

History curriculum

Reviewed May 2025

Curriculum Coverage						
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
EYFS	Marvellous Me	Amazing Animals	People who help us	Dinosaurs Mary Anning	Out in the Garden	At the Seaside Grace Darling
Y1	Me and My Wonderful world <i>Changes in living memory</i>	Heroes and Villains <i>Significant individuals</i> Mary Seacole Florence Nightingale Guy Fawkes	Let it Snow Geography unit	India Geography unit	Woodland Wanderers Geography unit	Castles <i>Significant places in their own locality -Corfe Castle</i>
Y2	Great Fire of London <i>Events beyond living memory</i>	Beasts and Dragons Geography unit	Under the Sea Geography unit		Titanic <i>A local history study</i>	
Y3	Stone Age to Iron Age <i>Changes in Britain from Stone Age to Iron Age</i>	UK and its counties Geography unit	European study compare Dorset and Andalucia Spain Geography unit	Boudicca <i>The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain</i>	Rainforests (Mayans) <i>A non-European society that provides contrast with British history -Mayan civilization c. AD 900</i>	Rainforests Geography unit
Y4	Ancient Egypt <i>The achievements of the earliest civilizations – Ancient Egypt</i>	Ancient Greek Life <i>Ancient Greece – a study of Greek life and achievements and their influence on the western world</i>	Britain settlements by Anglos Saxons and the scots Viking and Anglo Saxon struggle <i>The Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England to the time of Edward the Confessor.</i>		Natural Disasters Geography unit	
Y5	World War 2 + local study on Tyneham <i>A study of an aspect or theme in British history that extends pupils' chronological knowledge beyond 1066.</i> <i>A local history study</i>		The Americas Geography unit		Space Race <i>A study of an aspect or theme in British history that extends pupils' chronological knowledge beyond 1066 - 1960s and the Space Race</i>	Volcanoes and the Pacific Ring of Fire Geography unit

Y6	<p>Countries of Africa</p> <p>Geography unit</p>	<p>Climate change (Studland focus)</p> <p>Geography unit</p>	<p>Victorians</p> <p><i>A study of an aspect or theme in British history that extends pupils' chronological knowledge beyond 1066.</i></p>
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