

History and Geography Long Term Plan  
(2023-24: Class 1 A-Nursery Reception Year 1, Class 2-year 2, Class 3-year 5)

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Nursery Year A	Feelings Castles	Autumn Christmas	Winter	Spring	Animal Homes Dinosaurs	Summer People that help us
Reception Year 1 Year A	Houses and Homes What was it like to live in a castle?	Celebrations How can we perform our Nativity?	Our Wonderful World What would it be like to live in a hot country?		Animals How do we know Dinosaurs were real?	Emergency! What is an emergency?
Nursery Year B	All About Me My Feelings	Autumn Christmas	Winter Penguins	Spring Minibeasts	Old Toys Fairy Tales - Goldilocks and the Three Bears	Transport Summer
Reception Year 1 Year B	All about me! Why is Boroughbridge so special?	Celebrations Does everyone celebrate Christmas?	Winter Is it always cold in the South Pole?	Nature What can we grow in our garden?	Past How have toys changed over time?	Transport Who flew the first plane?

In Class 1 (Nursery/ Reception/ Year 1) we have adopted the Enquiry Based Learning approach to our curriculum. Children will take part in class enquiries to find out answers to questions and share their process with others. Year 1 will cover objectives from the national curriculum and to do this will have extra sessions to provide the information they need. Our enquiries will start with a theme and then work towards an enquiry question (these questions may be subject to change depending on the children's interests).

Above are listed the themes and enquiry questions (just R & Y1 as nursery have mini topics). Please see our Enquiry Based Learning Long Term Plan to see where we cover Geography and History.

Geography and History is also within our continuous provision. Children have the opportunity on a daily basis to build Geography and History skills.

Year 2	Geography: Seasons Why are the seasons different?	History: Bonfire Night Should we still celebrate Bonfire Night?	Geography: Journeys - Food Where does our food come from?	History: Holidays How have holidays changed over time?	Geography: Our Wonderful World What are the seven wonders of the world?	History: Our Local Heroes Who are our local heroes?
Year 3	Geography: Climate and Weather Why is climate important?	History: The Stone Age How did communities develop throughout The Stone Age?	Geography: Our World Where on Earth are we?	History: The Bronze Age and The Iron Age How have tool making methods changed over time?	Geography: Coasts What can we see beside the seaside?	History: Local History Why should we preserve our locality?
Year 4	Geography: The Americas Is there more to North America than the USA?	History: The Ancient Egyptians Was the Nile the source of Ancient Egypt's success?	Geography: Rivers and The Water Cycle How have rivers changed our country?	History: Roman Britain How did the Romans influence the culture of the people already living in Britain?	Geography: Earthquakes and Volcanoes How powerful is our world?	History: Crime and Punishment Has the way we catch and punish criminals improved in the last 100 years?
Year 5	Geography: Changes in the Environment How can we protect the polar regions?	History: The Anglo-Saxons Was life better in Anglo Saxon Britain or Roman Britain?	Geography: Europe - A Study of the Alpine Region How is this region affected by	History: The Vikings The Vikings – ruthless killers or peaceful settlers?	South America and The Amazon How do our environmental regions compare?	History: Journeys How significant was the invention of trains in the UK?

			tourism?			
Year 6	<p><b>Geography: Africa</b></p> <p>What are our rights?</p>	<p><b>History: The Maya Civilisations</b></p> <p>Why should we remember the Maya?</p>	<p><b>Geography: Global Warming and Climate Change</b></p> <p>What can we do to safeguard our future?</p>	<p><b>History: The Ancient Greeks</b></p> <p>How did the Ancient Greeks shape the world we live in today?</p>	<p><b>Geography: Our World in the Future</b></p> <p>How can we save our biomes?</p>	<p><b>History: The Impact of War</b></p> <p>How did World War Two affect different people within society?</p>