

What do we learn about in

History and Geography

lessons at Rockcliffe?

Nursery

Our Termly Themes

Autumn

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Nursery
Rhymes

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On the Move

HISTORY

The BIG question?

What is 'yesterday'?

We'll talk about time through regular discussions of our daily routines, using our visual timetables. We will recall our family news using Seesaw, looking at pictures and videos from past experiences. We will recall key events within familiar stories.



GEOGRAPHY

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Autumn

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On the Move

The BIG question?

Where do I live?

We'll discover more about where we live. We will explore our routes from home to school using photographs taken by the children. We'll observe local landmarks as we walk from Rockcliffe to Cullercoats Beach, when participating in Beach Schools.





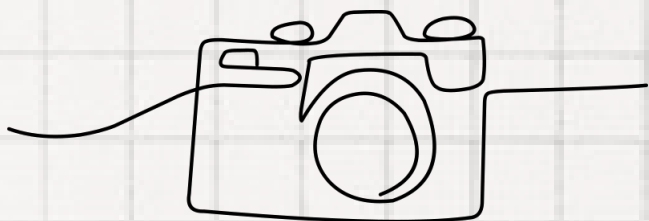
What do we learn about in History



Lessons at Rockcliffe?

RECEPTION

Autumn Term
Marvellous Me

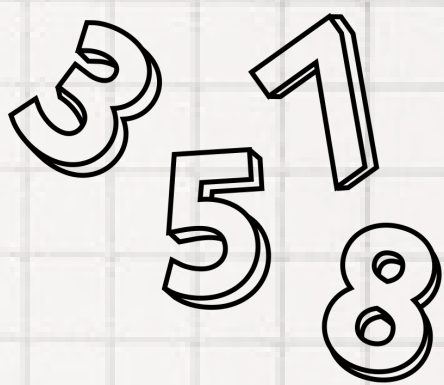


The BIG question?

What is the past?

We'll study the history of ourselves from the past to the present, thinking about how we've grown, developed, and changed over time. We will talk about yesterday using Seesaw, sharing our own experiences.

Spring Term
Rocking Rockcliffe



The BIG question?

How do things change?

We will develop an understanding of change over time in our locality by investigating seasonal changes, plant growth and changes in states of matter.

Summer Term
My Place in this World



The BIG question?

How has Whitley Bay developed over time?

We'll learn about the history of Whitley Bay, comparing photographs from past to present. We'll discuss the change of land use in the area from a fishing village to a busy seaside town.

We are Historians!





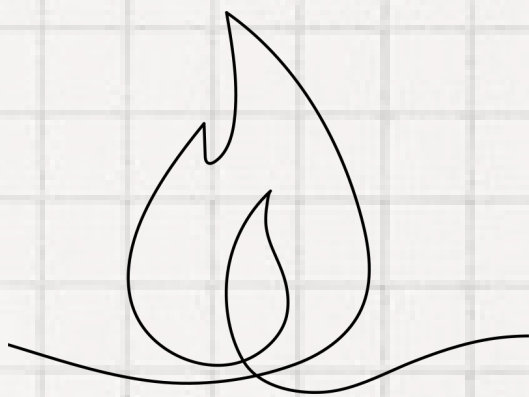
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KEY STAGE 1

Year 1 Year 2

Autumn Term
Fire, Fire!

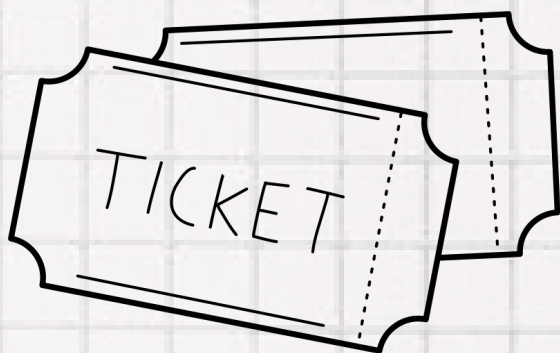


The BIG question?

Why are the fires of Newcastle and London important events in history?

We will investigate the past by examining objects from the Great Fire of London, such as Samuel Pepys' diary. We will also study the Great Fire of Newcastle in 1854.

Spring Term
Great Journeys

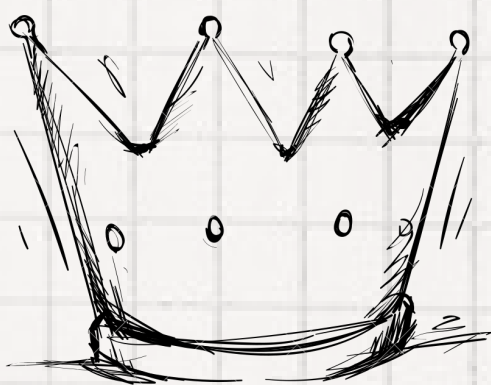


The BIG question?

