



HISTORY AT ST MARY'S

Our school vision **"they will soar on wings like eagles"**

Our children will gain an understanding of the past that paves the way for their future. Throughout their journey in history, pupils will acquire a breadth of knowledge, of places and people and significant events through time. Pupils will be given the opportunity to develop their ability to ask perceptive questions, think critically, analyse evidence, examine arguments, develop judgement, and understand differing perspectives.

RESPECT

Children will learn how archeologists have shown respect for the people, items and mysteries they have found.

NURTURE

Children will examine different perspectives, beliefs and time periods . It enables our children to be empathetic members of our community and nurture the world we live in.

COMMUNITY

Children will learn how communities have evolved over time. They will draw comparisons between different civilizations.

COURAGE

Children will gain a rich understanding of influential people in history who demonstrated courage and created change.

AMBITION

Children will explore how influential people overcame challenges. We can all learn from the past and this prepares us for the future.

RESPONSIBILITY

Children will learn that war and conflict has shaped the world. They will explore what impact this has had on the world and who is responsible.



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SPIRITUALITY	GLOBAL CITIZENS	AWE AND WONDER
<p>We enable spiritual development by exploring how different cultures and time periods have been affected by key historical events and considering the impact these have had on our spiritual understanding.</p>	<p>Throughout our curriculum children explore British, local and world history. They develop an understanding on how conflict and resolution has affected countries around the world and the impact this has had.</p>	<p>In historical terms everyone is insignificant. An awareness of one's place in the world enables the children to live with natural doubt and uncertainty and encourages the search for meaning in life.</p>



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