



Bury and Whitefield
JEWISH PRIMARY SCHOOL

The Wider World Curriculum Overview

Our Curriculum Celebrates

Resilience

Creativity

Critical Thinking

Curiosity

Challenge

Culture

Cycle A			
Autumn			
EYFS	Year 1 & Year 2	Year 3 & Year 4	Year 5 & Year 6
Black History Month Remembrance Day	Remembrance Day Diwali	Black History Month Remembrance Day	Remembrance Day Diwali
Spring			
EYFS	Year 1 & Year 2	Year 3 & Year 4	Year 5 & Year 6
Holocaust Memorial Day Holi	Holocaust Memorial Day Eid Al Fitr	Holocaust Memorial Day Vesak	Holocaust Memorial Day Chinese New Year
Summer			
EYFS	Year 1 & Year 2	Year 3 & Year 4	Year 5 & Year 6
Eid Al Adha Current Affairs	May Day Current Affairs	Emmeline Pankhurst Birthday Current Affairs	VE Day Current Affairs

Cycle B			
Autumn			
EYFS	Year 1 & Year 2	Year 3 & Year 4	Year 5 & Year 6
Remembrance Day Bonfire Night	Black History Month Remembrance Day	Remembrance Day Christmas	Black History Month Remembrance Day
Spring			
EYFS	Year 1 & Year 2	Year 3 & Year 4	Year 5 & Year 6
Holocaust Memorial Day Chinese New Year	Holocaust Memorial Day St Georges Day	Holocaust Memorial Day St David's Day	Holocaust Memorial Day St Georges Day
Summer			
EYFS	Year 1 & Year 2	Year 3 & Year 4	Year 5 & Year 6
May Day Current Affairs	The Kings Birthday Current Affairs	Eid Al Adha Current Affairs	Humanism Current Affairs

Cycle A - EYFS		
Autumn	Spring	Summer
Topic: Black History Month	Topic: Holocaust Memorial Day	Topic: Eid Al Adha
Children will learn that people have different skin tones and that we treat everyone fairly and with kindness. Children will learn about Garrett Morgan, a black inventor.	Children will talk about what to do if they see someone being mean and unkind to someone else. We discuss that not telling someone when you see something bad happening is not OK.	Children will learn that some people, Muslims, celebrate a festival called Eid. They will look at some of the traditions of Eid celebrations and compare them with how they celebrate Jewish festivals.
Topic: Remembrance Day	Topic: Holi	Topic: Current Affairs
Children will learn that in the past there were some really big wars where lots of people were killed. They will know that on Remembrance Day we take a moment to remember people who died fighting to keep our country safe.	Children learn that some people, Hindus, celebrate Holi. They will know that it is known as the festival of colours and marks the beginning of spring for Hindu people. Children will also discuss how Jewish people celebrate the start of spring.	Children will learn about a current affair from across the world – this will include topics such as sporting competitions, elections, royal family events.

Cycle A – Year 1 and 2		
Autumn	Spring	Summer
Topic: Remembrance Day	Topic: Holocaust Memorial Day	Topic: May Day
Children will learn that remembrance day is an opportunity to remember people who dies in the first and second world war. They will learn about the symbolism of poppies and visit the Unsworth Pole cenotaph to view the wreaths which have been laid.	Children will talk about what to do if they see someone being mean and unkind to someone else. We discuss that not telling someone when you see something bad happening is not OK. Children will discuss that religion is not a reason to treat others unfairly.	Children will find out about some of the traditions which are typical of May Day celebrations.
Topic: Diwali	Topic: Eid Al Fitr	Topic: Current Affairs
Children will learn that some people, Hindus, celebrate a festival call Diwali. They will learn that this is know as the festival of light and find out about some of the traditions of Hindu celebrations.	Children will learn that Muslim people celebrate Eid twice a year. They will discuss some of the ways in which Eid is celebrated and compare this with their own Jewish festivals, saying what is different and what is the same.	Children will learn about a current affair from across the world – this will include topics such as sporting competitions, elections, royal family events.

Cycle A - Year 3 and 4		
Autumn	Spring	Summer
Topic: Black History Month Children will discuss why we have 'Black History Month'. They will then learn about Rosa Parks – the action she took against inequality for black people and the impact it had.	Topic: Holocaust Memorial Day Children will learn that Jewish people were treated badly because of their religion. Children will discuss the unfairness and inequality of treating someone differently based on their religion.	Topic: Emmeline Pankhurst's Birthday Children will learn about who Emmeline Pankhurst was, what she fought for and what was achieved in women's rights as a result. This is linked to the children's learning about Manchester.
Topic: Remembrance Day Children will learn when remembrance day is and how the day is marked in the UK. They will visit Unsworth Pole Cenotaph to lay a wreath on behalf of the school.	Topic: Wesak Children will learn that some people, Buddhists, celebrate Wesak. They will learn what Buddhists are celebrating, why it is such an important celebration and some of the ways in which they celebrate.	Topic: Current Affairs Children will learn about a current affair from across the world – this will include topics such as sporting competitions, elections, royal family events.

