



Southway Junior School - Whole School Curriculum Map

Each year group organises the curriculum into three Learning Journeys over the school year. Under an umbrella title, which usually has a Science, History or Geography emphasis, different subjects are woven into the Learning Journey as much as possible in a creative way, to support a broad and balanced curriculum. Children are immersed in their topic, learning the different subject skills and acquiring knowledge and understanding through exciting learning experiences.

Year Group	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
Year 3	Me and My World / Habitats Geography focus – local area stud Science focus – Plants, living things in habitats	Invaders History focus - Pirates, Vikings, Anglo-Saxons Science focus - Human Body	Battles and Bangs History focus - Roman Britain, Pompeii Science focus – Volcanoes, Rocks & Soils
Year 4	Victorian Towns and Twisted Tales History focus – Victorian children, Queen Victoria, local area study, rich and poor Science focus: Electricity and Magnets	Mysterious Mayans History – The Mayans – society study Geography – The Americas Science focus: Light	To Infinity & Beyond Science focus - Earth and Space, Solids, Liquids & Gases
Year 5	Power & Palaces History focus – Tudors – Henry VIII, Elizabeth I, Court Life, Shakespeare, Town life	We'll Meet Again History focus- World War 2 Geography - Europe	Seas, Storms & Survival Geography focus – Rivers & Coasts, Map Skills, Water Usage Science – The Water Cycle Short history unit – Ancient Greeks
Year 6	Frozen in Time Geography focus – atlas skills, world maps, biomes, polar regions	Walk Like an Egyptian History focus - Egypt / Ancient Civilisations Geography focus – The River Nile	Blood, Bones and Body Bits Science focus – Animals including humans – The Human Body Short history unit – Stone age to Iron Age

