



West Jesmond Primary School:

History Overview

Reception

Title/ Term	Big Question	Concept/s
Spring 100 Days at School	What changes have we seen in 100 days?	Historical Evidence

Year 1

Title/ Term	Big Question	Concept/s
Autumn 2 Toys Past and Present	How have toys and games changed? Box of Delight GNM Workshop	Historical Evidence Continuity and Change
Spring 2 First Flight	Why was the first aeroplane flight important?	Historical Evidence Cause and Consequence
Summer 2 Life on an Ocean Wave	How did Grace Darling make a difference?	Historical Evidence Historical Significance

Year 2

Title/ Term	Big Question	Concept/s
Autumn 2 Incredible Inventors	Who is the most significant inventor?	Historical Evidence Historical Significance
Spring 1 Fire and Flames	Why was London burning?	Historical Evidence Cause and Consequence
Summer 2 Newcastle's Castle	How did Newcastle get its name?	Historical Evidence Continuity and Change

Year 3

Title/ Term	Big Question	Concept/s
Autumn 2 Stones to Iron	What 'age' would you prefer to live in?	Historical Evidence Continuity and Change

Spring 2 Roman Raids and Resistance	Why did the Romans invade Britain, who resisted and what was their impact on Britain?	Historical Evidence Cause and Consequence
Summer 1 The Railway Revolution	How did trains change life in Britain?	Historical Evidence Historical Significance

Year 4

Title/ Term	Big Question	Concept/s
Autumn 1 Anglo Saxon Settlements and Kingdoms	What was life like in Anglo-Saxon Britain?	Historical Evidence Cause and Consequence
Spring 2 Ancient Greece	What did the Greeks do for me?	Historical Evidence Continuity and Change
Summer 1 Uncovering Ancient Egypt	Who were the Ancient Egyptians?	Historical Evidence Historical Significance

Year 5

Title/ Term	Big Question	Concept/s
Autumn 1 Vikings Versus Anglo Saxons	How did a struggle for power unite England?	Historical Evidence Cause and Consequence
Autumn 2 The Home Front	How did the home front help win the war?	Historical Evidence Historical Significance
Spring 2 The Maya	How did Maya life compare with life in Britain at that time?	Historical Evidence Continuity and Change
Summer 2 Fighting for Equality	Why do we remember Rosa Parks?	Historical Evidence Historical Significance

Year 6

Title/ Term	Big Question	Concept/s
Autumn 1 Scotland the Brave	Would you fight for freedom?	Historical Evidence Cause and Consequence
Summer 1 Crime and Punishment	How have crimes and their punishments changed?	Historical Evidence Continuity and Change