

Age Phase	Year Group	Topic Name	Historical Enquiry Question	Main National Curriculum Focus
EYFS	Reception	My life	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> How have I changed since I was a baby? Why do we wear different clothes at different times of the year? What are our favourite celebrations each year? 	Understanding the World
Key Stage 1	Year 1	Toys	How are the toys I play with different to the toys children played with in the past?	Changes within living memory
		People who help us	Who are our 'Health Heroes' and has time changed the way people help us?	Lives of significant individuals
	Year 2	Remembrance Day	Why do we celebrate Bonfire Night?	Events beyond living memory Significant Individuals
		The Great Fire of London	How did the Great Fire of London change our Capital City?	Events beyond living memory
		Local History	How has Chester Zoo changed over the years?	Significant historical events, people and places in their own locality
Key Stage 2	Year 3/4 (Cycle A)	The Shang Dynasty	What can archaeology tell us about the Shang Dynasty?	The achievements of the earliest civilizations
		The Victorians	How was Victorian Britain changed by the Industrial Revolution?	A study of an aspect or theme in British history that extends pupils' chronological knowledge beyond 1066
		Local Study	What is the story of Beeston Crag?	A study of an aspect of history or a site dating from a period beyond 1066 that is significant in the locality
	Year 4/5 (Cycle A)	The Indus Valley	How does the Indus Valley civilisation compare to the Ancient Egyptians?	The achievements of the earliest civilizations
		The Ancient Greeks	What did the Greeks do for us?	Ancient Greece – a study of Greek life and achievements and their influence on the western world

		Local Study	What is the story of Beeston Crag?	A study of an aspect of history or a site dating from a period beyond 1066 that is significant in the locality
	Year 3/4 (Cycle B)	The Stone Age, The Bronze Age and the Iron Age	How did Britain change from the Stone Age to the Iron Age?	Changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age
		The Egyptians	How much did the Ancient Egyptians achieve?	The achievements of the earliest civilizations
	Year 4/5 (Cycle B)	Roman Britain	How did the Roman Empire impact our local area?	The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain
		The Anglo Saxons	What was life like in Britain after the Romans left?	The Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England to the time of Edward the Confessor
		The Vikings	Were the Vikings ruthless raiders or peaceful settlers?	The Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England to the time of Edward the Confessor
	Year 6	World War 2	Why was the Battle of Britain a significant turning point of WW2?	A significant turning point in British history, for example, the first railways or the Battle of Britain
		Crime and Punishment	How has crime and punishment changed over time?	A study of an aspect of history or a site dating from a period beyond 1066 that is significant in the locality
		The Maya Civilisation	Why should we remember the Maya?	A non-European society that provides contrasts with British history