

EYFS Coverage Autumn 1 2023



Week	News Story	Focus Question	British Value Link	Protective Characteristics
4th September	Almost ten years ago, 44-year-old Torbjørn Pedersen from Denmark left his job and family behind to begin a life-changing journey. His goal was to visit every country in the world without flying on a plane. In May this year, Pedersen successfully visited his 203rd and final country, the Maldives.	How can people travel around the world?	Individual Liberty	Race
11th September	In Canada, the government in the province of Ontario is set to pass a new law that will make it compulsory for children aged 12 and under to wear lifejackets on boats.	What do you know about boats?	Rule of Law	Age
18th September	More than 100 schools across the UK have been affected by a potentially dangerous concrete used in their construction between the 1950s and the mid-90s.	Who can help us to stay safe?	Mutual Respect and Tolerance	All
25th September	In recent weeks, both India and Russia's space agencies have tried to send unmanned missions to the lunar South Pole. Whilst Russia's shuttle crashed into the Moon's surface, after spinning out of control, India has become the first nation to land near the Moon's South Pole.	Do we need to know more about the Moon?	Individual Liberty	Race
2nd October	The 2024 edition of the Guinness World Records has been released. This year, over 30,000 applicants submitted their achievements, but only 2,638 records were selected for the edition, which features more than 80% new and updated records.	Can anyone break a world record?	Mutual Respect and Tolerance	Religion or Belief
9th October	October is Black History Month in the UK. This year's theme is 'Saluting our Sisters' - highlighting the role Black women have played in shaping history, inspiring change, and building communities in the UK.	How do you celebrate someone's achievements?	Democracy	Race
16th October	The tree at the centre of the world-famous 'Sycamore Gap' on Hadrian's Wall, England, has reportedly been deliberately felled on the night of 28th September and was discovered by walkers the next morning.	Where is your special place?	Individual Liberty	Religion or Belief