

History progression of study

	EYFS	Y1	Y1/2	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
Topics/ Themes based on NC Aims	See EYFS long term plan for current academic year	<b>Age of dinosaurs/ Stone Age</b> Cortonwood Colliery Flight	<b>Water and land explorers</b> Great fire of London Space	<b>Polar Explorers</b> Castles	<b>History of the School</b> Bronze Age to Iron Age Ancient Greece	<b>Roman Empire</b> Viking Explorers	<b>British Industrial Era</b> Mayans	<b>WW2</b> Ancient Egypt
<b>Exploration and discovery</b>  Inc. concepts of trade, expeditions and scientific breakthrough	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Own travels/ adventures</li> <li>Fictional adventures eg Going on a bear hunt</li> </ul>	<b>Dinosaurs/Stone Age</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How archaeology builds a picture of the past</li> <li>Mary Anning- fossil discoveries</li> </ul> <b>Flight</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1783-First hot air balloon flight</li> <li>1903- first functional plane</li> <li>Major solo flights</li> <li>Commercial flight/holidays</li> </ul>	<b>Water/land explorers</b> <b>'Discoveries':</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1492-Christopher Columbus- Americas</li> <li>1770-James Cook- Australia/ New Zealand</li> <li>1855- David Livingstone- Victoria Falls, Africa</li> </ul> <b>'Exploration'</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1492-1502- Christopher Columbus- opened up the routes to the Americas</li> <li>1577-1580- Francis Drake circumnavigated the world</li> <li>1800s-David Livingstone- explored Africa as a missionary</li> <li>Present day-Sylvia Earle- exploring the oceans</li> </ul> <b>Space</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1961- first man inspace</li> <li>1969-first man on moon</li> <li>1971- Viking 1 Mars mission</li> <li>2001- first space tourist</li> </ul>	<b>Polar explorers</b> <i>Arctic</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>C985-Eric the Red- 1<sup>st</sup> settlement in Greenland</li> <li>C1000-Leif Erikson- 1<sup>st</sup> European voyager to North America</li> <li>1909- Robert Peary/Matthew Henson-<i>almost</i> reached the North Pole</li> </ul> <i>Antarctic</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1911- Roald Amundsen- 1<sup>st</sup> person to reach South pole</li> <li>Ernest Shackleton- 4 expeditions to Antarctic inc Endurance (1914-16)</li> <li>1967-present day- Ranulph Fiennes- circumpolar expeditions</li> <li>2022- shipwreck of Endurance found</li> </ul>	<b>Ancient Greece</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>'Discoveries' by great thinkers that still influence today</li> </ul>	<b>Roman Empire</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Spread of the empire throughout Europe</li> </ul> <b>Viking Explorers</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>'Discovery' and settlement of Greenland/ North America</li> <li>Viking trade routes/ships</li> </ul>	<b>Mayans</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Spread of the civilisation</li> <li>Explorers who shaped the understanding about the Maya (John Lloyd Stephens/ Frederick Catherwood)</li> </ul> <b>British Industrial era</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>British Empire based on trade and industry</li> <li>Major industrial inventions of the time</li> </ul>	<b>Ancient Egypt</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Howard Carter's work and discoveries</li> <li>How artefacts help build a picture of the past</li> </ul>
<b>Achievements and follies of humanity</b>  Inc. concepts of <b>legacy, technology, social reform and conflict</b> (Also links to British Values/ 'Black lives matter' agenda)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Past and present experiences in own life</li> <li>Own achievements</li> <li>Getting on with others</li> </ul>	<b>Dinosaurs/Stone age</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Stone tools</li> <li>farming</li> <li>Monuments eg Stonehenge</li> </ul> <b>Cortonwood Colliery</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Life of rich/poor in Victorian Brampton (opened 1873)</li> <li>Importance of coal for industry</li> </ul> <b>Flight</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>First flights- see above</li> <li>Achievements of Amy Johnson</li> <li>Importance of technology</li> </ul>	<b>Water/land explorers</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1577-1580- Francis Drake- circumnavigated the world (involved in slave trade)</li> <li>David Livingstone-1<sup>st</sup> European to cross width of southern Africa (fought the slave trade)</li> <li>Sylvia Earle-Impact of technology on modern exploration</li> </ul> <b>Space</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Moon landing, Apollo11</li> <li>'Space race' /how technology has affected space exploration</li> </ul> <b>Great Fire of London</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How poor city design/build led to rapid spread of fire in 1666</li> <li>Christopher Wren- 1667 Rebuilding Act- wider streets, building standards</li> </ul>	<b>Polar