

History

Termly progression

Reception							
	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6	
Substantive Knowledge	bstantive Family and Guy Fawkes		Chinese New Year Understanding the past through settings and characters. Traditional Tales Know some similarities and differences between things in the past and now, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class.		Pirates Who was Black Beard and what did he do? Talk about the lives of people around them and their roles in society. Dinosaurs Know some similarities and differences between things in the past and now. Greta Thunberg and David Attenborough. Talk about the lives of people around them and their roles in society.		
Disciplinary knowledge (Skills)	Begin to make sense of and family's history.	of their own life-story	Comment on images of the past. Compare and contrast of including figures from t	characters from stories,	Talk about the lives of p and their roles in society Know some similarities a between things in the part on their experiences and in class. Understand the past throcharacters and events erread in class and storyte	and differences est and now, drawing I what has been read ough settings, ncountered in books	
Vocabulary	Today, yesterday, tomo old, long ago, mother, for parents, brother, sister, grandfather, baby, step, niece, neighbour, young fireworks, Guy Fawkes, firecracker.	ather, mum, dad, grandmother, auntie, uncle, cousin, er, community,	Today, yesterday, tomorro long ago.	ow, past, now, day, old,	Past, long ago, Pirates, Bla treasure, map, desert islan		

(Running theme	Running theme throughout the year)					
Substantive	Similarities and differences					
Knowledge	What is the same and different about the past? Looks at similarities and differences between things in the past and now.					
Disciplinary knowledge (Skills)	Understanding of the world – Past and present.					
Vocabulary	Today, yesterday, tomorrow, past, now, day, old, mother, father, mum, dad, parents, brother, sister, grandmother, grandfather, baby, step, auntie, uncle, cousin, niece, neighbour, younger, community.					

	Year 1							
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Substantive Knowledge	No History this term as the focus is Geography	What is a home? To know what a home is. To understand that a home is where someone lives. To know that there are many different types of home. How have houses changed over time? To know how houses have changed over time and how older houses compare to today's houses. To know the materials used to build houses today compared to in the past and be able to explain the differences. How have kitchens changed over time? To know how kitchens have changed over time. To know that before washing machines were invented, people would wash their clothes outside using washboards and mangles.	No History this term as the focus is Geography	Neil Armstrong 1969 – Neil Armstrong landed on the moon. Who is Neil Armstrong and what is he famous for? Know that Neil Armstrong loved flying. He flew fighter planes for the American Navy and later tested rocket-powered planes. All before becoming an astronaut. Know that on the 20 July 1969, he became the first man to walk on the Moon. Know that he later became a professor and taught others all about flying. Know that Neil Armstrong got his pilot's licence when he was just 16, before he could even drive a car!	No History this term as the focus is Geography	What are Medieval Castles? Know that Medieval castles are castles built from the time of the Norman Conquest, which began in 1066, to the start of the Tudor period in 1485. What are Castles? Know that a castle is a large strong building, built in the past by a ruler or important person to protect the people inside from attack. They were both a home and a fortress. Where were Castles built and why? Know that Castles were often built on hilltops or surrounded by water to make them easier to defend. (Link to Dover castle and compare to Walmer and Deal castles).		

To know that a kitchen would have heated a whole house using the fire from the stove.

How have bathrooms changed over time?

To know how bathrooms have changed over time. To know that people used to bathe in the kitchen where they could heat the water and sit in metal bath tins to wash.

To know that toilets were not inside the house and were in outhouses in the garden.

People would use chamber pots to go to the toilet at night rather than go outside.

How have gardens changed over time?

To know how gardens have changed over time. To know that gardens in the past would have been used by people to help them in their every day life.

How did people relax at home in the past compared to today?

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Know he is famous for being the first man on the moon.

What was the mission?

Know that on December 23, 1969 he went aboard Apollo 11 and became the first man to walk on the moon.

Know that this would be the first manned landing on the moon. After months of practice and preparation, the Apollo 11 spacecraft launched from the Kennedy Space Centre in Florida on July 16th 1969.

