St. Benedict's Primary School				
HISTORY KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS BUILDER: Chronology				
Year group	ILP and Context for Learning	Skills and Knowledge		
Reception	ReceptionAutumn 1 Topic OurselvesBig Question What can you tell me about yourself?Context – When I was a baby. Hi 1Spring 1 Topic AnimalsBig Question Are all animals wild?Context –Dinosaurs Hi 2Summer 2 JourneysContext – Sequencing a journey	Skill Put familiar events in chronological order, using pictures and discussion Knowledge Use some sequencing words such as first, next, finally		
Year 1	Autumn 1 ILP Enchanted Woodlands Big Question – What can you find in a woodland? Context - Listening to stories from WW2 Hi 1	SkillDescribe changes within or beyond living memoryKnowledgeKnow how people's lives have shaped this nationChanges within living memory have happened over the last 100 years and includeadvances in technology, exploration, workplaces, houses and jobs, leisure, family andsocial structures.		
	 Autumn 2 ILP Bright Lights Big City Big Question – How is a city different to the countryside? Context - The Great Fire of London Hi 2 Programmes of Study Know and understand the history of these islands as a coherent, chronological narrative, from the earliest times to the present day: how people's lives have shaped this nation and how Britain has influenced and been influenced by the wider world 	Skill Order information on a timeline Knowledge Sequencing words, such as first, next, finally, then and after that, can be used to order information chronologically		
Year 2	Autumn 1 ILP Street Detectives Big Question- Can you name the human and physical features of a city? Context - Comparing and contrasting streets from Victorian times to present day. Hi 2 Programmes of Study	Skill Describe how an aspect of life has changed over time Knowledge Life has changed over time due to changes in technology, inventions, society, use of materials, land use and new ideas about how things should be done.		

	Learn about changes within living memory. Where appropriate, these should be used to reveal aspects of change in national life	
	Autumn 2 ILP Land Ahoy! Big question – How is an explorer different to a pirate? Context - Significant historical people – Captain James Cook and Grace Darling Hi 3 / 4 Programmes of Study Learn about events beyond living memory that are significant nationally or globally Spring 2 ILP Towers, Tunnels and Turrets Big Question– What was life like inside a castle? Context – comparing castles from different times Hi 2 Programmes of Study Learn about events beyond living memory that are significant nationally or globally	Skill Sequence significant information in chronological order. Knowledge A timeline is a display of events, people or objects in chronological order. A timeline can show different periods of time, from a few years to millions of years
Year 3	Autumn 1 ILP Gods and Mortals Context - a study of Greek life and achievements and their influence on the western world (Hi8) Programmes of Study Learn about Ancient Greece – a study of Greek life and achievements and their influence on the western world.	SkillOrder events and dates from ancient Greek history on a timeline.KnowledgeThe achievements and influences of the ancient Greeks on the wider world include the English alphabet and language; democracy, including trial by jury; sport and the Olympic Games; the subjects of mathematics, science, philosophy, art, architecture and theatre
	Summer 1 ILP Scrumdidlyumptious!Big Question - How do you stay healthy?Context - The work of James LindProgrammes of StudyUnderstand historical concepts such as continuity andchange, cause and consequence, similarity, difference andsignificance, and use them to make connections, drawcontrasts, analyse trends, frame historically valid questionsand create their own structured accounts, including writtennarratives and analyses	 Skill Select significant information to place in chronological order. Knowledge A timeline is a display of events, people or objects in chronological order. A timeline can show different periods of time, from a few years to millions of years

