# Whitehouse Primary School History and Geography Overview

Key: **History** **Geography** Key question

| | **Autumn Term**<br>Local Fieldwork Study | **Autumn**<br>History | **Spring**<br>Geography | **Eco Schools**<br>Fieldwork | **Summer**<br>History |
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| | **What keeps us safe in our local area?**<br>*Exploration of road safety* | **All About Me**<br>*Exploring the local area (school and Elm Tree)* | **Long Ago**<br>*Exploring how they have grown and changed and how toys/technology have changed.* | How can the Three Little Pigs choose the best place to build their houses? | **Animal Safari**<br>*Explore habitats and where animals come from around the world.* |
| **KS1 Cycle A** | **Our Local Park**<br>What is at our local park? How do people get there? | **Changes in Toys OR Technology**<br>How have toys changed since my grandparents were little? | **The World and My School**<br>Does our school promote plant growth? | Does this week's weather match the forecast? Is the weather forecast accurate? | **Victorian Seaside**<br>Has Saltburn always been a fishing village?<br>*"King of Smugglers" tie in pirates as a hook?* |
| **KS1 Cycle B** | **Our School Grounds**<br>Where in school can we encourage plant life? | **London's Burning/ Gateshead fires**<br>Was the Great Fire of London a blessing or a curse? | **My Region and Australia**<br>*(Australia & New Zealand)*<br>What are the similarities and differences between the UK and Australia? | **Traffic Safety in our Local Area**<br>Do we need a zebra crossing/traffic calming outside the school? | **Famous Explorers**<br>*Focus on: James Cook and Nicholas Parks*<br>Who was a 'great' explorer? |
| **LKS2 Cycle A** | **Local Land Use**<br>What facilities do we have in Stockton? | **Stone Age to Iron Age**<br>How did daily life change from the Stone Age to the Iron Age?<br>*Link back to Saltburn with Neolithic artefacts being found.* | **Unique UK**<br>What are the key geographical features of the UK, and my region?<br>*Locating settlements on a map.* | **Settlements**<br>Are changes in our local settlement a good thing?<br>Settlements Planning Link | **Ancient Egypt**<br>What were the greatest achievements of Ancient Egypt? |
| **LKS2 Cycle B** | **Geography: Bee Conservation**<br>How can our school environment help bees? | **The Raging Romans**<br>How did the Roman Empire impact Britain? | **Italy**<br>What are the similarities and differences between my region and Campania, Italy? | What is the difference between weather and climate? | **Ancient Greece**<br>Can we thank the Ancient Greeks for anything in our lives today? |

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| **UKS2 Cycle A** | **Rivers**<br>How can I collect data from the River Tees? | **Maya Civilisation**<br>What similarities and differences are there between the Maya civilisation and England from the 8th to the 10th century? | **Raging Rivers**<br>What are the features of my local river?<br>*Link back to previous learning about Saltburn and River Tees, Tees Valley Trust visit.* | Has the weather changed our school grounds? | **Anglo Saxons and Vikings**<br>How did England change during the settlement of the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings? |
| **UKS2 Cycle B** | **Biomes and Eco systems**<br>What trees, plants and animals are in our local ecosystem? | **Crime and Punishment**<br>How has crime and punishment changed over time in Britain? | **Extreme Earth**<br>*(natural disasters, current affairs and issues affecting our planet)* | **Sustainability**<br>How can we reduce plastic waste in school? | **World War 1 & 2**<br>What role did Britain play in World War Two, and how did this impact the outcome of the war? |