

# Gayhurst Curriculum Overview 2025/26

	Autumn 1								Autumn 2								Spring 1						Spring 2					Summer 1						Summer 2						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	1	2	3	4	5	6	6.5	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5 SATs Week	6	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
6	H	H	H	H	RE	DT	S	S	S	S	RE	G	G	G	G	S	S	DT	C	C	CW	S	S	C	C	DT	SW	RE	H	H	H	H	School Journey	S	S	D	D	D	D	
	The Windrush				Sikhism	Electrical Systems	5.2 Forces			6.5 Evolution and Inheritance		Islam	Geography of the UK				6.1 Light		Mechanisms	Online Safety Computer Science Micro Bits	Creativity Week	5.5 Living Things and their habitats		Information Technology Project		Cooking and Nutrition	Kingdom of Benin				5.4 Animals including humans			Theatre Performance						
5 5/6	H	H	H	H	DT	RE	S	S	DT	S	S	G	G	G	G	S	S	C	DT	RE	CW	C	C	RE	S	S	SW	DT	H	H	H	H	S	S	C	G	G	G	G	
	The Windrush				Electrical Systems	Sikhism	5.2 Forces			Online Safety	6.5 Evolution and Inheritance		Geography of the UK				6.1 Light		Computer Science Micro Bits	Mechanisms	Islam	Creativity Week	Information Technology Project		What do People Believe about death	5.5 Living Things and their habitats				Kingdom of Benin				5.4 Animals including humans		Our Amazing Physical World (Year 5 only) (Year 6 in rehearsals)				
4	H	H	H	H	S	S	C	RE	S	S	DT	G	G	G	G	DT	G	G	G	G	CW	S	S	RE	S	S	SW	C	C	DT	S	S	C	C	RE	H	H	H	H	
	Ancient Egypt				3.1 Animals including humans (This year only)		Online Safety	Identity and belonging		3.2 Light (This year only)		Electrical Systems	The Rainforest (This year only)				Mechanisms	Active Planet				Creativity Week	4.5 Living Things and their habitats		Buddhism	4.4 Sound			Information Technology Project		Judaism	The Romans								
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	Stone Age to Iron Age				Signs and Symbols	3.1 Animals including humans		Online Safety	Rainforest		Computer Science Crumble	Electrical Systems	Diwali	Rainforest				3.2 Light		Mechanisms	3.4 Forces and magnetism		Creativity Week	Different environments of the UK				Coding	3.1 Rocks		Information Technology Project		Cooking and Nutrition	3.5 Plants		Christianity	Ancient Greece			
2	H	H	H	H	S	S	DT		S	S	C	C	C	S	S	DT	G	G	G	G	CW	H	H	H	H	RE	SW	G	G	G	G	DT	S	S	RE	C	C	S	S	
	The Great Fire of London				2.2 Animals including humans		Mechanisms	Sikhism	2.3 Everyday materials		Online Safety	Coding	Computer Science Animation	2.1 Seasonal Changes (Winter)		Mechanisms	World Geography				Creativity Week	Fieldwork and Map Skills				Special Books	Hackney in the past				Cooking and Nutrition	2.4 Living Things and their habitats		Buddhism	Information Technology Project		2.5 Plants			
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	Transition	Toys				1.2 Every day materials		Mechanisms	Maps and our local area		Nativity and Christianity				Online Safety Introduction to coding	1.1 Animals including humans		Mechanisms	Creativity Week	Hinduism				Geography of the UK				Women of the past				1.5 Plants		Cooking and Nutrition	1.3 Seasonal changes (Summer)		Information Technology Project			
EYFS	Ourselves and My Community								Transport								Traditional Tales						Animals					Growth						All Around the World						
UTW	Family and community								Life Story Space								Differences between materials						Animals and their habitats					Planting seeds Growing plants						Different cultures World languages						
S	Teeth/oral hygiene Healthy Eating								Forces Seasons								Materials and their properties						Seasons Different Habitats					Life Cycles Humans and animals						Seasons Electricity						
H	Place in time - Where do we live? Changes over time - Height- Growing								Transport through the ages Bonfire Night								Compare and contrast clothes						Dinosaurs Fossils					Changes over time						Where our families were born?						
G	Weather Local Environment								Stations / Airports City								Story Maps Recycling						Nocturnal animals Habitats					Local Environment Maps and Symbols						Flags Countries						
RE	Special places in the community								Diwali, Hanukkah, Christmas,								Lunar New Year Pancake Day, Valentines						St Patrick's and St David's Day Easter					St George's Day Eid						Compare life in other countries						
EAD	Self portraits Families Picasso								Designing vehicles Mondrian Kandinsky								Texture, colour and expressions Sewing threading Hokusai Andy Goldsworthy						Construct 3D Animals Henri Rousseau					Design and make animal habitat Henri Matisse (The Snail) Veronica Ryan (trip to Hackney central)						Flags, Cultural and traditional clothes Aboriginal art						

Half Term Monday 27<sup>th</sup> – Friday 31<sup>st</sup> October

Christmas Holidays Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> Dec – Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> January

Half Term Mon 16th Feb – Fri 20<sup>th</sup> Feb

Easter Holidays Monday 30<sup>th</sup> March – Friday 10<sup>th</sup> April

Half Term Mon 25th May – Fri 29<sup>th</sup> May

Key for blocked units

H	History Topic (8 weeks)	S	Science (10 weeks)	CW	Creativity week (1 week)	BH	Black History Taught All Year
G	Geography Topic (8 weeks)	C	Computing (5 weeks)	SJ	School Journey	SW	STEM week (1 week)
A	Art taught weekly	RE	RE (3 weeks)	DT	DT ( 3 weeks)	Sp	Spanish Taught Weekly
P	PSHCE Taught weekly	PE	PE Taught weekly	M	Music Taught weekly	UTW	Understanding the World