Know that Neil Armstrong, along with and Buzz Aldrin, landed on the moon. The astronauts arrived back on earth on July 24th 1969.

Know that Neil Armstrong spent 21 hours and 36 minutes on the moon.

Know that, after stepping onto the moon, Neil Armstrong was heard saying:

"That's one small step for man, one giant leap for mankind." More than half a billion people watched Neil Armstrong walk on the moon

Why was it significant that Neil landed on the moon?

Know that Neil's footprints will be on the Moon for millions of years, because there is no wind to blow them away!

Know that the moon landing taught us about the structure of the moon. It gave us the first perspective of the Earth from Space. Overall, there are many technologies that we now use in our daily lives that we would

What is the biggest castle in England?

Know that the biggest castle in England is Windsor Castle, one of the three homes of the Queen. It is said to be the largest inhabited fortress in the world. (Link to Geography – Landmarks in UK).

What are the features of a castle?

Know that some castles had moats with water completely surrounded the castle. This made it hard for people to attack it.

Know that they all were designed differently. Some castles had flat walls and corners, while others that round walls.

Know it was important that the castle walls were very high as this made it harder for attackers to climb over the walls.

Know that turrets are small towers built on top of a tower or wall in a castle

Know that at the top of the castle walls were the battlements. This is where soldiers stood behind the wall and tried to protect the people inside the castle. They looked through the gaps (called crenels) and shot arrows at any attackers.

They shielded their bodies behind the raised sections (called merlons) to avoid being shot at themselves. The turrets gave great views from different angles.

Know that some castles also had arrow slits.

Soldiers could see and shoot arrows through these thin gaps in the wall, without getting shot.

Know that lots of castles had a bridge over the moat, that led to the entrance. The drawbridge could be pulled up to stop enemies from

not have if scientists did not	getting across the water and reaching
continue to explore space. For	the castle.
example, weather satellites,	Know that at the entrance to the
freeze dried food,	castle, there was a portcullis covering
communication satellites, TV	the door. This was made of metal or
satellite dishes, medical	wood. It was there to protect the door
imaging devices, the in-the-ear	from being set on fire or being bashed
thermometer, fire-resistant	in by enemies. It could be lifted to let
materials used in firefighting,	people in or out of the castle.
smoke detectors, sunglasses,	Know that the entrance to the castle
cordless power tools, the Space	was protected by a thick, iron-
Pen, shock-absorbing materials	studded wooden door. It was big and
used in helmets, joystick video	strong so that enemies could not
game controllers and even golf	break the door down and enter the
balls.	castle.
	Know that the Inside of a castle walls
	was the bailey – the area where
	people lived and worked.
	What was it like inside a castle?
	Know that a castle was a home.
	Castles was much more than just a
	fortress. It was a was a home for its
	lord, his family and his followers.
	Inside the castle walls there might
	have been a magnificent hall,
	comfortable chambers and a
	beautiful chapel. Larger castles had
	their own fish ponds, orchards and
	vineyards, as well as gardens which
	supplied vegetables and herbs. Cattle
	sheep and pigs were kept on
	surrounding farm land.
	Know that the great hall was the
	heart of castle life. On special
	occasions magnificent banquets were
	held here. The lord, his family and
	important guests sat at the high
	table, which was raised above the
	other diners and covered with a table
	cloth of fine linen.
	Know that most castles had a small
	private chapel near to the lord's
	chambers. The walls were often
	painted and the windows made from
	stained glass. It was the castle's most

