



Oakfield Primary School History Long Term Plan

EYFS: Understanding the World

Understanding the world involves guiding children to make sense of their physical world and their community. The frequency and range of children's personal experiences increases their knowledge and sense of the world around them - from visiting parks, libraries and museums to meeting important members of society such as police officers, nurses and firefighters. In addition, listening to a broad selection of stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems will foster their understanding of our culturally, socially, technologically and ecologically diverse world. As well as building important knowledge, this extends their familiarity with words that support understanding across domains. Enriching and widening children's vocabulary will support later reading comprehension.

Term	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Autumn	Now and Then Knowledge of historical changes within living memory	Great and Ghastly Knowledge of historical events beyond living memory that are significant	Geography Focus Knowledge of historical changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age.	Building an Empire Knowledge of the impact of Roman Empire on Britain	Local History Knowledge of an aspect of local history: the formation of Scunthorpe and the impact of the First World War	Victorians Knowledge of an aspect or theme in British history that extends chronological knowledge beyond 1066: The Victorian Era
Spring	Now and Then Knowledge of changes to toys within living memory	Geography Focus Knowledge of the lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed nationally and internationally.	Where it all began Knowledge of the achievements of an early civilization: Ancient Egypt.	Geography Focus Knowledge of Anglo-Saxon and Viking invasion and settlement in the UK	Geography Focus Knowledge of Ancient Greek life and achievements and influence on the Western world	WWII Knowledge of the key events during WWII and the significance of the Battle of Britain
Summer	Hot and cold Places Knowledge of continuity and change at the seaside.	Significant individuals Knowledge of the lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed nationally and internationally.	Ancient Egyptians Knowledge of the achievements of an early civilization: Ancient Egypt.	Raiders and Traders Knowledge of Anglo-Saxon and Viking invasion and settlement in the UK	A lasting legacy- Ancient Greece Knowledge of Ancient Greek life and achievements and influence on the Western world	The Silk Road Knowledge a non-European society that provides contrasts with British history - early Islamic civilization, including a study of Baghdad c. AD 900 Crime and Punishment Knowledge of continuity and change of crime and punishment throughout British history