

History Coverage 2021-22



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Year 1	Aut 1	Aut 2	Spr 1	Spr 2	Sum 1	Sum 2
History		Homes in the Past		Famous Queens and Castles		Transport – Famous Engineers

Homes in the Past

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Famous Queens and Castles

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KSI - significant historical events, people and places in their own locality

Transport – Famous Engineers

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Year 2	Aut 1	Aut 2	Spr 1	Spr 2	Sum 1	Sum 2
History	Seaside Past/Present		Great Fire of London		Florence Nightingale	

Seaside Past/Present

KSI - changes within living memory. Where appropriate, these should be used to reveal aspects of change in national life

Great Fire of London

KSI - events beyond living memory that are significant nationally or globally [for example, the Great Fire of London, the first aeroplane flight or events commemorated through festivals or anniversaries]

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Year 3	Aut 1	Aut 2	Spr 1	Spr 2	Sum 1	Sum 2
History		Stone Age to Iron Age		Invaders and Settlers: Romans		Railway Revolution

Stone Age to Iron Age

KS2 - changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age

Invaders and Settlers: Romans

KS2 - the Roman Empire and its impact on Britain

Railway Revolution

KS2 - a study of an aspect or theme in British history that extends pupils' chronological knowledge beyond 1066

Year 4	Aut 1	Aut 2	Spr 1	Spr 2	Sum 1	Sum 2
History		Anglo Saxons, Scots and Picts		Ancient Egyptians		WW2 Children

Anglo Saxons, Scots and Picts

KS2 - Britain's settlement by Anglo-Saxons and Scots

Ancient Egyptians

KS2 - the achievements of the earliest civilizations – an overview of where and when the first civilizations appeared and a depth study of one of the following: Ancient Sumer; The Indus Valley; Ancient Egypt; The Shang Dynasty of Ancient China

WW2 Children

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Year 5	Aut 1	Aut 2	Spr 1	Spr 2	Sum 1	Sum 2
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History	Vikings v. Anglo-Saxons		Ancient Greeks		Local Study – The Industrial Revolution	
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Vikings vs Anglo Saxon

KS2 - the Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England to the time of Edward the Confessor

Ancient Greeks

KS2 - Ancient Greece – a study of Greek life and achievements and their influence on the western world

Local Study – The Industrial Revolution

KS2 - a study of an aspect or theme in British history that extends pupils' chronological knowledge beyond 1066

Year 6	Aut 1	Aut 2	Spr 1	Spr 2	Sum 1	Sum 2
History		How has Britain changed since 1948?		The Kingdom of Benin		Medicine and Disease

How has Britain changed since 1948?

KS2 - a study of an aspect or theme in British history that extends pupils' chronological knowledge beyond 1066

The Kingdom of Benin

KS2 - a non-European society that provides contrasts with British history – one study chosen from: early Islamic civilization, including a study of Baghdad c. AD 900; Mayan civilization c. AD 900; Benin (West Africa) c. AD 900-1300

Medicine and Disease

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