

Whole School Overview

HISTORY/GEOGRAPHY

	AUTUMN		SPRING		SUMMER	
	HISTORY	GEOGRAPHY	HISTORY	GEOGRAPHY	HISTORY	GEOGRAPHY
REC	Term topic: LET'S CELEBRATE		Term topic: HOW DOES YOUR GARDEN GROW?		Term topic: THE SEASIDE	
	All about me – my history/my birthday	My local area; Where I live and Where I come from.	GEOGRAPHY FOCUS	Observations of the environment and changes. Drawing maps of the garden.	Seaside holidays – how have holidays changed?	Pirate Maps Seaside visit (fieldwork)
YEAR 1	Term topic: LET'S GO – TRANSPORT		Term topic: PLAYTIME		Term topic: ONCE UPON A TIME	
	Living Memory: Transport Significant People: Neil Armstrong, Amelia Earhart, Henry Ford	Maps and transport - in our local area and around the world.	Living Memory: History of games, toys and play	Map Making – route for a toy car	Significant People: The Royal Family	Towers, Castles and Palaces
YEAR 2	Term topic: LONDON'S BURNING		Term topic: IN THE DARK		Term topic: HEROES	
	Significant Events: Great Fire of London Significant People: Samuel Pepys	Our Capital City - Maps of London and locating landmarks (linked to the Great Fire of London)	Significant People: Famous Explorers Sir Francis Drake / Christopher Columbus	World maps, atlases and globes. Compass direction (N, S, and E, W), locational and directional language	Significant People: Heroic Woman: Florence Nightingale, Mary Seacole and Amy Johnson	The United Kingdom and Jamaica (linked to Mary Seacole).
YEAR 3	Term topic: STONE AGE		Term topic: WALK LIKE AN EGYPTIAN		Term topic: PLANT POWER	
	Pre-history, Stone Age and Bronze Age Exploring life in prehistoric times	Stone Age settlements and Skara Brae	Ancient Egyptian Life	Egypt and the Nile – Rivers and Water Systems Where is Egypt? Why is the Nile important? What are the similarities and differences between the UK and Egypt?	Farming through time (Inc. Aztecs and the history of chocolate)	Farming around the world

YEAR 4	Term topic: EXPLORERS		Term topic: THE ROMANS		Term topic: GREEN PLANET	
	The Maya Civilization	South America – linked with Maya Civilisation	The Roman Empire	European Geography - Which countries did the Romans rule? What are Roman roads? What is Rome like today?	GEOGRAPHY FOCUS	Rainforests Where can I find Rainforests? (Inc. weather, habitats and deforestation)
YEAR 5	Term topic: VICTORIANS -to become INVADERS in 2023/24		Term topic: OUT OF THIS WORLD		Term topic: MYTH AND MARVEL	
	Queen Victoria, Social Change in Victorian Britain and the Industrial Revolution	Exploring the local area – compare and contrast with Victorian London	Space Race and Moon Landing	What are the biomes of Russia? Geographical similarities and differences of UK, Russia and North America.	The Ancient Greeks	Fieldwork Focus
YEAR 6	Term topic: WHAT, WHERE, WHY? WATER!		Term topic: ON THE HOME FRONT		Term topic: ALL THE WORLD'S A STAGE - to become VICTORIANS in 2023/24	
	Sea Travel: How has sea travel changed? What is the impact of the changes in sea travel? Linked to Windrush literacy unit.	Water around the World	WWII and London's East End	The Geography of WWII - Which countries were involved and which areas of London were affected.	The Maya Civilisation	Fieldwork Focus