

History Whole School Curriculum Map

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Reception	Ourselves To know own life story and how 'I have changed'	Animals To explore similarities and differences of animals that live today and animals that are extinct (Including Christmas 100 years ago and that of present day)	Earth and Space Figures from the past (Mae Jamison and astronauts on the ISS now)	People who help us Roles of people who help and how this has changed over the last 100 years	Plants and growth History of Kew Gardens	Change (Including farming - similarities and differences of the past and with modern farming)
Year 1	<i>Geography focus</i>	How do toys from the past compare to toys today?	<i>Geography focus</i>	What does it take to be a great explorer?	<i>Geography focus</i>	How have significant individuals put Richmond on the map?
Year 2	Why were castles so important to the Normans?	<i>Geography focus</i>	How did Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole change the nursing profession?	<i>Geography focus</i>	How did the Great Fire of London change the landscape of London?	<i>Geography focus</i>
Year 3	<i>Geography focus</i>	How did the lives of Ancient Britons change between the Stone Age and the Iron Age?	<i>Geography focus</i>	What can we learn from Ancient Egyptian remains?	<i>Geography focus</i>	How did Ancient Greece influence the western world?
Year 4	How did the arrival of the Romans change Britain?	<i>Geography focus</i>	What did the Anglo-Saxons leave behind?	<i>Geography focus</i>	<i>Geography focus</i>	The Vikings: ruthless killers or peaceful settlers?
Year 5	How did the increasing power of the Tudor monarchy impact the lives of people in England?	<i>Geography focus</i>	Was Victorian Britain a 'dark age' or 'golden era'?	<i>Geography focus</i>	Manmade or Natural Disaster – which best explains the disappearance of the Maya around AD 900?	<i>Geography focus</i>
Year 6	How did WW2 change the social landscape of Britain?		<i>Geography focus</i>	<i>Geography focus</i>	How did some significant individuals fight for change?	<i>Geography focus</i>

Themes: Social Change (including the impact on people's lives in Britain), The Nature of Ancient Civilisations, Invaders and Settlers, Exploration, and Legacy