Subject Overview: History at Airy Hill

	Autumn	Spring	Summer
EYFS	History will be visited throughout the year at various points, following the children's interests. It will mainly focus on family and the local community (Whitby past and present). Nursery: immediate family and Whitby now. Reception: similarities and differences between families, including my own, and Whitby then and now (links with the lifeboat).		
Year 1	Toys and Remembrance Big Ideas: Society, conflict, achievements and legacy.	Homes Big Ideas: Society.	Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole Big Ideas: Economy, achievements and legacy.
Year 2	Great Fire of London Big Ideas: Society.	Birth of the Railway Big Ideas: Travel and exploration, economy, achievements and legacy.	Explorers—Captain Cook, Amelia Earhart, Tim Peake Big Ideas: Travel and exploration, achievements and legacy.
Year 3	Stone Age Big Ideas: society, economy, achievements and legacy.	Bronze Age and Iron Age Big Ideas: society, economy, achievements and legacy.	Egyptians – Early Civilizations Big Ideas: Society, religion, leadership, economy, achievements and legacy.
Year 4	Greeks Big Ideas: Society, religion, achievements and legacy, economy.	The Roman Empire Big Ideas: Society, conflict, achievements and legacy, economy.	Roman Impact on Britain (Summer 1) Big Ideas: Society, conflict, achievements and legacy, economy. Our Local Church (Summer 2) Big Ideas: Society, religion.
Year 5	Anglo-Saxons Big Ideas: Society, conflict, religion, achievements and legacy.	Vikings Big Ideas: Society, conflict, economy, achievements and legacy.	Non-European study—Baghdad and Early Islamic history Big Ideas: Society, economy, achievements and legacy.
Year 6	World War 2 Big Ideas: Leadership, society, conflict and economy.	Crime and Punishment Big Ideas: Society, leadership, economy.	Local history - The Role of the Fishing Industry in Whitby Big Ideas: Society, economy.