

Gayhurst Curriculum Overview Year A 2026/27

	Autumn 1									Autumn 2									Spring 1							Spring 2						Summer 1								Summer 2										
	1 (2 days)	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		1	2	3	4	5	6	7		1	2	3	4	5	6		1	2 Hispanic Week	3	4	5		1	2	3	4	5 SATs Week	6	7		1	2	3	4	5	6						
6	H	H	H	H	RE	DT	S	S	Anglo Saxons and Vikings The Struggle for England	Judaism	Construction	6.2 Electricity	S	S	DT	G	G	G	G	S	S	RE	C	C	DT	S	S	STEM week	Protests	6.4 Living Things and their habitats	SW	H	H	H	H	S	S	School Journey	RE	D	D	D	D							
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5 5/6	H	H	H	H	S	S	DT	RE	Anglo Saxons and Vikings The Struggle for England	6.2 Electricity	Construction	Judaism	DT	S	S	G	G	G	G	C	C	S	S	RE	CW	RE	S	S	C	C	STEM week	Protests	6.4 Living Things and their habitats	SW	H	H	H	H	S	S	Coding	Christianity	Our Amazing Physical World (year 5 only – year 6 in rehearsals)							
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4	H	H	H	H	C	S	S	DT	Ancient Egypt	Online Safety	Animals inc humans	Construction (1 year only)	S	S	RE	G	G	G	G	DT	H	H	H	H	CW	S	S	C	DT	RE	STEM week	Computer Science - Drones	Islam	4.4 Sound	Information Technology Project	SW	C	RE	S	S	C	C	4.5 Living Things and their habitats	The UK and Spain						
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3	H	H	H	H	DT	C	S	S	Stone Age to Iron Age	Cooking and Nutrition	Online Safety	3.2 Animals including humans	S	S	RE	G	G	G	G	RE	S	S	C	DT	CW	H	H	H	H	DT	Ancient Greece	Mechanisms	STEM Week	Christianity	Computer Science Crumble	Information Technology Project	3.4 Forces and magnetism	SW	RE	C	C	C	S	S	3.5 Plants	Different environments of the UK				
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2	H	H	H	H	S	S	DT	RE	Hackney in the past	2.2 Animals including humans	Construction (1 year only)	Sikhism	G	G	G	G	C	C	C	World Geography	Online Safety	Coding	Computer Science Animation	S	S	RE	S	S	CW	H	H	H	H	DT	The Great Fire of London	Textiles	STEM Week	Fieldwork and Map Skills	2.4 Living Things and their habitats	SW	G	G	G	G	S	S	Buddhism	Cooking and Nutrition	Information Technology Project	2.5 Plants
1	T	H	H	H	H	S	S	DT	Transition	Toys	1.2 Every day materials	Construction	C	C	S	S	RE	RE	RE	Online Safety Introduction to coding	1.1 Animals inc humans	Nativity and Christianity	G	G	G	G	RE	CW	DT	H	H	H	H	Mechanisms	Women of the Past	STEM Week	Geography of the UK	1.3 Seasonal changes (Summer)	SW	G	G	G	G	S	S	S	S	Cooking and Nutrition	RE Islam	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													
S	Teeth/oral hygiene Healthy Eating								Forces Seasons								Materials and their properties								Seasons Different Habitats					Life Cycles Humans and animals							Seasons													
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													
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													

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