How have inventions in transport changed the world?

We will investigate the history of transport to see how it has changed over time. We will recall great figures such as George Stephenson and Amelia Earhart.

Summer Term
Marvellous Monarchs



The BIG question?

Who is our greatest monarch?

We will examine changes from Queen Victoria's reign to the present. We will contrast Queen Elizabeth II to Queen Victoria and see how changes during their reigns have influenced how we live now.

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KEY STAGE 2

Year 3

Year 4

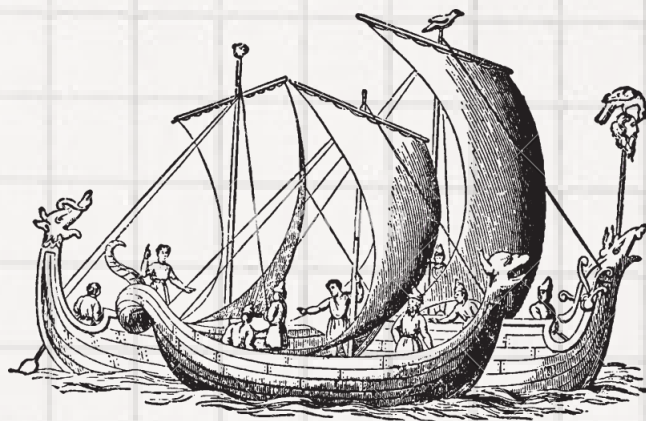
Autumn Term
**Stone Age
to
Iron Age**



Autumn Term
Roman Britain



Spring Term
Anglo Saxons



The BIG question?

**How did life change between the
Stone Age to the Iron Age?**

We will find out how the earliest hunter-gatherers, who came to Britain from Europe, lived and left their mark on our landscape - through art, monuments and settlements. We will develop our chronological knowledge, putting events, people, places and artefacts on a timeline.

The BIG question?

**How did the Romans conquer
Britain?**

We will study the Roman invasion of Britain, its impact – particularly on our local area and the legacy the Roman's left behind. We will find out what it was like to be a Roman Soldier stationed at Segedunum Fort on Hadrian's Wall.

The BIG question?

**How did life change when the Romans
left?**

We will study Britain's settlement by Anglo-Saxons and Scots. We will find out why they chose to invade; what happened across Britain and in particular, the North East of England.

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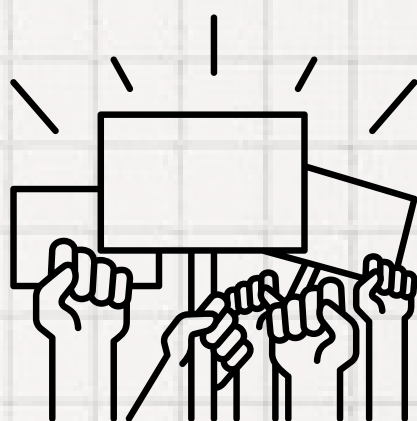
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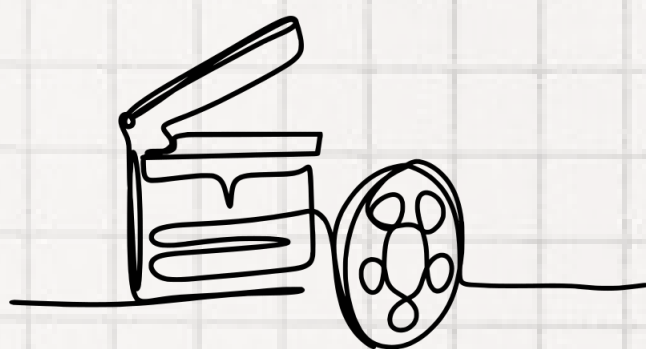
Spring Term

**Take Action!
Climate and
Women Activists**



Summer Term

**The Rockcliffe
Film Festival**



The BIG question?

**Why do we celebrate 'International
Womens' Day'?**

We will celebrate International Women's Day on March 7th, by learning about influential women from our past and present, who have or are driving changes in society. We will discover how their actions helped in reaching the goal of equality.

The BIG question?

**How has film-making changed over
time?**

We will describe how cinema-going has changed for residents of Whitley Bay over the past 100 years. We will learn about the silver screen, from silent films to the 'talkies'. We'll create our own moving pictures and stop-motion animations.

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