

History Overview

	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
Year 1	Lives of significant individuals – David Attenborough	Toys - Changes within living memory				Seaside – events beyond living memory – comparing transport, beaches and picnics. Significant individuals – Grace Darling
Year 2	Health – changes within/beyond living memory Significant individual – Mary Seacole	Travel – events beyond living memory – how has travel changed? Significant individual – The Wright Brothers		Reduce, reuse and recycle – changes within living memory – how has the way we deal with waste changed over time and how does that affect us?		
Year 3		Stone Age to Iron Age – life during the stone age and iron age and		Roman Britain – the growth of the empire, strategies of the army and		

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		comparisons to life today		how it benefitted life in England		
Year 4	Early civilisations – Ancient Egypt Gods and beliefs, comparisons to life today, and use of primary and secondary sources			Anglo Saxons – Settlements, farming and culture		Tudor Britain – Battle of Bosworth and Tudor entertainment, including banquets
Year 5	Earth and Space – history of the space race and study of Helen Sharman and other significant individuals		Local history study – The Industrial Revolution. Rochdale Pioneers and life for children in the IR	Viking Britain – Where did they come from? Culture and trade. Alfred the Great		Ancient Greece – What did the Greeks do for us? Compare and contrast architecture, culture and beliefs
Year 6	WW2 – Significant turning point in British history. Who was involved? Evacuation, The Blitz and the 'Dig for Victory' campaign	War and Peace - Elements of WW1 &2 How and why did the wars end? Conscientious objectors, UNICEF and peacebuilding.			Non-European society – Early Islamic Civilisation. Significance of Baghdad. Culture in the civilisation and the legacy of the civilisation.	Significant individuals from around the world that have helped to shape history.