

## Gainsborough Primary and Nursery School – History Long term Overview

History Overview	Year One	Year Two	Year Three	Year Four	Year Five	Year Six
Autumn Term	Changes within living memory – History of themselves and their family.  The history of our school.	Events beyond Living Memory that are significant nationally/globally  The Great Fire of London.  Significant Events locally – The Great Fire of Nantwich  Events commemorated by festivals – Bonfire Night..	Changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age.	The Ancient Greeks – A study of Greek life, their achievements and their influence on the Western World.		Study an aspect/theme of British History that extends their chronological knowledge beyond 1066.  The impact of World War 2 – Women in the workplace, evacuees. The significant turning point in British history of the Battle of Britain.
Spring Term	Events beyond living memory – The first aeroplane flight  Toys  Did my Grandma play with the same toys as me?  How toys have changed over time.	Explorers  The lives of significant individuals  Comparing aspects of life in different periods – E.g. Christopher Columbus and Neil Armstrong.		How are some aspects of national history reflected in the locality of Liverpool?  Changes in social history – Leisure and entertainment in the 20 <sup>th</sup> Century.	The achievements of the earliest civilizations – Where did these appear and when.  In-depth study of Ancient Egypt.	
Summer Term	Changes within and beyond Living Memory  The seaside then and now.		Local history study - The Railways and Crewe – How aspects of National history are reflected in the locality.	The Romans  The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain.	The Anglo-Saxons and Scots  The Viking & Anglo-Saxon struggle for England to the time of Edward the Confessor.	A non-European society - The Mayan civilisation