



Saint Mary's Catholic Voluntary Academy

Two-Year Curriculum (History and Geography)

Year	Advent One	Advent Two	Lent One	Lent Two	Pentecost One	Pentecost Two
A EYFS /Y1	How am I making History?	What is it like here? R- Exploring Maps	How have toys changed?	What is the weather like in the UK? R - Outdoor adventures	How did we learn to fly?	What can you see at the coast?
B EYFS /Y1	What is History? (Seaside holidays)	Where am I? R- Exploring maps	How was school different in the past?	Would you prefer to live in a Hot or Cold place? R - Around the world	How have explorers changed the world?	What is it like to live in Shanghai? R - Around the world
A Y2/Y3	British History 1: Would you prefer to have lived in the Stone Age, Iron Age or Bronze Age?	Why do people live near Volcanoes?	British History 2- Why did the Romans invade Britain?	Why are rainforests important to us?	British History 3: How hard was it to invade and settle in Britain?	Sustainability- How can we use plastic more sustainably?
B Y2/Y3	What is a Monarch?	Who lives in Antarctica?	How have children's lives changed?	Are all settlements the same?	What was important to Ancient Egyptians?	Sustainability - How can our journey to school help the environment?
A Y4/Y5	Where does our food come from?	What is life like in the Alps?	Were the Vikings raiders, traders or something else?		What was life like in Tudor Britain?	Sustainability - Why is fast fashion a problem?
B Y4/5	What are rivers and how are they used?	Why do oceans matter?	What is the legacy of the ancient Greek civilisation?		How have punishments changed throughout history? (T)	Sustainability - How sustainable is our school?
A Y5/6	How did the achievements of the Mayans influence their society and beyond?		Would you like to live in the desert?	What can the census tell us about local areas?	Where does our energy come from?	Sustainability - What we can do to achieve The Sustainable Development Goals?
B Y5/6	What was the impact of World War 2 on the people of Britain?		Why does population change?	Why was the Islamic civilisation around AD900 known as the Golden Age? (T)	Can I carry out an independent fieldwork enquiry?	Sustainability - What actions can we take to make the world more sustainable?