

CONCEPTS OF HISTORY PLANNING AT FLECKNEY C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL

Our History Concept

A high-quality history education will help our pupils gain a coherent knowledge and understanding of Britain's past and that of the wider world. It will inspire pupils' curiosity to know more about the past. Our teaching will aim to equip pupils to ask perceptive questions, think critically, weigh evidence, sift arguments, and develop perspective and judgement. History helps pupils to understand the complexity of people's lives, the process of change, the diversity of societies and relationships between different groups, as well as their own identity and the challenges of their time.

Long Term Overview of Skills and Processes

Chronological understanding

It is essential that children understand the idea that events happen in order. This can be a difficult concept for young minds. This is the key to understanding when events occur helps us understand the cause and the effect of those events, and in turn, how and why events unfold in the way they do, and how they are related

The **key components** of teaching and learning in history also consist of key aspects of :

1. Continuity and Change 2. Cause and Effect 3. Perspectives 4. Empathetic Understanding 5. Significance 6. Contestability. This is how we cover these areas at Fleckney:

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These are	Continuity and Change	Cause and Effect	Perspectives	Empathetic Understanding	Significance	Contestability	
covered	Historians recognise that over	The concept of cause and	The concept of perspectives	Empathetic understanding is	The concept of significance	The concept of	
through each	time, some things change, and	effect is used by historians to	is an important part of	the ability to understand and	relates to the importance	contestability is about	
year group	some things stay the same.	identify the events or	historical inquiry.	appreciate particular events or	historians assign to aspects	interpretations of the past	
		developments that have led to		actions from someone else's	of the past.	that are the subject of	
		particular actions or results		point of view.		debate among historians.	
EYFS	Family		People who help us	Characters in Stories			
Year 1	Changing Technology	Great Explores		Local History		Great Explores	
Year 2	Great Fire of London	Great Fire of London	Great Fire of London	Great Fire of London	Great Fire of London	Great Fire of London	
	Significant Women in History	Local History (WW1)	Significant Women in History	Significant Women in History	Significant Women in		
	Local History (WW1)		Local History (WW1)	Local History (WW1)	History		
					Local History (WW1)		
Year 3	Stone Age	Stone Age	Stone Age	Stone Age	Stone Age	Stone Age	
	Bronze Age	Bronze Age	Bronze Age	Bronze Age	Bronze Age	Bronze Age	
	Iron Age	Iron Age	Iron Age	Iron Age	Iron Age	Iron Age	
Year 4	Romans	Romans	Romans	Romans	Romans	Romans	
	Anglo Saxons	Anglo Saxons	Anglo Saxons	Anglo Saxons	Anglo Saxons	Anglo Saxons	
	Vikings	Vikings	Vikings	Vikings	Vikings	Vikings	
	(Local History – Short Topic)		(Local History –Short Topic)	(Local History –Short Topic)		(Local History –Short Topic)	
Year 5	Battle of Britain	Battle of Britain	Battle of Britain	Battle of Britain	Battle of Britain	Battle of Britain	
	The Mayans	Richard III & Battle of Bosworth	Richard III & Battle of	The Mayans	Richard III & Battle of	Richard III & Battle of	
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			The Mayans			The Mayans	



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Revolution • Protest • Tyranny • Democracy • Monarchy • Republic • Freedom • Slavery and Evidence Source

Year 6	The Chinese Dynasty	The Chinese Dynasty	The Chinese Dy	nasty	The Chinese Dynasty	The Chinese Dynasty	The Chinese Dynasty	
	Empire and Migration	Empire and Migration	Empire and Mig	ration	Empire and Migration	Empire and Migration	Empire and Migration	
		Ancient Greece Ancient Gr				Ancient Greece	Ancient Greece	
This helps child	lren gain knowledge of event	ts, people, and changes in the	e past They child	ren are al	so learning key disciplina ry	knowledge and procedu	ral knowledge and skills:	
	Discipli	nary knowledge		Procedural knowledge and skills				
The children	in KS1 will know about :	The children in KS2 will know about:		The chil	dren in KS1 will know how	to: The children in	The children in KS2 will know how to:	
 Changes within living memory Significant global and national events beyond living memory Significant people from the past Significant local events 		 Pre Roman Britain Roman Britain Settlements by Anglo Saxons and Vikings Ancient civilisation British history – an extended study past 1066 A non-European comparative history And local history 		 Use words and phrases about the past Share basic opinions about the past Put events into chronological order List differences between their lives and the lives; of people in the past Use sources to answer simple questions about the past. Share basic opinions about the past 		past rder ives ast elevant informati elevant e	Quality of written communication: • Structure essays and enquiries with mostly relevant information • Use dates and terminology Interpretations • Identify different interpretations of events in the past • Identify how different periods in history have changed or stayed the same over different periods Historical judgements • Give a judgement on enquiry or issue in history • State criteria for making these judgements	

The children at Fleckney School learn to use the skills of a Historian to investigate an aspect of history and develop enquiry minds about the past. This will help them to develop a passion for history and their learning.