explorers</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mistakes made by polar explorers eg Endurance, Peary not quite reaching North Pole</li> <li>Impact of technology on modern exploration eg Ranulph Fiennes</li> </ul> <b>Castles</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Norman conquest- impact on development of castles, English rulership and use of Latin</li> </ul>	<b>History of the school</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lasting legacy of George Ellis to provide schooling to local children</li> </ul> <b>Ancient Greece</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Roles within society inc slaves</li> </ul> Legacy: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Philosophy</li> <li>Theatre</li> <li>Architecture</li> <li>Sports</li> </ul> <b>Bronze Age to Iron Age</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Comparison of achievements since Stone Age</li> <li>Hill forts- precursor to Castles</li> <li>Roman invasion</li> </ul>	<b>Roman Empire</b> Legacy/technology: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Town planning/sanitation</li> <li>Roads/aqueducts</li> <li>Culture</li> </ul> Conflict: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Decline of the empire</li> <li>Anglo-saxon revolt</li> </ul> <b>Viking Explorers</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Invasion v settlement</li> <li>Trade centres within Britain- Jorvik</li> <li>Slave trade</li> </ul>	<b>British Industrial era</b> Achievements/legacy: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Technology/inventions</li> </ul> Folly: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Loss of cottage industry</li> </ul> Social reform <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Suffragette movement</li> <li>Workers' rights</li> </ul> <b>Mayans</b> Achievements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Farming calendar/astronomy</li> <li>architecture</li> </ul> Folly/conflict <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>warfare between city states</li> <li>Decline of the civilisation- what happened?</li> </ul>	<b>Ancient Egypt</b> Achievements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Building of pyramids</li> <li>agricultural technology</li> <li>writing,</li> </ul> <b>WW2</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Technology aiding victory</li> <li>Battle of Britain</li> <li>Birth of NHS,</li> <li>Nationalisation of industry</li> <li>Consequences of conflict during the war and through age of austerity</li> <li>Have lessons been learnt?</li> </ul>
<b>Power</b>  Inc. concepts of governance, law, monarchy, religion invasion, conflict (Also links to British Values/ 'Black lives matter' agenda)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Own family</li> <li>Getting on with others</li> <li>School rules</li> <li>People who help us</li> </ul>	<b>Dinosaurs/Stone Age</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mary Anning- findings challenged accepted view of evolution</li> </ul> <b>Cortonwood Colliery</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1984/5- miners strike (closed 1985)</li> </ul>	<b>Water/land explorers</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Importance of exploration/discoveries as a show of political power</li> </ul> <b>Great Fire of London</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Role of King Charles II in ordering firebreaks and the Rebuilding Act</li> </ul> <b>Space</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>'Space race' between USSR and USA</li> </ul>	<b>Polar explorers</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Settlement of viking explorers in Greenland and Vinland, Canada</li> </ul> <b>Castles</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Battle of Hastings 1066. A battle for the crown of England</li> <li>The reign of Queen Elizabeth II- major events. Her impact/influence</li> </ul>	<b>History of the school</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How schools are run/ role of governors and 'trustees'</li> </ul> <b>Bronze Age to Iron Age</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conflict between tribes</li> </ul> <b>Ancient Greece</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Birth of democracy</li> <li>City state governance</li> </ul>	<b>Roman Empire</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Roles of Roman governance- Emperor, republics, senates</li> <li>Role of the army</li> <li>fall of the Empire</li> </ul> <b>Viking explorers</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>chief/law-speaker</li> <li>Things</li> <li>Danelaw</li> </ul>	<b>British Industrial era</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Social Reforms</li> <li>Women's suffrage</li> <li>Queen Victoria/ British Empire</li> </ul> <b>Mayans</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mayan social hierarchy/rigid roles</li> <li>city states</li> <li>autocracy</li> </ul>	<b>Ancient Egypt</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Social hierarchy</li> <li>How different rulers affected society and religion</li> </ul> <b>WW2</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How difference in beliefs/politics can lead to conflict</li> <li>Importance of governance in crisis</li> </ul>

