



History Subject Coverage Overview YrR - Yr4



EYFS - Understanding the World	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
	<i>History: Past and Present</i> Marvellous Me! Children will know about their own life story and how they have changed.	<i>History: Past and Present</i> Traditional Tales Children will know some similarities and differences between things in the past and now.	<i>History: Past and Present</i> Looking after me! Children will talk about the lives of people around them.	<i>History: Past and Present</i> The Great Outdoors (Growing) Children will talk about past and present events in their lives and what has been read to them.	<i>History: Past and Present</i> Everybody's Welcome Children will know about the past through settings and characters	<i>History: Past and Present</i> Caterpillar, Butterfly! Children will know about the past through settings, characters and events.

Year A		Autumn		Spring		Summer	
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KS1	Year 1 and Year 2		Toys – past and present Focusing on the materials used to make toys (past and present), similarities and differences and the influence that technology has had on children's toys.		Significant individuals (explorers) Focusing on what these explorers discovered or achieved, what impact this has had on modern life, challenges they faced and why they are celebrated today.		Castles Focusing on what a castle is and why they were built, how were they used for defence, who lived in them, how were they built and why are they important.
LKS2	Year 3 and Year 4	The Stone Age to Iron Age Focusing on stone tools and hunter-gatherers, archaeology, chronology across a timeline and Stonehenge			Ancient Greece Focusing on where and when this period happened, daily life and how it compares to modern life, influential figures, art and architecture and the importance of the city and battle of Troy.		The Victorians Focusing on Queen Victoria and her significance to modern Britain, daily life for Victorian children and how that differs to children today and the Industrial Revolution

Year B		Autumn		Spring		Summer	
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KS1	Year 1 and Year 2		<p>Signs of the past – local area</p> <p>Focusing on what history is, how Vallis First School has changed over time, how old is Frome and who John Webb Singer was.</p>		<p>Explorers – Shackleton and Earhart</p> <p>Focusing on the Endurance Expedition, why these explorers are famous and the lessons we have learnt from their significance.</p>		<p>Timeline of cooking and food</p> <p>Focusing on how food storage, diet and cooking have changed over time, how shopping has changed and what they have learnt about food.</p>
LKS2	Year 3 and Year 4		<p>Ancient Egyptians</p> <p>Focusing on archaeologists (such as Howard Carter), pharaohs, mummification, architecture (the Pyramids of Giza) and the River Nile.</p>		<p>The Roman Empire and Britain</p> <p>Focusing on who the Romans were and what the Roman Empire was, significant individuals (Julius Caesar), the Roman army and the rebellion from the Celts (Boudicca).</p>		<p>Vikings and Anglo Saxon</p> <p>Focusing on Vikings and why they invaded other countries, the impact that both the Vikings and the Anglo-Saxons have on Britain, and key figures (King Ethelred and Alfred the Great).</p>