Foundation Curriculum overview academic year 2022 onwards

Term	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Autumn	Uk study (A1) Victorians (A2) Animals including humans (A1 & 2) Seasonal Changes	Orienteering (A1) History of Farming (A2) Use everyday Materials (A1) Animals including humans (A2)	Local History Study (A1) London (A2) Animals including Humans (A1) Forces and Magnets (A2)	Europe/ Poland (A1) Rivers/ Water cycle (A2) States of Matter (A1) Animals including Humans (A2)	Greeks (Au 1 & 2) Forces (Au 1) Earth and Space (A2)	World War 2 (A 1 & 2) Light (A1) Electricity (A2)
Autumn Learning challenge questions	How does the postman know where I live? What was it like 150 years ago?	Can I find my way around my local area? Would I like to be a farmer now or in the past?	Would you have fought for the Red Rose or the White Rose at the Battle of Mortimer's Cross? Would you rather live in a large city (London) or a small city (Hereford)?	What part do rivers play in the water cycle? Is there a difference between Living in Hereford and Gdansk in Poland?	Would you like to have lived in Ancient Greece?	Can you imagine walking in someone else's shoes in World War II?
Spring	Weather and seasons (Sp 1 & 2) Plants (Sp 1 & 2) Seasonal Changes	South America (Sp1 & 2) Animals including Humans (Sp1) Plants (Sp2)	Stone Age (Sp 1 & 2) Rocks (Sp 1) Light (S2)	Egyptians (Sp 1 & 2) Electricity (S1) Sound (S2)	Volcanoes (Sp1 & 2) Properties and Changes in Materials (Sp1 & 2)	Earthquakes (Sp1) Trade and Economics (Sp2) Evolution and inheritance (Sp1) Living things and their Habitats (Sp2)
Spring Learning challenge questions	Would I like to be a weather presenter?	Would I prefer to live in Rio or Leominster?	Would you rather live in the Stone Age or the Iron Age?	What did the Ancient Egyptians achieve?	How and why are volcanoes formed?	How do landscapes change?

Summer	Great Fire of London (S1) Castles (S2) Everyday Materials (S 1 & 2) Seasonal Changes	Explorers (S1 & 2) Plants (S1) Living Things and their Habitats (S1 & 2)	Rainforest (S 1 & 2) Plants (S 1 & 2)	Mayans (S 1 & 2) Living Things and their Habitats (S 1 & 2)	Romans (S 1 & 2) Living things and their Habitats (S1) Animals including Humans (S2)	Vikings (S 1 & 2) Animals including Humans (S 1 & 2)
Summer Learning challenge questions	Who could I ring in an emergency? Would I like to live in a castle?	What is it like to be an explorer?	Why doesn't Leominster have a rainforest?	What was it like to be a Mayan?	Why were the Romans so powerful and what did we learn from them?	Vicious Vikings – True or False?

Key:

Purple	Learning challenge question
Green	Geography
Red	history,
Blue	science