

History Curriculum Overview



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
EYFS	Family history- My timeline.		<p>How do we send messages? Past and present- telephone focus.</p> <p>How has transport changed over time?</p>		When did dinosaurs exist- modern day and past- investigate old objects?	Understand the past through settings, characters and event through books and storytelling
Year 1		Local History: How did Stephenson's Rocket change the world?		Samuel Pepys and the Great Fire of London.		Comparison of significant figures- Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole.
Year 2		<p>What is Remembrance?</p> <p>Norman Harvey</p>		Journey into the great unknown. Neil Armstrong & Christopher Columbus		How has the seaside changed through the times? (1900/50- Present)
Year 3		The Stone Age to Iron Age How did life change?		Ancient Egypt Life in Ancient Egypt		How did the Roman invasion of Britain affect Newton? (Roman Chester Local history)
Year 4		The struggle for the Kingdom of England- Vikings		Invasion and settlement: How did Anglo Saxon and Scott invasions affect our island?		The life of Henry VIII and the reformation of the Church of England . How did Henry VIII form the COE we know today?
Year 5		<p>A Greek Legacy.</p> <p>How did the Greeks influence our lives today?</p>		<p>The Maya Civilisation</p> <p>Comparing and contrasting with Anglo Saxon Britain.</p> <p>What is the legacy of the Maya and Anglo-Saxon cultures in their modern countries?</p>		Victorian Newton-le-Willows. What was life like in Victorian Newton-le-Willows? (Local History Fieldwork)
Year 6	<p>Why did we have to leave?</p> <p>Life as an evacuee in WW2 (Burtonwood – local history link)</p>			A non-European society that provides contrasts with British history –early Islamic civilization, including a study of Baghdad c. AD 900		Coal mining in St Helens – local history study