Cycle A - Year 5 and 6		
Autumn	Spring	Summer
Topic: Remembrance Day Children will recap on when remembrance day is held, why it is held on that day and at that time and what we are remembering that day. Children will visit Unsworth Pole cenotaph.	Topic: Holocaust Memorial Day Children will discuss what they understand about the holocaust, reflect on how this makes them feel and discuss the importance of remembering and reflecting upon the bad things which have happened in the past.	Topic: VE day Children will learn when VE day happened, how it happened and how the message was announced in the UK.
Topic: Diwali Children will look at the story of Rama and Sita and take part in community workshop, making lanterns and going on a Diwali parade in Bury.	Topic: Chinese New Year Children will link this to their learning about the Shang Dynasty. Children will learn about the animals of the Zodiac and research ways in which Chinese new year is celebrated.	Topic: Current Affairs Children will learn about a current affair from across the world – this will include topics such as sporting competitions, elections, royal family events.

Cycle B - EYFS		
Autumn	Spring	Summer
Topic: Bonfire Night	Topic: Holocaust Memorial Day	Topic: May Day
Children will learn what happens on bonfire night and read Sparks in the Sky story. They will also learn how to stay safe around bonfires.	Children will talk about what to do if they see someone being mean and unkind to someone else. We discuss that not telling someone when you see something bad happening is not OK.	Children will learn May Day was first celebrated as a festival of flowers nature and spring. They will explore some of the ways in which May Day is celebrated.
Topic: Remembrance Day	Topic: Chinese New Year	Topic: Current Affairs
Children will learn that in the past there were some really big wars where lots of people were killed. They will know that on Remembrance Day we take a moment to remember people who died fighting to keep our country safe.	Children learn about the story of the Chinese zodiac race and which animal the new year will be named after. Children will explore some of the ways which Chinese New Year is celebrated.	Children will learn about a current affair from across the world – this will include topics such as sporting competitions, elections, royal family events.

Cycle B – Year 1 and Year 2		
Autumn	Spring	Summer
Topic: Black History Month	Topic: Holocaust Memorial Day	Topic: The Kings Birthday
Children will discuss why we have 'Black History Month'. They will then learn about Martin Luther King and reflect on what their own dreams for the future could be.	Children will talk about what to do if they see someone being mean and unkind to someone else. We discuss that not telling someone when you see something bad happening is not OK. Children will discuss that religion is not a reason to treat others unfairly.	Children will learn about King Charles and look at some of the traditional ways in which he celebrates his birthday.
Topic: Remembrance Day	Topic: St George's Day	Topic: Current Affairs
Children will learn that in the past there were some really big wars where lots of people were killed. They will know that on Remembrance Day we take a moment to remember people who died fighting to keep our country safe.	Children will learn the story of George and the dragon. They will discuss George's character as being brave and a good role model. Children will look at the George's cross and know that his is the flag of England.	Children will learn about a current affair from across the world – this will include topics such as sporting competitions, elections, royal family events.

Cycle B - Year 3 and 4		
Autumn	Spring	Summer
Topic: Remembrance Day	Topic: Holocaust Memorial Day	Topic: Ramadan
Children will learn when remembrance day is and how the day is marked in the UK. They will visit Unsworth Pole Cenotaph to lay a wreath on behalf of the school.	Children will learn that Jewish people were treated badly because of their religion. Children will discuss the unfairness and inequality of treating someone differently based on their religion.	Children will learn that Muslims observe Ramadan in the run up to Eid. Children will know some of the things that Muslims do during Ramadan and compare this with that Jewish people do during their festivals
Topic: Christmas	Topic: St David's Day	Topic: Current Affairs
Children will learn about Christmas and know that it is an important day in the Christian calendar. They will also explore and discuss the Jewish perspective of Christmas.	Children will learn that St David's Day is the national day of Wales – which means it is a day when they celebrate being Welsh. Children will learn about some St David's day traditions.	Children will learn about a current affair from across the world – this will include topics such as sporting competitions, elections, royal family events.

Cycle B - Year 5 and 6		
Autumn	Spring	Summer
Topic: Black History Month	Topic: Holocaust Memorial Day	Topic: Humanism
Children will discuss why we have Black History Month and why it is important. Children will look at modern day black role models in society – politicians, scientists, sportsmen, musicians etc.	Children will discuss what they understand about the holocaust, reflect on how this makes them feel and discuss the importance of remembering and reflecting upon the bad things which have happened in the past.	Children will learn what the common beliefs of humanists are. They will discuss things which both Jews and Humanists celebrate and discuss the differences between the two.
Topic: Remembrance Day	Topic: St George's Day	Topic: Current Affairs
Children will recap on when remembrance day is held, why it is held on that day and at that time and what we are remembering that day. Children will visit Unsworth Pole cenotaph.	Children will learn that St George's Day is the national day of England, when we celebrate being English. Children will recap St George and the England flag. Children will reflect upon what being English means to them.	Children will learn about a current affair from across the world – this will include topics such as sporting competitions, elections, royal family events.