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			beautiful room. An indication of how
			important religion was to the owner.
			The lord and lady began each day by
			attending a short service.
			Know that the kitchens were built
			away from the Keep in case they
			caught fire. Food was cooked on open
			fires.
			Know that castles did not have
			toilets, instead people sat on wooden
			seats called 'garderobes'. These were
			built over a very long chute. Waste
			from the toilet fell down the chute
			into the moat. The garderobes (to
			'guard' the 'robes') were so called
			because people kept their clothes in
			them. The foul smell kept moths
			away.
			Know that life in the early castles was
			far from comfortable. The wind
			whistled through the wooden
			shutters in the windows and most
			people slept on benches or on rough
			mattresses in the great hall. By 1200s,
			castles had well-furnished bed
			chambers and living rooms, heated by
			large open fires and lit by candles.
			What is special about Walmer
			castle?
			Know that Walmer Castle was built in
			1539–40 by Henry VIII in response to
			threats of invasion from Europe. The
			castle was part of a 2.7-mile coastal
			barrier that included Deal and
			Sandown castles.
			Know that the Cinque Ports are a
			series of major ports on the south-
			east coast of England. They are
			Sandwich, Dover, Hythe, New
			Romney and Hastings.
			Know that Walmer castle has two
			bastions facing the sea at Walmer
			supported guns to fire at hostile
			ships.
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			Know that the eight 32-pounder guns were installed around 1860. These guns were serviceable but the castle was no longer a coastal fort and they provided a symbolic reminder of the Lord Warden's former role in defence. The guns below the bastions, near the beach are 6 pounders installed after 1815 for saluting. A practice that originated in the 16th century when firing guns harmlessly showed peaceful intent. It became customary for ships to fire mutual salutes, to salute a coastal fort and to honour important anniversaries and royal birthdays. Know that the basement was used for keeping gunpowder (Link to History – Gun powder plot)
Disciplinary knowledge (Skills)	Understand the similarity, differences and significance of homes today and throughout history. Know about changes within living memory, and able to talk about/ recall these.	Know about events beyond living memory that are significant nationally or globally. Knows and can talk about key facts about the lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements. Able to compare aspects of life in different periods [for example, Christopher Columbus and Neil Armstrong.	Know about changes within living memory, and able to talk about/ recall these. Where appropriate, these should be used to reveal aspects of change in national life Knows and learns key facts about the lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements. Knows about significant historical events, people and places in their own locality.
Vocabulary	Long ago, past, present, modern, different, timeline, home, house, caravan, mobile home, flat, boat, chalet, kitchen, Washing machine, mangle, larder, pantry, refrigerator, freezer, fire, boiler, Bathroom, toilet, chamber pot, out house, wash, bath tub, water, garden, work, washing line, vegetable patch, relax, living room, toys, knitting, sewing, radio, television, reading, telephone, games consoles.	Past, before, after, timeline, order, memory, future, significant, famous, Armstrong, America, moon landing, fighter plane, astronaut, professor, launched, perspective, scientists.	Past, long ago, present, now, century, Normans, castles, battle, turret, ramparts, drawbridge, portcullis, fortress, chambers, tower, moat, shield, knight, garderobes, lance, dungeon, suit of armour, Motte Bailey, Dover, Warmer, Deal and Windsor.

