

Cudham CE Primary School: Scheme of Work for: History & Geography

		AUTUMN		SPRING		SUMMER	
Class	Year	1	2	1	2	1	2
Reception and Year 1	Reception and Year 1	History and Geography are covered in the 'People and Places' and 'The World' aspects of Understanding the World in the Early Years Curriculum					
		Where do, and did, the wheels on the bus go?	Where do the leaves go in winter?	Would the Beatles have won X Factor? OR Who was famous when your mum and dad were little?	Why can't a meerkat live in the North Pole?	Why is the Wii more fun than Grandma and Grandad's old toys? OR What has changed since your grandparents were young?	
Years 2 and 3	A (Year 2)	What would Dora the Explorer find exciting about Biggin Hill?	Where would you prefer to live: England or Africa?	Why were Christopher Columbus and Neil Armstrong very brave people?	How have Rosa Parks and Nelson Mandela helped to make the world a better place?	What were the people like who lived in Biggin Hill 100 years ago? OR What was it like when the Queen came to the throne in 1953?	Why do we love to be beside the seaside?
	B (Year 3)	Who first lived in Britain?	How did the Victorian period help to shape the *Biggin Hill we know today?	Do you think Sir Titus Salt was a hero or a villain?	What makes the Earth angry?	Why has Greece always been in the news?	Why do so many people choose to go the Mediterranean for their holidays?
Years 4 and 5	A (Year 5)	How can we rediscover the wonder of Ancient Egypt?	Why should gunpowder, treason and plot never be forgotten? OR How could Hitler have convinced a nation like Germany to follow him?	Why is Brazil in the news again? OR What's so special about the USA?	Were the Anglo-Saxons really smashing?	Why should the rainforests be important to us all?	
	B (Year 4)	Where would you choose to build a city? OR Why is the Thames so important to London?	Why is London such a cool place to live?	Who were the early lawmakers? OR What would you have done after school 100 years ago?	Why were the Norman castles certainly not bouncy?	Why were the Romans so powerful and what did we learn from them?	
Year 6	Years A and B	I'm a Year 6 pupil, can you get me out of here?		Were the Vikings always victorious and vicious?	Will you ever see the water you drink again?	Why was the Islamic civilization around AD900 known as the 'Golden Age'? OR Who were the Mayans and what have we learnt from them?	