

The Intent of our Curriculum - History.

At Bryn St. Peter's we have designed our history curriculum to ensure it is fully inclusive of every child. Our aims are to fulfil the requirements of the National Curriculum for History; providing a broad, balanced and differentiated curriculum that encompasses the British Values throughout; ensuring the progressive development of historical concepts, knowledge and skills; and for the children to study life in the past.

Our intent is a high quality history curriculum which should inspire in pupils a curiosity and fascination about Britain's past and that of the wider world. Our teaching equips pupils with knowledge about the history of Britain and how it has influenced and been influenced by the wider world; know and understand about significant aspects of the history of the wider world like ancient civilisations and empires; changes in living memory and beyond living memory; learn about the lives of significant people of the past; understand the methods of historical enquiry and be able to ask and answer questions; to understand abstract terms such as 'empire', 'civilisation', 'parliament' and 'peasantry'. Across the key stages and year groups, we aim to weave an increasingly complex and detailed time line and understanding of significant dates along with the chronology of periods studied. Importantly, we want children to enjoy and love learning about history by gaining knowledge and skills, not just through experiences in the classroom, but also with the use of experiences brought into school and educational visits.