Year 2								
	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6		
Substantive	No history	Gunpowder plot	No history this	Queen Victoria/ Victorian schooling	No history	Great fire of London		
Knowledge	this term as	l	term as the	1837 – 1901 - Queen Victoria reigned for 63 years.	this term as			
Kilowicage	the focus is	Who is Guy Fawkes	focus is	1891 – Schools became free. Up to then, people	the focus is	What was the GFOL and how long did		
	Geography.	Know that he wanted to kill the king	Geography.	had to pay.	Geography.	it last for?		
		because he thought that Catholics might then have better lives.		Who was Queen Victoria?		Know the Fire of London started on 2nd September 1666 and lasted for 5 days.		
		Know that after he was caught, he was		(Link to British Values)		Know that the GFOL started in a Bakery		
		put in the Tower of London.		Know that Queen Victoria was Queen of England		in Pudding Lane.		
		Know that Guy Fawkes took part in the		for 63 years.		Know that the fire spread throughout		
		Gunpowder Plot of 1605, which aimed		Queen Victoria lived for 81 years, and Britain		London.		
		to blow up the Houses of Parliament to		became a very different country during her time.				
		kill King James I and his government.		When Victoria became queen, children had to go		Why did the fire spread?		
				out to work. By the time she died, children went to		Know that the weather in London was		
		Why did the Gunpowder plot		school.		hot and it hadn't rained for 10 months.		
		happen?		A long period of history is named after her - the		Know that houses in London were		
		Know that the Plot was a consequence		Victorian Age.		mainly built from wood, straw and pitch		
		of the continuing tensions between		Victoria was eighteen when she became Queen.		which are flammable, especially when it		
		Protestants and Catholics in England		Three years later she married Prince Albert.		is dry (Link to Science- materials). The		
		and that in 1605 Catholics felt		Because she was the Queen, he couldn't ask her to		houses were also very close together, so		
		persecuted by James I, who had become king two years earlier.		marry him, so SHE had to ask HIM! They were very in love and had nine children and 40		the fire could easily spread.		
		Know that there were two key plotters		grandchildren. Some of their children married		Know that people used fire to cook and for light.		
		- Robert Catesby and Guy Fawkes.		princes and princesses from countries across		Torrigine.		
		Robert catesby and doy rawkes.		Europe, like Russia and Germany. This is why		How did they try to stop the fire?		
		What happened during the plot?		Victoria was called the Grandmother of Europe!		Know that buildings were pulled down		
		Know that Robert Catesby's initial plan		When Albert died, aged 42, Victoria was		with fire hooks to create a fire-break.		
		was to tunnel under the Houses of		extremely upset. She had loved him very much.		Know that people used simple		
		Parliament and place the gunpowder		She was so sad she decided to dress in black		firefighting equipment, including		
		there. But the plotters discovered they		clothes for the rest of her life.		buckets of water.		
		could actually rent a chamber directly				Know that the River Thames stopped		
		under the House of Lords - so a tunnel		What was Victorian schooling like?		the fire spreading to the south.		
		wasn't necessary.		Know that at the start of the Victorian era, very				
		Know that on the night of 4/5		few children actually attended school. Children		What was the significance of the fire?		
		November 1605 Guy Fawkes was in the		from rich families would be educated at home by a		Know that King Charles II decided he		
		chamber. He was surrounded by 36		governess (a female teacher). At the age of ten,		wanted to rebuild London and improve		
		barrels of gunpowder and had only a few short hours to wait before King		boys would go to public schools, such as Eton or		it. New rules were put in place that said buildings had to be made of stone and		
		James I - and several leading members		Harrow, and girls would continue their education		brick. (Link to Science - materials)		
		of the Protestant establishment -		at home.		brick. (Link to Science - materials)		

would arrive for the opening of a new session of parliament.

Know that suspicion that a plot was imminent had been aroused by a letter, assumed to be written by one of the plotters: it was a warning to keep away from parliament on 5 November. Searches were made of the building and Fawkes was discovered before he could carry out the plan. He was imprisoned in the Tower of London.

What happened after the plot?

Know that Guy Fawkes was discovered and arrested in the early hours of 5 November 1605 in a chamber under the House of Lords. He was surrounded by 36 barrels of gunpowder and had the fuses to detonate them on his person.

Know that Fawkes initially gave his name as John Johnson to hide his identity. He was taken to the Tower of London where he revealed the names of his co-conspirators after three days of torture. Catesby died during his arrest and many of the other plotters were subsequently executed - their heads being put on display as a warning against acts of treason. Know that the events of 1605 are still commemorated each year on 5 November - Bonfire Night.

Know that poor children sometimes had the opportunity of attending a church school, but these schools had very poor facilities with class sizes of up to 100 children. However, from 1880 the law changed and all children between the ages of 5 to 10 had to go to school. Know that the school regime was extremely strict and the school day was very long, sometimes lasting until 5 p.m. Know that any windows in the classroom tended to be high up, making it impossible for pupils to see out.

