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**HISTORY – TOPICS AND SUBSTANTIVE CONCEPTS**

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| **History** | **Autumn** | **Spring** | **Summer** |
| **Year 1/2**  **Year A** | **How did people travel through History?**  **SOCIETY** | **What was it like when the Queen came to the throne in 1953?**  **SOCIETY MONARCHY** | **What does it take to be a great explorer ?**  ( focus on Matthew Henson and Felicity Aston)  **VOYAGE CONQUEST** |
| **Year 1/2**  **Year B** | **What has changed since my grandparents were young?** (60’s/70’s)  **SOCIETY** | **How have people helped to make the world a better place?**  **FREEDOM RIGHTS SOCIETY** | **How did the Victorian period help shape the Warrington we know today ? ( local history)**  **SOCIETY MONARCHY EMPIRE** |
| **Year 3/4**  **Year A** | **Who first lived in Britain ?** ( Stone Age to Iron Age)  **SETTLEMENT CIVILIZATION** | **Would I like to have been an Ancient Egyptian ?** ( Ancient civilization)  **RELIGION SOCIETY CIVILIZATION** | **Why did the Normans build so many castles ?** ( British History beyond 1066)  **CONQUEST POWER MONARCHY CONFLICT** |
| **Year 3/4**  **Year B** | **Why are we still talking about Ancient Greece ?** ( Ancient civilizations)  **CIVILIZATION DEMOCRACY EMPIRE**  **POWER** | **What did the Romans ever do for us ?**  ( Britain- significant themes in local history- local viewpoint: Trip to Chester and links to geography topic of mapping in sp 2)  **CIVILISATION EMPIRE SOCIETY**  **CONQUEST TRIBES POWER CONFLICT** | **Did the punishment fit the crime ?(**1066 to present. British values- prevent lesson)  **SOCIETY POWER RULES AND LAWS** |
| **Year 5/6**  **Year A** | **Who were the Mayans and what have we learnt form them ?** ( Early civilization and non- European society)  **CIVILIZATION RELIGION SOCIETY** | **Were the Anglo- Saxons really smashing ?** ( settlements and Kingdoms)  **SOCIETY RELIGION**  **RULES AND LAWS MONARCHY** | **Were the Vikings always victorious and vicious ?**  **SETTLEMENT SOCIETY**  **CONFLICT** |
| **Year 5/6**  **Year B** | **How and why did WWII start?** (British history beyond 1066-since 1930)  **CONFLICT NATIONALITY**  **POWER EMPIRE RIGHTS** | **Why should the world be ashamed of slavery?** ( history beyond 1066)  **SLAVE TRADE MIGRATION** | **Why was the Islamic civilization known as the ‘Golden Age’ ?** ( Non- European society)  **RELIGION CIVILIZATION** |