



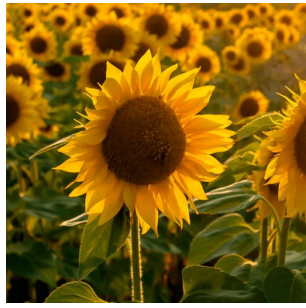








<p>Reception Class Learning Projects</p>
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	Advent Term		Lent Term		Pentecost Term	
Main Topics each year						
	Me and My Community Learning what a community is, how we fit in to our community and people who help us. We are also settling into our school community.	Once Upon a time Listen to a range of Fairy Tales and learning what a fairy Tale is. Looking at the clothes that people wore a long time ago.	Starry Night What is night and how does our world look so different at night? Why is sleep important to keep us healthy and who works through the night?	Dangerous Dinosaurs What is a dinosaur, when did dinosaurs live and how do we know about them? Finding out names of common dinosaurs and what they ate.	Sunshine and Flowers In this topic we learn all about plants and what they need to grow. We also look at some types of insects and also how we can keep ourselves safe in the sun.	The Big Wide World We get to look at a globe and explore Google Earth finding out about our planet and the different habitats. We also think about different ways to travel.
Mini Projects each year						
	Exploring Autumn Science Learning that Autumn is one of four seasons, what happens in Autumn and how animals survive cold weather.	Sparkle and Shine Finding out how people celebrate different religious festivals. Making links between Christmas, Hanukkah, and Diwali.	Winter Wonderland Learning about the weather in winter, and how we keep ourselves warm. Finding out about other places in the world where it's cold.	Puddles and Rainbows Exploring colours of the rainbow through colour mixing and finding out about the season of Spring.	Shadows and Reflections We find out what makes a shadow and what surfaces will reflect. We learn that we can see through transparent objects.	Splash! What happens to water if it gets very cold or very hot? What happens to water if we leave it out? How much water is there, and can we live without it?

In Reception class, all the areas of learning are all linked through the topics and mini topics.
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Years 1 & 2 Learning Projects

Advent Term
History

Childhood

In this topic we find out about the past by learning what it was like to be a child years ago and how the world has changed in the last few decades. We look at family trees and the stages of human life.

Lent Term
Geography

Bright Lights, Big City

We compare London with Leicester and name some landmarks. We learn the difference between a city, town and village and the difference between human and physical features of the landscape.

Pentecost Term
History

School Days

Life for Victorian school children was very different to school today. Find out what the classrooms were like and what lessons were like as well as how strict Victorian schools were.

Year A
2023-24

Year B
2022-23


Movers and Shakers

Find out about significant people and what defines a significant person. From artists, activists and explorers to scientists and monarchs. Learn what these people have done and how we still learn from them now.


Coastline

Investigate the physical and human features of the coast around Britain. Use a compass to find different places and learn how to keep safe when going into the sea. Find out how to call the RNLI and how they can help you if you get into trouble.


Magnificent Monarchs

What is a monarch? Who is our monarch now and who has been a monarch in the past? Find out the names of significant monarchs and what they are remembered for and find their place on a timeline.

Years 3 & 4 Learning Projects

Advent Term History



Through the Ages

Compare how people lived in the Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age. Find out about everyday life, and what their beliefs were. What were their houses like and how do we know about them now?

Lent Term Geography



Rocks, Relics and Rumbles

Learn about the geology of the Earth and find out about all the different types of rocks. Why is the Earth moving beneath our feet? Investigate what secrets the Earth can tell us though looking at fossils.

Pentecost Term History



Emperors and Empires

Find out all about the Romans. Who are they, when and how did they live? Find out what it was like living as a Roman. Why did they come to Britain and what did they leave behind?

Year A
2023-24



Invasion

Britain has been invaded by the Anglo Saxons, the Vikings, and the Normans. Who were these people and why did they invade Britain. Find out when these invasions took place and what the impact was on the people who lived here.



Misty Mountains, Winding Rivers

Find out about the different types of mountains and how the contours on a map can help navigate mountains. Learn about the water cycle, how to identify the different stages of a river and why the landscape is constantly changing because of water.

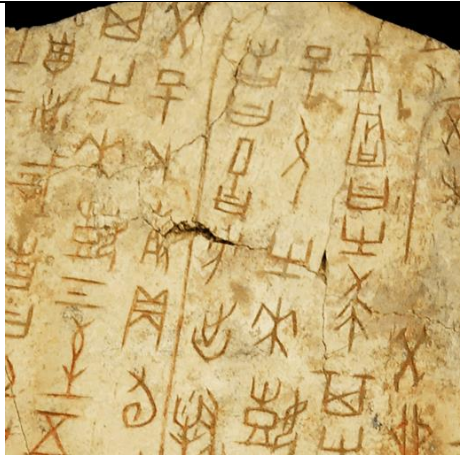

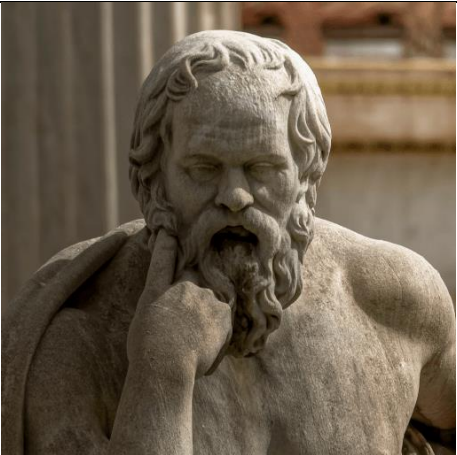





Ancient Civilisations

Learn about the ancient civilisations of Sumer, Egypt and the Indus Valley. Find out when they lived and why they chose to live in those places. What were their lives like and how were their societies structured? Finally, find out what we remember these ancient civilisations for.

Year B
2022-23

Years 5 & 6 Learning Projects

		Autumn Term History	Spring Term Geography	Summer Term History
Year A 2023-24				
		Dynamic Dynasties The Shang Dynasty existed over a thousand years before Christ. Where did they live and why do we know so much about them now? Learn about how they lived, what their beliefs were and what their legacy to the world is.	Frozen Kingdoms Learn about the polar regions of the world. Find out about the coldest places on Earth. Is the North Pole the same as the South Pole? What is the landscape like and does anyone actually live there?	Groundbreaking Greeks Learn all about the ancient Greeks. When did they live, how did they live and what is their legacy to the world? Find out about the most significant people in ancient Greek history and what we have today because of them.
Year B 2022-23				
		Maafa Find out about the Slave Trade – how people were forcibly taken from their homes in Africa by European slave traders and sold like property and forced to work. Learn what life was like for slaves and how the slave trade was ended. Finally, find out about significant black Britons.	Sow, Grow and Farm! Learn where our food comes from. What food do we grow in this country and what foods are grown in other countries. Investigate the different Climate zones around the world and how that affects what can be grown. Learn how far your food travels before it ends up on your plate.	Britain at War Britain has been in two world wars. Find out who was on each side and what the causes of war were. When did they start, how did they end and how different was the way the wars were fought? What were the significant battles of the wars and how did people live with the effects of war?