



Our Lady and St Joseph History Substantive Concepts Scheme Overview










History Seekers












Substantive Concepts Key

Please use the key below to find the primary substantive concept covered in each unit. There will be other substantive concepts covered in each of our History Seekers units but the primary substantive concepts are the main concepts running through the scheme.

-  **Migration, Settlement and Invasion**
-  **Conflict and War**
-  **Empire**
-  **Power and Government**
-  **Trade and Technology**
-  **Civilisation and Society**
-  **Environmental History and Sustainability**

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3
Autumn	 Historical Enquiry: Faith and Felix's Birthday Party How can we use evidence to find out about the past?	 History of Emergency Services How has the work of people who help us changed over time?	 Chronology: The Ancient Civilisations How old is ancient?
Spring	 Toys How have toys changed over the past 80 years?	 The Titanic Why is the Titanic important and why is it still remembered today?	 Stone Age - Iron Age How did life change for people living in Britain during the Stone Age and Bronze Age?
Summer	 Travel and Transport How much has changed in travel and transport since the first boat and why?	 Kings and Queens and Castles What did kings and queens of the past build castles in Britain for?	 Ancient Egypt Why is ancient Egypt considered to be a significant civilisation?

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	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Autumn	 The Romans What impact did the Roman Empire have upon lives in Britain?	 Ancient Greece What do sources of evidence tell historians about life in ancient Greece?	 Second World War How did the Second World War impact the whole world and why did it involve so many people?
Spring	 Anglo-Saxons and Scots How did the Anglo-Saxons change life in Britain and how significant was the change?	 Crime and Punishment Did the punishment always fit the crime in the past?	 Industrial Revolution How did one new invention transform Victorian Britain?
Summer	 Vikings and Anglo-Saxons How did the Vikings come to settle in Britain and help to form a united country?	 Kingdom of Benin What was life like in the Kingdom of Benin's society?	 Migration What part has migration played in the creation of Great Britain?