



EWELL GROVE PRIMARY AND NURSERY SCHOOL
Opening Worlds Overview



History	Autumn 1a	Autumn 1b	Spring 2a	Spring 2b	Summer 3a	Summer 3b
Yr 3	Ancient Egypt How much did Ancient Egypt change over time?	Cradles of Civilisation How similar and how different were Ancient Egypt and Ancient Sumer?	Indus Valley Civilisation How do we know about the Indus Valley civilisation?	Persia and Greece What did Greek city-states have in common?	Ancient Greece What can sources from Ancient Greece tell us?	Alexander the Great What have we learned about why empires rise and fall?
Yr 4	The Roman Republic How did Rome become so powerful?	Roman Empire What can sources reveal about Roman ways of life?	Roman Britain What changed in Roman Britain?	Three Christian worlds: empire and religion (300-600CE) How similar were Adulis, Rome and Constantinople?	Islamic Civilisations (1) Ancient Arabia, the rise of Islam and the Arab conquests Why did Islam spread so far and so fast?	Islamic Civilisations (2) The rise of Islam How did worlds come together in Cordoba?
Yr 5	Islamic Civilisations – The Round City Why were there so many restless minds in Muslim Cordoba and Baghdad?	Anglo-Saxon Britain How have historians learned about Anglo-Saxon Britain	Vikings – Lady of the Mercians Why did the Vikings dominate large parts of Britain by 910?	Vikings Norse Culture	Vikings – Changing Rulers, Changing Worlds How did Anglo-Saxons and Vikings shape Britain?	Local History
Yr 6	The Maya – How have Historians learnt about The Maya?	Medieval African Kingdoms - Ethiopia and Benin What <i>did</i> the kingdoms of Ethiopia and Benin have in common	Cities in Time 1 – This Manchester man		Era of the Second World War	

Geography	Autumn 1a	Autumn 1b	Spring 2a	Spring 2b	Summer 3a	Summer 3b
Yr 3	Rivers How do rivers, people and land affect each other?	Mountains How do mountains interact with what is around them?	Settlements & Cities How are settlements similar and different?	Agriculture How are we connected to farmers?	Volcanoes How do volcanoes affect a place?	Climate and Biomes How does the climate affect the way people live?
Yr 4	Rhine and Mediterranean How do rivers affect the way people live?	Population How do populations differ from place to place?	Coastal processes and landforms How does the location of west Wales affect its coast?	Tourism How do tourists interact with a place?	Earthquakes What the pros and cons of living near a tectonic fault line?	Deserts Why are deserts located where they are?
Yr 5	Why is California so thirsty? How people and the physical world (rivers, weather etc) affect each other.	Oceans How do people and oceans affect each other?	Migration How is migration causing change in the Shetland Islands?	North and South America To what extent do the places where people live vary across North and South America?	The Amazon How should the Amazon change in the future?	Interconnected Amazon To what extent is the Amazon connected with the rest of the world?
Yr 6	Energy and climate change In what ways can our actions locally benefit people globally?	Ethiopia To what extent is Ethiopia a diverse country?	Changing Birmingham What was the greatest change in Birmingham between 1750 and 2020?	Jamaica How should tourism in Jamaica be developed in the future?	Geography enquiry	

Religion	Autumn 1a	Autumn 1b	Spring 2a	Spring 2b	Summer 3a	Summer 3b
Yr 3	Hinduism 1: A Hindu Story: Rama and Sita What does the story of Rama and Sita mean to Hindu peoples?	Hinduism 2: More Hindu Stories What do Hindus learn from Vishnu's stories and symbols?	Hinduism 3: Even More Hindu Stories How can we learn about the lives and beliefs of Hindu people today?	Judaism 1 - Abraham, Isaac, Jacob Why is the Promised Land so important in Judaism?	Judaism 2 - Joseph, Moses and the Exodus Why do Jews celebrate the festival of Passover?	Judaism 3 - Samuel, Saul, David and the Kingdom How do Jews today show the importance of the Jewish Temple and the kingdom of Israel?
Yr 4	Christianity - Family of Jesus Why is the idea of 'Messiah' so important to Christians?	Christianity - The Birth of Jesus. How do Christians express their beliefs about Jesus at Christmas time?	Christianity - The Life and Teachings of Jesus How does the life and teaching of Jesus affect the way in which Christians live?	Christianity - The Death and Resurrection of Jesus What do the death and resurrection of Jesus mean in Christian traditions?	Christianity - The message of Jesus spreads How did Christianity develop in the early church and how do we know?	Islam 1 Ramadan What do stories and sayings mean to Muslims?
Yr 5	Islam 2 - Stories of the prophets How do Muslim practices vary round the world?	Islam 3 - Living Muslims traditions What do art, architecture, prayers and practices tell us about Muslim views of God?	Living Christian Traditions How are Christian beliefs and practices around the world similar and different?	Christian sites and spaces	Buddhism 1 The Prince who became Buddah How does the life and teaching of Siddartha Gotama affect the way in which Buddhists live?	Buddhism 2 Buddhist stories and teachings What do Buddhist stories teach Buddhists about enlightenment?
Yr 6	Sikhism 1 - The teaching of the gurus What do Sikhs learn from the gurus?	Sikhism 2 - Living Sikh Traditions How do Sikh traditions show Sikh beliefs?	Stories which point to truth What can we learn from Aesop's Fables about living a moral life?	Reason and revelation What is the purpose of life?		