

Helping our pupils in their Key Stage 2 History and Geography work

By the time pupils start Year 3 they should have the **History and Geography Knowledge** outlined below already secure. It then acts as a foundation when accessing their Key Stage 2 work. In school we continue to refer to this knowledge, reminding pupils of it and of course supporting those who find it more difficult to remember. We welcome and value efforts you make at home to reinforce this too. Much of this can simply be done through talk or quizzes at home for example, perhaps including older siblings too! As ever, if you need any support in helping your child in their learning out of school then please do ask your child's class teacher.

History Knowledge	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know that the toys their grandparents played with were different to their own 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know about an event or events that happened long ago, even before their grandparents were born
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Organise a number of artefacts by age 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know what we use today instead of a number of older given artefacts
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know what a number of older objects were used for 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know about a famous person from outside the UK and explain why they are famous
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know the main differences between their school days and that of their grandparents 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know that children's lives today are different to those of children a long time ago
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Name a famous person from the past and explain why they are famous 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know how the local area is different to the way it used to be a long time ago
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know the name of a famous person, or a famous place, close to where they live 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Differentiate between things that were here 100 years ago and things that were not (including buildings, tools, toys, etc.)

Geography Knowledge	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know the names of the four countries that make up the UK and name the three main seas that surround the UK 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know the names of and locate the seven continents of the world
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know where the equator, North Pole and South Pole are on a globe 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know the names of and locate the five oceans of the world
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know which is N, E, S and W on a compass 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know the name of and locate the four capital cities of England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know features of hot and cold places in the world 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify the following physical features: mountain; lake; island; valley; river; cliff; forest and beach
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know which is the hottest and coldest season in the UK 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know the main differences between a place in England and that of a small place in a non-European country
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know and recognise main weather symbols 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know and use the terminologies: left and right; below and next to
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know the main differences between city, town and village 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explain some of the advantages and disadvantages of living in a city or village.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Know their address, including postcode 	