Key Enquiry Questions

| Year group | Autumn | Spring | Summer |
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| Reception | My Family Compare and contrast stories from the past | Significant individuals - Mary Seacole and Florence Nightingale | Past and present events in own lives |
| | How has my family changed? | What impact did Mary Seacole and Florence Nightingale have on nursing? | How has my life changed? |
| | Changes within living memory - toys | Local history - Norman castle and Norton Priory | Explorers - Christopher Columbus and Neil Armstrong |
| Year 1 | Grandparents with toys | Trip: Norton Priory and Halton Castle | |
| | How have toys changed since my grandparents were little? | What impact has Halton Castle and Norton Priory had on Runcorn? | Why are these explorers famous? |
| | Significant individuals - Rosa Parks and Emily Davison | Local History- The Bridges and expansion of Runcorn. | Great fire of London |
| Year 2 | Visitors linked to Black History Month | Chronology | |
| | What impact did Rosa Parks and Emily Davison have on social changes? | Why did Runcorn need so many bridges? | Why is the Great Fire of London an important event? |
| | Stone Age to Iron Age | Ancient Greeks | The Victorians The first Railways |
| Year 3 | Trip: Beeston Castle- stone age fort | | Runcorn in the Victorian era |
| . 541 5 | How did Britain change from the Stone Age to the Iron Age? | What is the Ancient Greeks legacy? | What were the most important changes to take place during the Victorian era? |

| | Year 4 | Romans in Britain- local links Chester Trip: Chester | Vikings/Anglo-Saxons and Scots | Crime and Punishment beyond 1066 |
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| | | What impact did the Romans have on Britain? | How did Britain change between 410AD and 1066AD? | How did crimes and punishments change from the Romans to present? |
| | Year 5 | Changing Power of Monarchs Chronology | WW1 and II Why should we remember the soldiers and civilians today? | Benin/ Mayans/ Baghdad |
| | | Which Monarch had the most influence on Britain? | Local link: Todger Jones (WWI) Trip: Liverpool (linked to the Battle of Britain) Why was the Battle of Britain such a turning point in WW1? | Why was the Mayan empire successful? |
| | Year 6 | Industry and transport - local focus What was there before the railway? Water routes Industrial Revolution in Runcorn- how the railway impacted the local area | Local study beyond 1066. | Ancient Egypt/ The Shang Dynasty |
| | | How did the Industrial revolution impact the local area? | Did children in Runcorn need to be evacuated? | How do we know what Ancient Egypt was like? |