Year 4	 Summer 2 ILP Tribal Tales Big Question - How have the people of Britain developed over the last thousand years? Context – Stone Age, Bronze Age, Iron Age (Hi 1) Programmes of Study Know and understand the history of these islands as a coherent, chronological narrative, from the earliest times to the present day: how people's lives have shaped this nation and how Britain has influenced and been influenced by the wider world Year 4 Autumn 1 ILP I am Warrior Big Question Why was the Roman Empire so successful? Context – The impact of the Roman Empire on Britain (Hi 2) Programmes of Study Understand historical concepts such as continuity and change, cause and consequence, similarity, difference and significance, and use them to make connections, draw contrasts, analyse trends, frame historically valid questions and create their own structured accounts, including written narratives and analyses Year 4 Spring 1 ILP Traders and Raiders Big Question Where did the Anglo Saxons settle and why? Context – Vikings and Anglo Saxons (Hi 3, 4) Programmes of Study Understand historical concepts such as continuity and change, cause and consequence, similarity, difference and significance, and use them to make connections, draw context – Vikings and Anglo Saxons settle and why? Context – Vikings and Anglo Saxons (Hi 3, 4) Programmes of Study Understand historical concepts such as continuity and change, cause and consequence, similarity, difference and significance, and use them to make connections, draw contrasts, analyse trends, frame historically valid questions and c	Skill Sequence dates and information from several historical periods on a timeline Knowledge Dates and events can be sequenced on a timeline using AD or BC. AD dates become larger the closer they get to the present day. BC dates become larger the further away they get from the present day. The year AD 1 marks the birth of Christ in the Gregorian calendar Skill Sequence significant dates about events within a historical time period on historical timelines. Knowledge Key changes and events of historical periods can be placed on a timeline, such as the dates of changes in leadership, key battles and invasions, achievements, scientific developments and deaths.
Year 5	Autumn 2 ILP Off with her head Big Question: Why were the Tudors known as The Terrible Tudors? Context – Learn about the Tudors (Hi 6) Programmes of Study Study an aspect or theme in British history that extends pupils' chronological knowledge beyond 1066	Skill Create an in-depth study of an aspect of British history beyond 1066 sequencing a Tudor timeline and explaining where Tudors fit into our history Knowledge Key aspects of British history include the rise, fall and actions of the monarchy; improvements in technology; exploration; disease; the lives of the rich and poor and changes in everyday life.

	Summer 1 ILP Pharaohs Big Question: Why are the Gods so important to the Pharaohs? Context – Learn about Ancient Egypt (Hi 7) Programmes of Study Understand historical concepts such as continuity and change, cause and consequence, similarity, difference and significance, and use them to make connections, draw contrasts, analyse trends, frame historically valid questions and create their own structured accounts, including written narratives and analyses	Skill Sequence and make connections between periods of world history on a timeline Knowledge Different world history civilisations existed before, after and alongside others. For example, the ancient Sumer existed from 4500 BC to 1990 BC and the ancient Egyptians from 3100 BC to 332 BC.
Year 6	Autumn 1 ILP A child's war Big Question: In what ways did World War Two affect children? Context – World War 2 (Hi 8) Programmes of Study Know and understand significant aspects of the history of the wider world: the nature of ancient civilisations; the expansion and dissolution of empires; characteristic features of past non-European societies; achievements and follies of mankind Understand historical concepts such as continuity and change, cause and consequence, similarity, difference and significance, and use them to make connections, draw contrasts, analyse trends, frame historically valid questions and create their own structured accounts, including written narratives and analyses.	 Skill Articulate and present a clear, chronological world history narrative within and across historical periods studied. Compare and contrast leadership, belief, lifestyle or significant events across a range of time periods Knowledge Timelines demonstrate the chronology and links between key civilisations, events and significant inventions in world history. Common aspects of history, such as leadership, belief, lifestyle and significant events, are features of different historical time periods. Many of these threads have features in common, such as the invasion of a country by a leader and an army, but may also have differences, such as the success of an invasion
	Spring 1 ILP Frozen Kingdom Big Question: What are the main similarities and differences between the Arctic and the Antarctic? Context – Timeline of Polar exploration (Hi 8) Programmes of Study Know and understand significant aspects of the history of the wider world: the nature of ancient civilisations; the expansion and dissolution of empires; characteristic features of past non-European societies; achievements and follies of mankind.	 Skill Articulate and present a clear, chronological world history narrative within and across historical periods studied. Knowledge Timelines demonstrate the chronology and links between key civilisations, events and significant inventions in world history.

Spring 2 ILP Darwin's Delights	Skill
Big Question: Can you explain Darwin's theory of evolution	Articulate and present a clear, chronological world history narrative within and across
and natural selection?	historical periods studied.
Context – Who was Charles Darwin? (Hi 8)	Knowledge
Programmes of Study	Timelines demonstrate the chronology and links between key civilisations, events and
Know and understand significant aspects of the history of	significant inventions in world history.
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expansion and dissolution of empires; characteristic	
features of past non-European societies; achievements and	
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