Know that teaching was monotonous with little variation. The children would sit in rows, in silence, and watch the teacher write on the blackboard. They'd then copy down what the teacher had written.

Know that the main subjects that children learned were Reading, Writing and Arithmetic. Know that there was a huge emphasis on rote learning. For example, children had to chant the times tables until they knew them. Know that boys and girls were segregated for some subjects: girls would study needlework while boys studied woodwork.

Know that children used a slate to write on, which could be wiped clean. They might also use a quill pen (like a feather), which was dipped in ink from an ink well on the desk.

Know that classrooms were generally poorly equipped: there might be a map of the world or an abacus (an instrument with beads to help children learn to count).

What did Victorian children wear to school?

Know that girls would wear a knee-length woollen dress, usually in a dark colour. They also wore a white apron tied at the back to protect their dress, thick black stockings and black shoes or boots. Boys wore a shirt, trousers and ankle boots, or shorts with long socks, with a jacket with a waistcoat or a jumper underneath. Colours were dull, such as black, brown or grey.

What were Victorian school punishments like? Know that Victorian school punishments were painful and humiliating by today's standards.

Know that the London Fire Brigade was set up. Know that there are still houses in Sandwich that have the fire brigade sign outside their houses. (Link to Sandwich local area).

Know that a monument was built to remember what happened and the people who died.

Know that it ended the Plague.

Who was Samuel Pepys

Know that Samuel started to write, around 1660, about the things he did and who he saw. He lived in London. Know that he kept his diary safe because he didn't want other people to read it. Some of his diary was written in a secret code. Know that Samuel wrote about two of the most important events to happen in London. The things he wrote about help us to understand everyday life at that time and what living through them was really like. First, there was the Great Plaque of 1665, an illness which killed thousands of people living in the capital city of London. Pepys also saw the Great Fire of London in 1666. It destroyed 13,000 houses. He wrote about how it started and of watching is spread, hoping his own things didn't catch fire. His diary is one of most important sources of evidence about the fire (link to English and diary entries)

Disciplinary knowledge (Skills)	Know about events beyond living memory that are significant nationally or globally. Develops an awareness of the past and able to identify similarities, including differences between ways of life in different periods of time. Develops an understanding of significant individuals in the past by learning about.	The most common form of punishment was the cane. This was a long, thin stick used to strike children on the hand for any number of pretexts; for example, if they'd told lies, been insolent or arrived late to school. Children were also beaten with a leather strap and some schools would even hang the children from the ceiling in a basket. If a child couldn't answer a question or didn't understand the subject of the lesson, they had to wear the dunce's hat ('dunce' means 'stupid'). Another common form of punishment was writing 'lines', where pupils copied out the same line for up to 100 times e.g. 'I must not tell lies'. Know about events beyond living memory that are significant nationally or globally. Know about changes within living memory, and able to talk about/ recall these. Knows and learns key facts about the lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements. Able to compare aspects of life in different periods [for example, Elizabeth I and Queen Victoria]. Knows about significant historical events, people and places in their own locality.	Know about events beyond living memory that are significant nationally or globally. Knows and learns key facts about the lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements. Able to compare aspects of life in different periods.
Vocabulary	Past, present, time, today, yesterday, now, national, remembrance, Guy Fawkes, Catholics, gunpowder, Houses of Parliament, government, plot, consequence, prosecuted, chamber, barrel, imprison, treason, King James.	Years, decade, Queen, King, Royal family, royal, past, crowned, reign, significant, famous, unpopular, era, governess, strict, monotonous, rote learning, quill, stockings, humiliating, punishment, Victorian, abacus, cup and ball, blackboard, chimney brush, dolly pegs, school teacher, Queen Victoria, cane, Dunce hat, Slate and chalk, yo-yo.	Chronological order, past, changes, What?, When?, Where?,The Great Fire of London, Samuel Pepys, eye witness, recount, wood, straw, pitch, flammable, stone, brick, fire hooks, King, rebuild, fire brigade, monument, plague.