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Y1/2 Cycle A 2024/25	Autumn 2	Spring 2	Summer 2
	<p style="text-align: center;">How has technology changed our lives over the last 60 years?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How can we find out about the past? • How has technology changed how we write? • How has technology changed how we talk? • How has technology changed the way we are entertained? • Who are the important inventors in the history of technology? • How has technology changed our lives over the last 60 years? 	<p style="text-align: center;">How did Florence Nightingale and Edith Cavell help to improve hospitals?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How can we find out about the past? • Who was Florence Nightingale, and why was she important? • Who was Edith Cavell, and why was she important? • When did Florence and Edith become significant? • How has the past been represented? • How did Florence and Edith change our hospitals? 	<p style="text-align: center;">Why are our Chadsmead Houses named as they are?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who are our local significant figures? • When did they live? • What are they famous for? • What are their links to Lichfield? • Are any of them linked to each other?
Y1/2 Cycle B 2023/24	Autumn 1	Spring 1	Summer 1
	<p style="text-align: center;">Where have humans explored?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How can we find out about the past? • Why do people explore? • Who are the important explorers from the past? • What are the famous explorations of the past? • Can we compare different explorations? • How have explorations changed over time? 	<p style="text-align: center;">What happened to London during the fire of 1666?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What was London like in 1666? • What happened on 2nd September 1666? • How did the fire spread, and how do we know? • What was left of London? • How was London rebuilt? • How did the fire impact the future? 	<p style="text-align: center;">Where did kings and queens live through time?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How can we find out about the past? • Why did monarchs build castles? • Who were the kings and queens of the past? • Queen Elizabeth II • Who was Queen Victoria, and where did she live? • Who was the first Queen Elizabeth? • Why do we remember King William I? • Where did kings and queens live through time?

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Y3/4 Cycle A 2024/25	Autumn 2		Spring 2	
	<p style="text-align: center;">What were the greatest achievements of the Ancient Greeks?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who were the Ancient Greeks, where do they appear in history and what were their key events? • How did Alexander the Great's empire grow and what were the effects of this? • What was life like for Ancient Greeks and how does this compare to a period of time studied by KS1? • How was life similar or different between Ancient Greeks and Ancient Sparta? • How were the Olympic Games in ancient Greece similar or different to the Modern Olympic? • What do we know about the beliefs of Ancient Greeks? 		<p style="text-align: center;">Who are our local significant figures?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who were Erasmus Darwin/Samuel Johnson/David Garrick/St Chad? • Where do they fit on a timeline in relation to each other? • Where do they fit on a timeline in relation to other time periods previously studied? • What are their connections to Lichfield? • Why are they significant to Lichfield/England/the wider world? How can I present my findings? 	
Y3/4 Cycle B 2023/24	Autumn 1	Spring 1		Summer 1+2
	<p style="text-align: center;">How did daily life change from the Stone Age to the Iron Age?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What was life like in the Paleolithic and Mesolithic? • What changed from the Paleolithic to the Mesolithic? • What did people eat in the Paleolithic and Mesolithic? • How did the search for food change in the Neolithic? • What tools were used in the Neolithic? • Who were the beaker people? • How did tools change after the Neolithic? • How did the Bronze Age move into the Iron Age? 	<p style="text-align: center;">How did the Roman Empire impact Britain?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What do we know about early Rome & how do we know this? • Who was in charge of the Roman Empire? • How powerful was the Roman army? • What events led up to Emperor Claudius invading Britain? • How did the Roman settlements compare to the Celtic villages? • Who was Boudicca and why did she take revenge on the Romans? • How did the Romans protect their land and do we know this? • What happened in the final years of the Roman Empire? 		<p style="text-align: center;">How did England change during the settlement of the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What was life like in England at the end of the 4th century? • How did life change in England after the fall of the Roman Empire? • Why did the Angles, Saxons and Jutes settle in Britain? • How was Anglo-Saxon Britain ruled? • How did the Anglo-Saxons keep control of their kingdoms? • What shifts in religion and power were there and how do we know this? • Who were the Vikings and why did they carry out raids? • Where did the Vikings settle and how do we know?

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Y5/6 Cycle A 2024/25	<p>What were the greatest achievements of Ancient Egypt?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What links the Ancient Egyptians to the other Early Civilisations? • When did the Egyptians exist? • How did the Egyptian Civilization change over time? • What did they achieve? • What was Egyptian society like? • Was religion significant in Ancient Egypt? • How did Ancient Egypt become so powerful? • Why can't historians agree on what Ancient Egypt achieved? 	<p>What similarities and differences are there between the Maya civilisation and England from the 8th to the 10th century?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • When and where did the Maya live? • What made the Maya civilisation so successful? • How do we know about the Maya? • How were the Maya ruled? • How was Anglo-Saxon England ruled? • What do we know about the Maya City States and the Anglo-Saxon Kingdoms? • How do the leaders of the Maya and the Anglo-Saxons compare? • How did the abandonment of the Southern Maya lowlands help the Northern city-states to thrive? • Who was involved in the struggle for power in England from the 8th to the 10th century? 	<p>How did the English Civil War affect Lichfield?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What was the English Civil War? • Who was it between? • When did it happen? • Where does it fit onto a timeline in comparison to other time periods studied? • Why was Lichfield so important during the English Civil War? • What happened during the 1st Siege of Lichfield? • What happened during the 2nd Siege of Lichfield? • What happened during the 3rd Siege of Lichfield? • How did the English Civil War end? • Who were the significant figures during each of the three sieges of Lichfield? • Are there any significant landmarks related to the English Civil War still present in Lichfield today?
	Autumn 1	Spring 1	Summer 1
Y5/6 Cycle B 2023/24	<p>How has crime and punishment changed over time in Britain?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is crime and punishment? • What was crime and punishment like in Roman Britain? • What was crime and punishment like in the Anglo-Saxon period? • What was crime and punishment like in the Tudor period? • What was crime and punishment like in the Stuart period? • What was crime and punishment like in the Victorian period? 	<p>Was the British Empire under the Victorians something 'great'?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who was Queen Victoria and where did the Victorian period fit onto a timeline in comparison to other time periods studied? • What was school like in Victorian England? • What was/is the British Empire? • Which famous inventions came from the Victorians? • What was and what was the impact of the Industrial Revolution? • What was life like for Victorian working children? • How did Lord Shaftesbury improve the lives of Victorian children? 	<p>What role did Britain play in World War Two, and how did this impact the outcome of the war?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What was Nazi Germany like, and why did World War Two begin? • What is modern-day Germany like, and how was it ruled before the start of WW2? • How did Hitler come to power and become the leader of Germany? • How did the Second World War begin? • How was the United Kingdom involved in the War? • How did Britain react to the outbreak of WW2? • How were the lives of civilians changed during WW2? • How did Britain's Home Front cope when under attack? • What was the impact of the Second World War on my region? • How did British forces claim victory at the Battle of Britain? • Why was the Royal Air Force (RAF) so vital to the defence of Britain? • What major victories led to Britain winning the war?