

Preston Grange Primary School History Curriculum



Autumn 1	Passage of time - sequencing daily routine.	
	Discussion around growing up. What can we do now that we could not do as a baby?	
	Engage in joint attention with adults for short periods of time	
	Recognise themselves and name family	
Autumn 2	Christmas story/traditions/past and present.	
	Continue to develop positive attitudes and the differences between people.	
Spring 1	Reading traditional tales.	
	Show interest in different occupations	
Spring 2	Describe and enact some of the roles of community figures	
Summer 1	Finding about animals that are extinct (dinosaurs)	
	Looking at differences in how the beach and seaside might have looked in the past.	
	Know that there are different countries in the world and talk about the differences they have experienced or seen in photos.	
Summer 2	Work alongside adults imitating their actions	
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	Talk about things that have already happened and things that are going to happen.	
	Generate simple stories inspired by props.	

Reception Overview

Autumn 1 Know that children were babies in the past. Know that adults were children in the past.		
	Narrate the pattern of the school day using now, next, after playtime, after lunch, before home time etc.	
	Know that adults can remember things form the past.	
Autumn 2	Describe family Christmas traditions.	
	Name some special buildings in our community and explain how they are used in celebrations.	
	Notice the change in day length and discuss day / night daily activities.	
Spring 1	Describe and re-enact traditions from Chinese New Year celebrations.	
	Narrate the pattern of the week using today, tomorrow, and yesterday.	
Spring 2	Identify similarities and difference between babies and 4 year olds and describe how people change in the first 4 years of life.	
	Identify similarities and difference between 4 year olds and adults. Describe how people grow up and change.	
	Describe some difference between farming now and in the past.	
Summer 1	Make links between texts.	
Summer 2	Using language linked to sequencing and time e.g. before, then, next, now, first, finally	
	Engage in games where different participants have different roles.	

KS1 and KS2 Overview



Year	Unit 1	Unit 2
1	Images Through Time	<u>Grace Darling</u>
2	<u>Great Fires</u>	Transport in the Past
3	Stone and Iron Age Britain	<u>Ancient Egypt</u>
4	<u>Roman Empire and Britain</u>	Local History Study of Romans in the North East
5	Anglo-Saxons and Vikings	Early Islamic Civilisations
6	<u>Post 1066 Study: World War Two</u>	Ancient Greece