



HISTORY CURRICULUM

OVERVIEW OF TOPICS

All topics involve elements of historical enquiry skills and use of a range of sources.

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Understanding the World - including but not limited to

- Past and present
- Similarities and differences
- People and roles in society
- Explore the past through books, images and their own life stories

Events beyond living memory - Great Fire of London
Significant individuals - Victorians

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Changes within living memory - Space Race
Significant historical event (Local) - West Indian Carnival
Significant individuals - expeditions
Event beyond living memory - Titanic
Significant individuals - Castles

Britain from Stone Age to Iron Age
Non-European society - Mayans

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The Roman Empire and impact on Britain - Romans
Achievements of earliest civilisations - Egyptians

Britain's settlements by Anglo-Saxons, Scots and Vikings
A study of life and achievements - Ancient Greece
Local History - Leeds and Whitby

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Local History - Leeds then and now
Historical event beyond 1066 - World War II
Significant turning point in history - Windrush

We look at personal history from EYFS and develop timelines from Reception. Historical timelines are in all classroom from KS1 to KS4.