


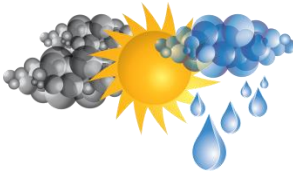








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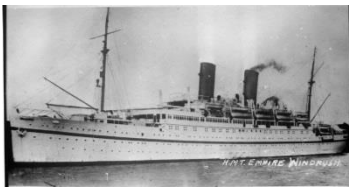

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Discovering the past, present, here, there and now

Our thematic curriculum supports children to develop their key skills in History and Geography. These can then be transferred into other situations ICT, applied Maths and Literacy skills are also developed alongside each theme.

		Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 1							
		<p>London. Is it the place for you?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Compass skills To know where key places in the UK are 	<p>How have I changed?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognise changes in living memory Describe aspects of change in national life Understand past, present, future 	<p>What did Amy Johnson see on her travels?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Investigate her life Discover why she is important Comparing the geography of the UK and a non-EU country: Australia To know where key places in the UK are 		<p>What's the weather like today?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Weather forecasting Comparing weather in different places 	<p>Who was the lady with the lamp?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Investigate her life Discover why she is important
Year 2							
		<p>Was the Great Fire of London a good thing in the end?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Find out about a significant local historical event Discover events which happened before living memory 	<p>Where would you holiday?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Comparing the geography of the UK and a non-EU country To know where key places in the UK are 	<p>Who won the Space Race?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Find out all about Neil Armstrong Learn about the race to the Moon 		<p>Why live in the countryside?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continents and oceans Important geographical vocabulary Human geography India and Chembakolli 	<p>Who's doing the Hackney Walk?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fieldwork and observation skills Finding local landmarks Simple map skills

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Year 3						
	<p>Which is best: stone, bronze or iron?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use evidence to find out about the past • Understand the chronology of UK history • Changes in Britain from the Stone Age until the Iron Age 		<p>Why is the UK a good place to visit?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Name and locate UK countries • Identify regions and physical features • Discover changes over time 	<p>Why is Benin important?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use research skills to find out about Benin • Find out about artefacts and what they tell us today 	<p>Who lived in a house like this?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use research skills to find out about Sutton House • Find out about artefacts and what they tell us today • Discover local history 	<p>Viva España</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Compare UK and region of Europe • Spain and Catalonia
Year 4						
	<p>Who built the pyramids?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Finding out about life in Ancient Egypt • Placing significant events on a timeline • Assessing the impact of the Egyptians on modern life 	<p>Where is the most extreme place on Earth?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describe and understand key aspects of physical geography 	<p>How do we know the Romans were here?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Boudicca • Roman settlements • Life in Roman Britain 	<p>Why do people want to move to Britain?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Focus on Europe and North America • Use atlases and digital mapping to describe features • Jamaica • Windrush: immigration 		

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Year 5						
	<p>Why do people still tell Anglo Saxon stories?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The 7 kingdoms • Life as an Anglo Saxon • Anglo Saxon chronology 	<p>What is Brazil known for other than football?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key characteristics of South America • Compare UK, Spain, Brazil • Human geography and natural resources 	<p>How did the Ancient Greeks live on and on and on...?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Life as an Ancient Greek • Overview of world history • Using evidence to find out about the past • Ancient Greek legacy 	<p>How close did World War II come to Hackney?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Battle of Britain • Propaganda • Evacuation • Life in wartime Hackney 		
Year 6						
	<p>Who wore the horned helmets: Vikings or Anglo Saxons?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Viking and Anglo Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England • Where did they come from? • Why did they come? • Similarities and differences • Using evidence to solve historical mysteries 				<p>Why is our school in a fashion hub?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Raw materials: uses, sources, areas • Impact on humans of supplying these • Eco friendly alternatives • Locate countries and their features electronically • Use 8 compass points • 4 and 6 figure grid references • Map keys and symbols • Use an ordnance survey map • Time lines • Historical adverts • research 	