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<p><b>Significant people and events</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Age of the dinosaurs</li> <li>Family celebrations</li> <li>People who help us- eg Florence Nightingale</li> <li>Current topical people- eg David Attenborough</li> <li>Characters from stories about the past</li> </ul>	<p><b>Dinosaurs/Stone Age</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Triassic, Jurassic, Cretaceous</li> <li>Mary Anning- fossil discoveries</li> </ul> <p><b>Cortonwood Colliery</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1932- pit disaster/ role of local nurse</li> <li>1984/5- miners strike</li> </ul> <p><b>Flight</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Montgolfier brothers</li> <li>Wright brothers</li> <li>Amy Johnson</li> </ul>	<p><b>Water/land explorers</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Christopher Columbus, James Cook, Francis Drake, David Livingston, Sylvia Earle- see above</li> </ul> <p><b>Space</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>First man in space- Yuri Gagarin</li> <li>Apollo 11 crew- Neil Armstrong, Edwin 'Buzz' Aldrin, Michael Collins</li> <li>British astronauts-Tim Peake, Helen Sharman</li> </ul> <p><b>Great Fire of London</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1666 (year after the plague)</li> <li>Samuel Pepys</li> <li>King Charles II</li> <li>Christopher Wren</li> </ul>	<p><b>Castles</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Queen</li> <li>William the conqueror/King Harold</li> <li>William de Warrene</li> <li>Lord and Lady Hamelin</li> <li>Battle of Hastings 1066 (Bayeux tapestry)</li> </ul> <p><b>Polar explorers</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Erik the red, Leif Erikson, Shackleton, Fiennes, Peary, Amundsen (see dates above)</li> </ul>	<p><b>History of the school</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>George Ellis</li> </ul> <p><b>Bronze Age to Iron Age</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Roman Invasion: Julius Caesar 55/54BC, Claudius AD43</li> </ul> <p><b>Ancient Greeks</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hippocrates- medicine</li> <li>Aristotle/Socrates/Plato</li> <li>Olympic games</li> </ul>	<p><b>Roman Empire</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Caesar</li> <li>Claudius</li> </ul> <p><b>Viking Explorers</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Viking invasion of Britain 793</li> <li>Eric the Red</li> <li>Ingolfur Arnarson</li> </ul>	<p><b>British Industrial era</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Women's suffrage Emmeline Pankhurst, Millicent Fawcett</li> <li>Slavery abolishment- William Wilberforce</li> <li>National 'inventors': Stephenson, Watt, Arkwright</li> <li>Steel industry: Boulsover, Bessemer, Brearley</li> </ul> <p><b>Mayans</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explorers: John Lloyd Stephens, Frederick Catherwood</li> <li>Sudden decline of the civilisation</li> </ul>	<p><b>Ancient Egypt-</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Howard Carter</li> <li>Tutankhamun</li> <li>Ramses ii</li> </ul> <p><b>WW2</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Winston Churchill</li> <li>Adolf Hitler</li> </ul>
<p><b>Local connections</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Family history</li> <li>Local people and their roles in society</li> <li>Celebrations</li> <li>How these have changed over time/ diversity</li> </ul>	<p><b>Cortonwood Colliery</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>History of colliery within national picture</li> <li>Cortonwood Retail Park</li> </ul>		<p><b>Castles</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conisbrough Castle gifted to William de Warrene by William the Conquerer</li> </ul>	<p><b>History of the school</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How it has changed over 300 years</li> </ul>	<p><b>Roman Empire</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Templeborough/ Doncaster Forts</li> </ul> <p><b>Viking Explorers</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>place names</li> <li>Jorvik</li> </ul>	<p><b>British Industrial era</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sheffield/Rotherham steel industry</li> </ul>	<p><b>WW2</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bunker on school ground</li> <li>Sheffield steel industry links</li> </ul>
<p><b>Celebrations/ commemorations</b> (Also links to RE festivals)</p>	<p>Christmas, New Year, birthdays, bonfire night World celebrations eg Chinese New Year/Divali</p>	<p>Thanksgiving, Christmas/Victorian Christmas traditions</p>	<p>Queen's birthday, St George's day Bonfire night- gunpowder plot</p>	<p>Queen's birthday, St George's day Bonfire night- gunpowder plot</p>	<p>Shrove Tuesday/Pancake day- local traditions/dance</p>	<p>Mothering Sunday Boxing day</p>	<p>Bank holidays</p>	<p>Remembrance day/Armistice VE day</p>