, motor cars, penny farthing, omnibus, ferry, other locally relevant transport from history Modern transport including the Japanese Bullet Train, hovercraft, racing cars, aeroplanes and other examples of technologically advanced transport</p>
Year 1	<p>Geography taught this half-term</p>	<p>Discovering History What is the Past? Family Trees How do we know about history? What do archaeologists do? Our Local History</p>	<p>Geography taught this half-term</p>	<p>Kings, Queens and Leaders Kings and Queens King John I and the Magna Carta Henry III and Parliament Charles I Oliver Cromwell and the Commonwealth</p>	<p>Geography taught this half-term</p>	<p>Parliament and Prime Ministers James II, Mary II and William of Orange Simon de Montfort and parliament Robert Walpole Our Prime Minister today Elections</p>
Year 2	<p>Geography taught this half-term</p>	<p>Romans in Britain The Roman Empire Roman armies and soldiers The invasion of Britain and Boudicca Roman towns Roman legacy</p>	<p>Geography taught this half-term</p>	<p>The Tudors Life in Tudor England Henry VIII The English Reformation Edward VI and Mary I Elizabeth I</p>	<p>Geography taught this half-term</p>	<p>Powerful Voices Gandhi Rosa Parks and Martin Luther King Malala Yousafzai Greta Thunberg Local: David Attenborough</p>
Year 3	<p>Geography taught this half-term</p>	<p>Stone Age to the Iron Age Mesolithic Hunter Gatherers Life in Neolithic Britain The Bronze Age Stonehenge The Iron Age</p>	<p>Geography taught this half-term</p>	<p>Ancient Egypt Locating Egypt and the River Nile Life in Ancient Egypt Religion and the Afterlife Tutankhamun and Howard Carter Hieroglyphics</p>	<p>Geography taught this half-term</p>	<p>Ancient Greece (Y4 PKC) Ancient Greece: City States Athens and Democracy The Persian Wars Alexander the Great Greek Philosophy OR Greek Gods and Goddesses</p>

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Year 4	Geography taught this half-term	Life in Ancient Rome Locating Ancient Rome Monarchy, Republic, Empire: Rome's different governments Pompeii A day in the life of Ancient Rome Latin: A Roman legacy	Geography taught this term		Anglo Saxons, the Scots and the Vikings	
					Anglo Saxon England The Scots and the Picts Anglo Saxon Settlements Anglo Saxon Culture and Religion Who were the Vikings? Viking Raids and Invasion	Alfred the Great Viking settlements and Dane Law Viking Religion and Culture Edward the Confessor The Norman Invasion
Year 5	Geography taught this half-term	Baghdad c.900 CE The Rise of Islam Baghdad: A City of Peace Baghdad: Building a City Baghdad: A Centre for Learning in the Islamic Golden Age The Mongol Attack on Baghdad and the Regional Powers	Geography taught this half-term	The Industrial Revolution The Industrial Revolution Cotton Production Steam Engines and Trains Iron and Coal Children at Work	Geography taught this half-term	The Victorian Age The Reign of Queen Victoria and the British Empire Victorian Cities The Poor Law and the Workhouse Leisure Life by 1900
Year 6	Geography taught this half-term	World War I The Causes of World War I On land, at sea and in the air Life on the Western Front The Home Front The Consequences of the War	Geography taught this half-term	The Suffragettes Democracy in the 19th Century The National Union of Women's Suffrage Societies Emmeline Pankhurst and the WSPU The Anti-Suffrage Campaign World War I and the Representation of the People Act	Geography taught this half-term	The History of Human Rights Human Rights Women's Rights Children's Rights Racial Equality Freedom of Belief and Religion