Unit Plan

Curriculum Area: History



Key Stage	KS2 Spring Term (Cycle C)	Subject:	History	
and Cycle:		-		
Unit:	Anglo Saxons	Prerequisite	EYFS ELG: Past and Present Talk about the lives of the people around them and their roles in	
		Learning and	society; know some similarities and differences between things in the past and now, drawing on	
	How did Britain change between	Curriculum Links	their experiences and what has been read in class; understand the past through settings,	
	the end of the Roman occupation		characters and events encountered in books read in class and storytelling.	
	and 1066?		KS1 – Significant People	
			Cycle A – Roman Empire, Mayan, Windrush (migration)	
			Cycle B – Ancient Egyptians Crime and Punishment	
			Cycle C – Stone Age to Iron Age	
			Cycle D – WW2 & Ancient Greece	
			Curriculum links: Study of Beowulf (English)	

Progressive Journey		ROLOS (Remembering Our Learning and Our Skills)					
Who were the Anglo-Saxons and why did they invade Br	itain?	Know why the Romans left Britain					
Who were the Vikings and why did they have a reputatio	n of being fierce raiders?	Know who the Anglo-Saxons were and how they divided Britain up					
What was the long-term impact of the Anglo-Saxons and	Vikings on our lives	Know who the Vikings were and how they battled with the Anglo-Saxons					
today?		Know how many of the words we use today originate from the Anglo-Saxons or the					
Who were the famous Anglo-Saxon kings?		Vikings					
How important was the Norman conquest in 1066?		Know how the Vikings and Anglo-Saxons improved Britain					
Chronology & Causation	Historical Enquiry		Interpretation & Significance				
•Have a secure understanding of a British timeline that	•Recognise when they are u	sing primary and secondary	Find and analyse a wide range of evidence about the				
extends from the Stone Age to the present day	sources of information to investigate the past •		past				
•To be able to tell the story of events within and across	•Use a wide range of different evidence to collect		•Use a range of evidence to offer some clear reasons for				
the time periods studied	evidence about the past		different interpretations of events, linking this to				
•Order an increasing number of significant events,	•Able to devise questions about change, cause and		factual understanding about the past				
movements and dates on a timeline using dates	consequences, similarity, difference and significant		•Consider different ways of checking the accuracy of				
Accurately use dates and terms to describe events; people or events in a v		-	interpretations of the past;				
Key Vocabulary							
chronology, era, time period, consequence, reliable, invade, kingdom, raid							
Assessment- Proof of Progress Task							
Label a timeline with events of this era. True or false? The epic poem Beowulf was a story told just for entertainment. Justify your answer.							
Linked Reading Opportunities							

Anglo-Saxon Boy, Beowulf,