

History and Geography Curriculum Overview



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 1	Changes within living memory (4 weeks)	My Country, My school Study of the countries within Great Britain	Great Fire of London		Beside the seaside Study of a human and physical features of a coastal town	Beside the seaside - Grace Darling
	Photographs and memories from parents and grandparents to make a timeline	Mapping the school grounds (My Country, My School)	Visit to Gateshead Quayside (Great Fire of London)		Visit to St. Mary's Lighthouse, Whitley Bay	Research RNLI videos - coastguard
Year 2	Castles, Knights and Dragons		My Locality Study of the local area and where local churches are	Florence Nightingale	Around the World Study of continents and countries around the world Make a comparison to our locality and South America.	
	Visit to a local castle (Castles, Knights and Dragons)		Field trip around Wickham to identify amenities and buildings in the locality	Box of delight Florence Nightingale	Music workshop – music from around the world. Flat Stanley – English theme.	
Year 3	Stone Age	Comparing North East England to a European Region	All About the UK ('Rule Britannia')		Romans	
	Visit to museum of archaeology Durham				Visit to Roman Army Museum and Vindolanda	

Year 4	Ancient Egyptians		Mountains, Volcanoes and Earthquakes		Anglo Saxons	Sustaining the World's Resources
	Visit to Oriental Museum				Visit to Palace Green Library Box of Delight – Anglo-Saxon Britain	Visit to Watergate Forest Park and Whickham to look into impact of litter
Year 5	Mayans	Marvellous Maps - Mapping my locality and beyond	Comparison Between a region of the United Kingdom and South America – including climate, weather and biomes (contrasting study of human and physical geography)		Vikings	
	Maya Workshop (Dr Jo)	Fieldwork – Mapping Whickham; traffic study	Junior Foresters Award		Viking invaders workshop (That History Bloke)	
Year 6	Victorians	Rivers and the Water Cycle	Our Changing World - Coastal Changes	Trade and Economics With whom does the UK trade around the world? What is the impact of this on local communities El Salvador	Ancient Greeks	
	Box of delights/Visit to Beamish Museum	Field trip with Tyne Rivers Trust	Visit to a North East Beach	Visit from Northumbrian Water	Visit to Oriental Museum, Durham	

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