

## History Unit Overview

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Autumn	<b>My Family History</b> What was life like when our grandparents were children?	<b>Bonfire Night</b> and the <b>Great Fire of London</b> Should we still celebrate Bonfire Night/Did the Great Fire make London a better or worse place?	<b>The Stone Age</b> What was new about the Stone Age?	<b>The Ancient Greeks</b> What did the Greeks do for us?	<b>The Anglo-Saxons</b> Was the Anglo-Saxon period really a Dark Age?	<b>Local History</b> Victorian Darlington Theme: Transport How did the Victorians shape our town?
	Changes within living memory	Events beyond living memory nationally or globally	Changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age	Ancient Greece – a study of Greek life and achievements and their influence on the western world	Britain's settlement by Anglo-Saxons and Scots	<b>Local History Study:</b> A study of a theme in British history that extends knowledge beyond 1066
Spring	<b>Great Inventions</b> Transport How did the first flight change the world/ Why is the Darlington to Stockton railway special?	<b>The Greatest Explorers</b> Who were the greatest explorers and what did they do?	<b>The Bronze Age and the Iron Age</b> Which was more impressive – the Bronze Age or the Iron Age?	<b>Roman Britain</b> Was the Roman invasion good or bad for Britain?	<b>The Vikings</b> Would the Vikings do anything for money?	<b>In the News</b>
	Events beyond living memory nationally or globally	Lives of significant individuals	Changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age	The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain	The Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England	Topical history from the world/ our local area this year.
Summer	<b>Holidays</b> How have seaside holidays changed over time?	<b>Our Local Heroes</b> Who are our local heroes and why should we remember them?	<b>Early Civilizations-The Ancient Egyptians</b> How much did the Ancient Egyptians achieve?	<b>Crime and Punishment</b> How has crime and punishment changed over time?	<b>The Maya Civilisation</b> Why should we remember the Maya?	<b>Journeys</b> What makes people go on a journey?
	Changes within living memory	<b>Local History Study:</b> Lives of significant individuals	The achievements of the earliest civilisations	A study of a theme in British history that extends knowledge beyond 1066	The achievements of a non-European society	A study of a theme in British history that extends knowledge beyond 1066