

# St. Stephen's Church of England Primary History Curriculum Overview 2020 for years 1-6



	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
<p><b>Area of study: events, people</b></p> <p><b>Field work/ trips/ events</b></p>	<p><u>Autumn 2</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Francis Drake/ Golden Hinde</li> <li>History of transport</li> <li><i>Transport Museum</i></li> </ul> <p><u>Spring 1</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Moon landings/ Neil Armstrong</li> </ul> <p><u>Spring 2</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Changes in living memory- history of objects.</li> <li>Tim Berners Lee</li> </ul> <p><u>Summer 2</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Victorians/ Queen Victoria/ <i>Victorian Day</i></li> </ul>	<p><u>Autumn 1</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Florence Nightingale</li> <li>Mary Seacole</li> <li>Crimean War</li> <li><i>Florence Nightingale Museum</i></li> </ul> <p><u>Autumn 2</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Great Fire of London</li> <li>Guy Fawkes/ gunpowder plot</li> <li><i>Great Fire theatre group</i></li> </ul> <p><u>Spring 2</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explorers old and new- Ernest Shackleton and Ellen McArthur.</li> </ul>	<p><u>Autumn 1</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ancient Egyptians</li> <li><i>British Museum</i></li> </ul> <p><u>Autumn 2</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Benin/ West Africa</li> <li><i>Horniman Museum (Africa)</i></li> </ul> <p><u>Summer 2</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Local history: changes in Lewisham over time</li> <li><i>Lewisham historical walk</i></li> </ul>	<p><u>Autumn 1</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>World War 2/ Battle of Britain/ Local history: impact of WW2</li> <li><i>Imperial war Museum</i></li> <li><i>Eyewitness accounts WW2</i></li> </ul> <p><u>Spring 1</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Inventions through history</li> </ul> <p><u>Summer 1</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Roman Empire</li> <li>Romans in Britain</li> </ul> <p><u>Summer 2</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vikings</li> <li>Anglo Saxons/ Edward Confessor</li> </ul>	<p><u>Autumn 1</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Stone Age</li> </ul> <p><u>Autumn 2</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Iron Age</li> <li>Bronze Age</li> </ul> <p><u>Spring 1</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mayan Civilization</li> </ul> <p><u>Summer 2</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ancient Greece</li> <li><i>British Museum</i></li> </ul>	<p><u>Autumn 1</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tudors/ Henry VIII</li> </ul> <p><u>Autumn 2</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Columbus/ exploration</li> <li><i>Maritime Museum</i></li> </ul> <p><u>Spring 2</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Local history: maritime history and changes in Deptford over time.</li> <li><i>Mudlarking Thames</i></li> <li><i>Local history walk</i></li> </ul> <p><u>Summer 2</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chronological overview of all events studied.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Key questions</b></p>	<p>How has transport changed through the ages and why?</p> <p>How has my school changed since Victorian times?</p> <p>Why is someone landing on the moon important?</p> <p>What do changes in everyday objects tell us?</p>	<p>What impact did Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole have on modern medicine?</p> <p>Why did the gunpowder plot happen?</p> <p>How did the Great Fire of London change the city?</p> <p>What are the lessons we can learn from explorers?</p>	<p>Who were the Egyptians and what did they achieve?</p> <p>How do myths and stories from Benin compare with British ones?</p> <p>How has Lewisham changed over time?</p>	<p>What were the causes of WW2? How did it affect Deptford?</p> <p>What is the greatest invention in history?</p> <p>What are the impacts of the Romans we still see today in Britain?</p> <p>Who were the Vikings and Anglo Saxons and how did they settle Britain?</p>	<p>How did people live in the Stone Age?</p> <p>What were the changes from Stone Age, through Bronze and Iron Age Britain?</p> <p>How were the discoveries of the Mayans similar and different to those in Britain?</p> <p>What influence do the ancient Greeks have on the western world?</p>	<p>Why is the Tudor period a turning point for Christianity in Britain?</p> <p>How has the power of the monarchs of Britain changed over time?</p> <p>Why and how is Maritime Greenwich important?</p>

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<b>Connection, trends, contrast, cause, similarities, significance.</b>	<p>Changes within living memory- changes in national life of recycling using key objects (milk bottle, bag, computer).</p> <p>Significant lives of individuals , their impact and significance: Queen Victoria, Neil Armstrong, Tim Berners Lee, Francis Drake.</p> <p>Events beyond living memory that are significant: Victorians school and transport, Moon landings</p> <p>Significant local historical events: journey of Golden Hinde/ Francis Drake.</p>	<p>Significant lives of individuals, their impact and significance: Florence Nightingale, Mary Seacole, Guy Fawkes, Ernest Shackleton, Ellen McArthur,</p> <p>Events beyond living memory: how is the gunpowder plot relevant today?</p> <p>Compare aspects of life from different periods: Fire of London and gunpowder plot.</p> <p>Significant local historical events: Florence Nightingale in London.</p>	<p>Achievements of earliest civilisations- when and where Egyptians appeared. Major discoveries and significance of these today. Comparison of aspects of modern and ancient Egyptian life e.g. uses of the Nile.</p> <p>Link with literacy: myths/ stories from Benin and their significance with ancient West African culture and comparisons with other myths.</p> <p>Local history study of Lewisham, contrasts and changes over time.</p>	<p>Turning points in history: Battle of Britain and its significance.</p> <p>Local history: the impact of WW2 on Deptford.</p> <p>Impact of Roman Empire, including similarities/ causes of invasions and resistance (Caesar and Boudicca).</p> <p>Romanisation' of Britain: the impact of technology, culture and beliefs, including early Christianity.</p> <p>Comparisons and contrasts of Viking and Anglo Saxon raids, invasions, laws, justice, settlements.</p>	<p>Changes over time: similarities and contrasts Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age.</p> <p>The achievements of the earliest civilizations – an overview of where and when the first civilizations appeared and a depth study.</p> <p>Significant discoveries of Mayans and comparison with British history from same period.</p> <p>A study of Greek life, achievements and their influence on the western world (linked to Geography European study).</p>	<p>Significant local historical events: journey of Golden Hinde/ Francis Drake, Christopher Columbus- comparisons and significance.</p> <p>Trends in the changing power of monarchs of Tudor Britain, with a case study on Henry VIII.</p> <p>Local history: investigate why and how Maritime Greenwich/ Deptford has been influenced and influences local and national history.</p>