History and Geography Planning KS1, 2020-2023

.

Autumn Term 1 (1st ½)

Topic: **Timelines**

Looking at timelines of our lives so far. Timelines of famous people

Autumn Term 1 (2nd ½)

Topic: **Hot country/ Cold Country**

Comparing the climates and weather of a cold country and a hot country. Looking at features, human and physical within the landscapes. Learning about the countries and looking at their positions in relation to the equator and the North and South Poles.

Spring Term 1 (1st ½)

Topic: **Homes, now and then**

Looking at homes from the past and how they have changed through the ages to houses built today. Looking at specific features eg homes in Victorian times

Spring Term 1 (2nd ½)

Topic: **The rainforest**

Studying the rainforest and the physical features, the animals that live there, the weather associated with it and how it changes through the different seasons.

Summer Term 1 (1st ½)

Topic: **Seasides within the past**

Studying seasides from the past, why people chose to visit them and their features. Looking at the life of Grace Darling.

Summer Term 1 (2nd ½)

Topic: **Seaside**

Beach study, looking at the human and physical features. Using geographical vocabulary eg. Beach, cliff, coast, sea etc.

Autumn Term 2 (1st ½)

Topic: **Schools from the past**

Discussing how schools have changed. Looking at the history of Plumbland CE School from when it was built in 1800. Learning about William Caxton.

Autumn Term 2 (2nd ½)

Topic: **Local study- Plumbland compared to Aspatria**

Comparing the human and physical features of a town and village. Making maps using compass directions North, South, East and West.

Spring Term 2 (1st ½)

Topic: **Our Royal family**

Learning about the members of our Royal family and key monarchs over time.

Spring Term 2 (2nd ½)

Topic: **Travelling and transport**

Learning about different ways of travelling and how these have developed through the ages. Learning about the first aeroplane flight and travelling in space and to the moon.

Summer Term 2 (1st ½)

Topic: **The Great Plague**

Learning about this key historical event and its effect on our country as well as changes that came about because of this event.

Summer Term 2 (2nd ½)

Topic: **The continents**

Learning about the 7 continents in the world using maps, atlases and globes.

Autumn Term 3 (1st ½)

Topic: **The Great Fire of London**

Learning about this historical event, its effect on our country and the changes it brought.

Autumn Term 3 (2nd ½)

Topic:  **Countries within the United Kingdom**

Learning about England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland and their capital cities.

Spring Term 3 (1st ½)

Topic: **Toys from the past**

Learning about toys from the past and comparing them to toys we have now.

Spring Term 3 (2nd ½)

Topic: **Rivers and oceans**

Looking at famous rivers and studying the 5 oceans in the world. Focusing on animals that live in water.

Summer Term 3 (1st ½)

Topic: **Famous people**

Learning about the life of Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole.

Summer Term 3 (2nd ½)

Topic: **Homes in our locality**

Looking at the types of houses in Plumbland and Carlisle. Making maps of the locality using human and physical features.