



## Yew Tree Primary School Topic Overview 2022/2023

	AUTUMN	SPRING	SUMMER
<b>Whole School Focus Weeks</b>	<b>Yew Tree and Beyond</b> A focus on local history and geography.	<b>Being British</b> A focus on British Values inc. faith and diversity	<b>Healthy Living</b> A focus on physical fitness and healthy schools
<b>Enrichment Days</b> <i>(Subject to change)</i>	Diversity Day International / Harvest Day Edgmond Hall (Year 2) Pantomime Creative Arts Day	Young Voices Concert (Year 5 and 6) Plas Gwynant (Year 6) E-Safety Day World Book Day	Sports Days Community picnics Talent Show

Layered Curriculum	EYFS	YEAR 3	YEAR 4	YEAR 5	YEAR 6
PROVISION	Forest School	Music tuition Recorders	Modern Foreign Languages Spanish	Swimming	Modern Foreign Languages Spanish

EYFS topic weeks		TOPIC 1	TOPIC 2	TOPIC 3	TOPIC 4	TOPIC 5	TOPIC 6
<b>YN</b>	Topic	Let's Explore / Build it up	Marvellous Machines / Puppets and Pop Ups	Long Ago / Stories and Rhymes	Ready Steady Grow / Signs of Spring	Animal Safari / Creep, Crawl and Wriggle	On the Beach / Move it
	Memorable Experience	School led Create a treasure hunt	Visitor Puppet Show	School led Photos of older times	Off-Site Visit Visit to a farm	Visitor Animal Man	School led Seaside day
<b>YR</b>	Topic	Let's Explore / Build it up	Marvellous Machines / Puppets and Pop Ups	Starry Night / Winter Wonderland	Ready Steady Grow / Signs of Spring	Animal Safari / Creep, Crawl and Wriggle	On the Beach / Move it
	Memorable Experience	School Led Walk around school	Visitor Puppet Show	School led Artefacts from older times	School led Looking for signs of Spring	Off-Site Visit Visit to a zoo	School led Seaside day

<b>KS1 and KS2 topic weeks</b>		<b>TOPIC 1 (8 WEEKS APPROX)</b>	<b>TOPIC 2 (8 WEEKS APPROX)</b>	<b>TOPIC 3 (8 WEEKS APPROX)</b>	<b>TOPIC 4 (8 WEEKS APPROX)</b>
<b>Y1</b>	Topic	<b>Childhood + Funny faces</b> (History KRP + Art & Design)	<b>Moon Zoom</b> (DT)	<b>School Days + Street View + Chop, Slice and Mash</b> (History KRP + Art & Design + DT)	<b>Bright Light, Big City + Taxi + Rain and Sunrays</b> (Geography KRP + DT + Art)
	Memorable Experience	<b>School led</b> Children to play with toys from the past	<b>Off-Site Visit</b> Visit to Think Tank	<b>School led</b> Tea Party	<b>Visitor</b> Great Fire of London workshop
<b>Y2</b>	Topic	<b>Movers and Shakers + Still Life</b> (History KRP + Art & Design)	<b>Towers, Tunnels and Turrets</b> (DT)	<b>Magnificent Monarchs + Portraits and Poses</b> (History KRP + Art & Design)	<b>Coastlines + Beach hut + Flower Head</b> (Geography KRP + DT + Art)
	Memorable Experience	<b>Visitor</b> Columbus and Armstrong workshop	<b>School led</b> Virtual castle visit	<b>Off-Site Visit</b> Visit to Selly Manor	<b>School led</b> Seaside day
<b>Y3</b>	Topic	<b>Rocks, Relics and Rumble + Ammonite</b> (Geography KRP + Art)	<b>Through the Ages + Prehistoric Pots</b> (History KRP + Art and Design)	<b>Urban Pioneers + People and Places</b> (Geography + Art and Design)	<b>Emperors and Empires + Mosaic Masters</b> (History KRP + Art and Design)
	Memorable Experience	<b>School led</b> Rock hunt	<b>Off-Site Visit</b> Outback to Basics	<b>School led</b> Walk around the local area	<b>Visitor</b> Roman workshop
<b>Y4</b>	Topic	<b>Invasion + Warp and Weft</b> (History KRP + Art and Design)	<b>Road Trip USA + Islamic Art</b> (Geography + Art linked to RE)	<b>1066</b> (History)	<b>Misty Mountain, Winding River + Vista</b> (Geography KRP + Art & Design)
	Memorable Experience	<b>Visitor into school</b> Saxon or Viking workshop	<b>Visitor into school</b> Prime VR workshop – The Americas	<b>School led</b> Examine artefacts from the Battle of Hastings	<b>Off-Site Visit</b> Sarehole Mill Rivers or Carding Mill Valley
<b>Y5</b>	Topic	<b>Firedamp and Davy Lamp</b> (Local History)	<b>Pharaohs</b> (History)	<b>Sow, grow and farm + Eat the Seasons + Line, Light and Shadows</b> (Geography KRP + DT + Art)	<b>Ground-breaking Greeks + Architecture + Mixed Media</b> (History KRP + DT + Art)
	Memorable Experience	<b>Off-Site Visit</b> Black Country Museum	<b>School led</b> Tr to dress as a mummy	<b>School led</b> Visit the allotment	<b>Visitor into school</b> Greek workshop
<b>Y6</b>	Topic	<b>Frozen Kingdoms + Inuit</b> (Geography KRP + Art & Design)	<b>Maafa + Trailblazers and Barrier Breakers</b> (History + Art)	<b>Gallery Rebels</b> (Art & Design)	<b>A Child's War + Make Do and Mend</b> (History + DT)
	Memorable Experience	<b>Visitor into school</b> Prime VR workshop – Polar regions	<b>School led</b> Africa video	<b>School led</b> Virtual gallery visit	<b>Off-Site Visit</b> Cannock Chase Visitor Centre

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