

KS1

Cycle/Year		Unit	Disciplinary knowledge and Substantive threads							National Curriculum Criteria
Cycle A/Y1	Toys	Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change	Changes within living memory. Where appropriate, these should be used to reveal aspects of change in national life	
		Substantive threads	Society and culture	Religion	Conflict	Trade	Events and People			
		Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change		
Great Fire of London		Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change	Events beyond living memory that are significant nationally or globally	
		Substantive threads	Society and culture	Religion	Conflict	Trade	Events and People			
		Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change		
Columbus and Armstrong		Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change	The lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements. Some should be used to compare aspects of life in different periods	
		Substantive threads	Society and culture	Religion	Conflict	Trade	Events and People			
		Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change		
Cycle B/Y2	Nightingale and Seacole	Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change	Changes within living memory. Where appropriate, these should be used to reveal aspects of change in national life The lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements.	
		Substantive threads	Society and culture	Religion	Conflict	Trade	Events and People			
		Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change		
Monarchy		Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change	The lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements.	
		Substantive threads	Society and culture	Religion	Conflict	Trade	Events and People			
		Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change		
Wedgewood		Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change	Significant historical events, people and places in their own locality.	
		Substantive threads	Society and culture	Religion	Conflict	Trade	Events and People			
		Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change		

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BRITISH HISTORY AND CHRONOLOGY	Cycle A/Y3	Stone Age	Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change	Changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age. (Late Neolithic hunter-gatherers and early farmers, for example, Skara Brae)		
			Substantive threads	Society and culture	Religion	Conflict	Trade	Events and People				
		Bronze and Iron Age	Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change	Changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age. (Bronze Age religion, technology and travel, for example, Stonehenge. Iron Age hill forts: tribal kingdoms, farming, art and culture)		
Substantive threads	Society and culture		Religion	Conflict	Trade	Events and People						
Romans	Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change	The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain				
	Substantive threads	Society and culture	Religion	Conflict	Trade	Events and People						
LOCAL AND GLOBAL STUDIES	Cycle B/Y4	Canals	Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change	A local history study. (a study of an aspect of history or a site dating from a period beyond 1066 that is significant in the locality.)		
			Substantive threads	Society and culture	Religion	Conflict	Trade	Events and People				
		Ancient Egypt	Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change	The achievements of the earliest civilizations – an overview of where and when the first civilizations appeared and a depth study of Ancient Egypt		
Substantive threads	Society and culture		Religion	Conflict	Trade	Events and People						
Ancient Greece	Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change	A study of Greek life and achievements and their influence on the western world				
	Substantive threads	Society and culture	Religion	Conflict	Trade	Events and People						

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BRITISH HISTORY AND CHRONOLOGY	Cycle A/Y5	Anglo Saxons	Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change	Britain's settlement by Anglo-Saxons and Scots		
			Substantive threads	Society and culture	Religion	Conflict	Trade	Events and People				
		Vikings	Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change	The Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England		
Substantive threads	Society and culture		Religion	Conflict	Trade	Events and People						
NATIONAL AND GLOBAL STUDIES	Cycle B/Y6	Crime and Punishment	Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change	A study of an aspect or theme in British history that extends pupils' chronological knowledge beyond 1066 (crime and punishment from the Anglo-Saxons to the present)		
			Substantive threads	Society and culture	Religion	Conflict	Trade	Events and People				
		WWII	Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change	A study of an aspect or theme in British history that extends pupils' chronological knowledge beyond 1066		
Substantive threads	Society and culture		Religion	Conflict	Trade	Events and People						
Benin	Disciplinary knowledge	Chronological knowledge and understanding	Historical enquiry	Cause and consequence	Similarity and Difference	Significance in event and people	Continuity and change	A non-European society that provides contrasts with British history				
	Substantive threads	Society and culture	Religion	Conflict	Trade	Events and People						

