



St Marys Catholic Primary School

History Curriculum Map

2025-2026



Term	Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Autumn	<p>In Nursery, History is covered through the following curriculum questions and themes:</p> <p>Who am I and who are my friends?</p> <p>Myself - My past.</p> <p>Who is in my family?</p>	<p>In Reception, History is covered through the following curriculum questions and themes:</p> <p>Who am I and who are my friends?</p> <p>Myself – My past</p> <p>Who is in my family?</p> <p>People from the Past - Vincent Van Gogh</p>	<p>Reception to Year 1</p> <p>Transition:</p> <p>All about me (2/3 weeks)</p> <p>Who is Guy Fawkes and why do we remember him?</p>	<p>Why are queens significant?</p>	<p>What was the most significant discovery in Ancient Britain?</p>	<p>What were the main achievements of the Ancient Greeks?</p>	<p>How and why did the Anglo-Saxons settle in Britain?</p>	<p>How has the power of the monarchy changed over time?</p>
Spring	<p>Who lives in this house?</p> <p>My home</p> <p>Do all homes look the same?</p> <p>What happens when I plant a seed?</p> <p>Baby Animals</p>	<p>Where on Earth am I?</p> <p>How has my local area changed over time?</p> <p>What happens when I plant a seed?</p> <p>Who will come to the fairy tale ball?</p>	<p>What do toys tell us about the past?</p>	<p>What makes someone a real-life superhero?</p>	<p>What mattered most to the Ancient Egyptians?</p>	<p>How did the Romans change Britain?</p>	<p>How did the Battle of Hastings affect Britain Today?</p>	<p>How did World War II change everyday life in Britain, and why is it important to remember?</p>

		Stories set in the past						
Summer	<p>Who will help bear?</p> <p>What happens next?</p> <p>How have I changed?</p>	<p>Do all superheroes wear capes?</p> <p>People who help us – comparing firefighters now and then</p>	Why were castles built?	How did trains change the way we live?	How did the Industrial Revolution change the way people lived and worked?	What is the impact of the Windrush on the United Kingdom?	How did the Benin Kingdom rise and why did it fall?	Health Superstition Vs Science