

United Curriculum: History

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4
Autumn	My Family History [Aut 2] An introduction to the past with 'My Family Tree', and how schools, toys and the way we communicate have changed in living memory.	Local History Using primary and secondary sources to learn how our local community has changed over time.	European History: Prehistoric Britain [Aut 2] How settlements, food, communities and beliefs changed across the Palaeolithic, Mesolithic, Neolithic, Bronze Age and Iron Age.	North American History: Ancient Maya [Aut 2] Understanding life for the Ancient Maya, and comparing this with that of the Ancient Greeks and Ancient Egyptians.
Spring	History of Transport The development of transport by land, sea, air and space and the roles of key individuals.	Great Fire of London [Spr 2] Life in 1660s London, and the causes and effects of the Great Fire of London.	African History: Ancient Egypt The role of the pharaoh in Ancient Egypt, and examining pyramids, mummification and conquest in the Egyptian empire.	Asian History: Early Islamic Civilisation [Spr1] The establishment of Baghdad and the contributions Islamic scholars in the House of Wisdom made to science, maths, medicine and technology.
Summer	Homes Through Time How homes looked different in the past, using pictures and videos.	Explorers The similarities and differences between the lives of Sacagawea and Michael Collins.	European History: Ancient Greece [Sum 2] The contributions made by the city-states of Ancient Greece, and how these influence our lives today.	European History: Local History Why is [X] famous today? How has [local feature] been important in our community? How has migration shaped our community?

