History

History is about providing children with the tools to access and learn about the past so that we may understand the future. It is learning about how past events have influenced the modern world on a local, national and global level. The skills learnt in History are vital to other areas of the curriculum, such as English, Maths, Geography and more. The History curriculum allows children to develop a chronologically secure knowledge and understanding of local, British and world history. This approach provides a solid framework, anchoring each unit within a wider narrative.

Aims

Pupils will:

- Develop an awareness and interest of the past.
- Note connections, contrasts and trends over time and develop the appropriate use of historical terms.
- Address and devise historically valid questions about change, cause, similarity and difference and significance.
- Understand how our knowledge of the past is constructed from a range of sources
- Be able to use technology where needed to aid their learning

