

History and Geography Whole School Long Term Plan 2025-26

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Y1 Saplings	What is it like at our school?	What toys from the past would you like to play with?	Comparing Halifax in the past and the present through photos	What is it like here in Ripponden?	What is the weather like in the UK?	King and Queens
Y2 Great Oaks	Would you prefer to live in a hot or cold place?	Local history study: How was school different in the past? Percy Shaw Remembrance Day	How did the Great Fire of London change London?	How have great explorers (Christopher Columbus and Neil Armstrong) found out about our world and beyond?	China: Comparing our local environment to a large city in China	What is it like to live by the coast?
Y3 Chestnuts	What is it like in West Yorkshire?	What are earthquakes and volcanoes?	How do we know about the Stone Age	Would I rather live in the Bronze Age or Iron Age	What is it like on the Isles of Scilly?	The Ancient Egyptians
Y4 Willows	Should we be grateful that the Romans Invaded?	What is it like in the UK?	What impact did Ancient Greece have on the world?	What are rivers and how are they used?	How should we remember the Anglo Saxons?	What is life like in the Alps?
Y5 Maples	Why does population change?	What did the Vikings do for Britain?	Would you prefer to live in	How terrible were the Tudors?	Why are rainforests	The Maya

			a hot or polar desert?		important to us?	
Y6 Redwoods	What is it like in California?	Turning Point in British History – How did we win the Battle of Britain?	Can I carry out an independent fieldwork enquiry?	Local History: How would life have been different in Ripponden during the Industrial Revolution?	Where does our food and energy come from?	