

Whole School Curriculum Overview 2023-24



At Highfields Primary school, we want to prepare children for a happy life. We not only want them to learn how to make a living but be confident in the world and know how to live a fulfilling life.

Term		Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring	Summer
Project Weeks		Black History Week (October)	MH+W/Anti-Bullying Week (November)	Science Week (STEAM) (March)	Enterprise/Healthy Schools (June)
EYFS	A	All about me (Children’s interests)	Art Attack (Changes)	Spring 1: Build it - Highfields	Summer 1: Bug's Life
				Spring 2: Once Upon a time	Summer 2: Off we go/Journeys
	B		Fun with Food	Spring 1: Fantasy	Summer: Our Wonderful World
				Spring 2: Everyday Heroes	
1		Where I Live (Characteristics of UK) FlipGrid	Our School (Local History/Characteristics of UK) Interviews	Things That Change (Changes within Living Memory) Video Presentation	Hot Places Asia/Africa/South America/ Australia (Comparing Leicester to non-UK locality) Assembly
2		Significant People making a Change (Significant People and Events) Voice Over	Cold Places - Explorers (Antarctica) Presentation	Great Fire of London (Beyond Living Memory/ Stuarts/Capital Cities) Interview	What makes Great Britain great? (Capital Cities + Characteristics of UK) Debate
3		Stone Age – Iron Age Pop Up Timeline	Rainforests Around the World (South America/North America) Debate	Ancient Civilisations Ancient Egyptians (Africa) Non-Chronological Report	Fantastic Food: (Where Food Comes From) Class Display
4		Ancient Civilisations (Ancient Greece (Double Page Spread), Roman Empire (Democracy Debate), Early Islamic Civilisation (Presentation), Countries of world/European countries + major cities)		Volcanoes + Earthquakes (North America) Weather Report	Our Wonderful World (Natural Resources and Energy) Speech
5		The UK - What a place to be! (Counties, Physical + Human characteristics) Debate	On Our Doorstep (Local History, Counties/ cities/ changes to landscape) Debate	Invaders and Settlers Anglo Saxons/Vikings Presentation	River Deep, Mountain High (Human/Physical features) Presentation
6		World Wars (Beyond 1066, Human/Physical – maps – bombings evacuations) Debate		Europe Tourist Advert Our Planet Presentation	Threats to the Throne (Tudors/Victorians) Presentation