

I enjoy learning about lots of different events

I feel confident when learning about History.



I enjoy using our shared space as part of our History lessons as it links to our topic.

What does History look like at Pike Fold? History in our community.

We have a cross-curricular approach in which History plays a vital role with links through many other subjects. For example, in Year 2 they learn about the Great Fire of London in History and in D&T they create fire engines. In KS2, the subjects are chronologically organised allowing the children to gain secure knowledge and understanding of how events in History change.

Year 1 learn about historical toys used by their families.
Year 2 learn about the artist L. S. Lowry.
Year 5 write from the perspective of being in a local Victorian workhouse.
Year 6 explore the events and effects of the Manchester Blitz.

How do we celebrate History at Pike Fold?

Children at Pike Fold are encouraged to learn about their own family history and local history.

Some of our continuous provision areas are designed with a link to History. For example, there is a cave which links to Years 3's topic of the Stone Age.

We have created a thought provoking, meaningful display commemorating the people, from the local area, who lost their lives during the war in our entrance lobby.

What enrichment takes place as part of the History curriculum?

We commemorate Armistice Day by taking part in the timed silence whilst our flugel-hornist plays the last post.

In Year 3, children visit Tatton Park to get hands-on experience about the Stone Age, learning how to make a Stone Age house, forage for food and make fire.

During Black History Month, an outside agency came in and worked on painting African masks with traditional designs.

Year 2, visit The Lowry Museum to learn about the life of L.S. Lowry and visualise what life was like during the early, industrial, years of the 20th century.