Knowledge organiser Nursery – Year 2 Subject: History				
Aspect	Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2
Changes within living memory	-understanding about themselves and how they have grown or changed e.g. "I cried when I was a baby"	- talking about how themselves, friends and family members have changed over time - understanding what changes, and what doesn't, as someone grows up (from baby, toddler, child, adult, elderly)	- creating a timeline of their own life and comparing their personal history to that of others -knowing the month they are born	- creating a personal family tree and creating a personal timeline with detailed time pointers e.g. their birthdate and key years and months of when events happened writing their birthdate
			- comparing the toys used in the past and those in present - comparing how we live now to past life by looking at how different people lived in a medieval castle and how hospitals have changed over time	- shows an interest in current historical events and how they impact on their own lives
Events beyond living memory that are significant nationally or globally		<ul> <li>read stories and story</li> <li>tell to understand past</li> <li>events</li> <li>Guy Fawkes and why</li> <li>he is remembered</li> </ul>	-discussing the cause of the Gunpowder Plot and detailed chronological of the event and how it links to Warwick	-learning about the Great Fire of London -learning about the first aeroplane flight (Wright Brothers) and the first female flight across the Atlantic (Amelia Earhart)
The lives of significant individuals from the past	- explore stories about people and objects they are familiar or fascinating to them - explore pictures of people important to them	- recount increasingly detailed stories of significant individuals in their own lives - become aware of the relationships between	- compare the lives of Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole and their impact on the Crimean War and their impact on modern medicine/the NHS	- David Attenborough and his impact on the climate change movement - Amelia Earhart and the Wright Brothers and their

	- recount stories of significant individuals in their own lives - taking part in commemorative celebrations (e.g. Bonfire Night and Black History Month) - experiment with other people's views and actions of others during their play	social groups and the prejudice and discrimination between them by discussing the lives of diverse role models in the children's lives	- discuss Rosa Parks and her impact on equality	importance for aerospace development  - discuss Martin Luther King and his impact on equality
Significant historical events, people and places in our locality	- explore pictures of their classroom environment and identifies how their learning environment has changed across the week, term and year - imitate everyday actions and events from their own family and cultural background - explore family, school and community customs and routines	- use photos and their own experiences to identify how the school has changed over time or stayed the same	<ul> <li>use photos to consider how the local area has changed or stayed the same</li> <li>recognise the importance of George Eliot for our community</li> </ul>	- use maps to consider how the local area has changed or stayed the same and state an opinion about whether it has changed for the better and why  - compare The Great Fire of London with The Great Fire of Stratford
Chronological understanding	- discuss what happened today and yesterday, a long time ago	- discuss what happened today, yesterday, last week, last term - discuss what came first, next, after that and last in past events -use and understand the terminology 'now' and 'a long time ago' - use the correct past tense to recall events	- discuss what happened in the past compared to the present - order simple events on a timeline	- able to estimate era and time period by studying pictures/artefacts/facts from different sources -name key dates on events that they have studied - write chronological reports about what happened in the past

		- recall and talk about significant past events in their own experiences in the correct order		- order increasingly detailed events on a timeline - identify where historical event/person they have learnt about 'fits' in history
Historical enquiry	- ask and answer 'what', 'where' and 'who' questions about events immediately happening in their environment or events in the 'near' past.	- ask appropriate questions about their friends or adults and what they were doing; ask and answer 'who', 'what', 'where' and 'how' questions about events in their own lives and people that are close to them.	- ask and answer questions about historical events or people - name and use a variety of sources that they are using to find out about an event or person in history	- ask increasingly detailed questions about historical events or people - differentiate between primary and secondary sources when finding out about an event or person in history
Similarity and Difference	- able to identify themselves in relation to social groups/their peers - begin to identify similarities and differences between themselves and their significant others	- know some similarities and differences between things in the past and now - talk about similarities and differences between themselves, others and between communities and cultures - talks about how features of their own immediate environments vary - notice similarities and differences in photographs from the past and present	- begin to compare how we live now to the lives of people in a medieval castle - make simple compare the lives of two people at a similar time in the past (Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole) - make comparisons between objects (toys) from the past and now	- make detailed comparisons between people who lived at a similar time in the past (the Wright Brothers and Amelia Earhart) - make detailed comparisons about places as a consequence of a historical event (the Great Fire of London) - compare current historical events with historical events that they have learnt about

		-compare the lives of their parents/carers to their own lives		
Cause and consequence	- reocgnise that their actions have consequences (and these are sometimes not the consequence they'd like)	- understand the impact that actions of their significant others or events in their own lives have on what they do now - can talk about the impact of peers and significant other's behaviour and its consequences - give extended explanations about why something has happened	- recognise what led to the Gunpowder Plot -comment on the impact of past events, or on how the actions of people in the past, have affected society now	- discuss why people did things in the past - discuss the impact of events on society and explain whether they are good or bad