

Thomas Gray History and Geography Long Term Plan

At Thomas Gray we teach History and Geography through a thematic approach. Throughout these themes the disciplinary concepts of each subject and the substantive concepts (what threads our themes together) are taught.

History Geography

Disciplinary Concepts

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Chronology Locational and Spatial Understanding

Continuity and change The Characteristics of a Place

Cause and Consequence The interconnection of human and physical characteristics

Historical Significance Map Skills

Historical Enquiry and using Historical Sources

Using evidence gathered from Fieldwork

Communicating Historical Knowledge and Understanding Communicating Geographical Knowledge and Understanding

Substantive Concepts

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Tools and Technology Trade

Trade Settlement and Land use

Disease and Medicine Weather and Climate

Who's in Charge? Environment

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	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
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Y1	What are the features of our locality? G	What do we remember in November? H	How have ships and sea journeys changed over time? H	What are the Seasonal and daily Weather Patterns of the UK? G	What's it like in the hottest and coldest places of the world? G	How have toys changed over time? H
Y2	Why do we remember the first polar and space explorers? H	What are the features of the capital cities of the UK? G	How have the ways telephones have changed over time changed people's lives? H	How is Liverpool similar and different to Shanghai?	Why do we remember Florence Nightingale?	What's it like to live by the Sefton coast? G
Y3	What was it like to live in Liverpool when it was growing so quickly? H	What are the features of the Merseyside region? G	How did the discovery of metal change life in early Britain? H	What happens when a volcano erupts or an earthquake strikes? G	What's it like to live in the shadow of a volcano? G	What were the achievements of the Ancient Egyptian civilisation? H
Y4	How did the Roman occupation change Britain? H		How is the region of Merseyside similar and different to the county of Cheshire? G	What was it like to live through the Great Plague and how has science changed what we know about disease? H	What are people doing to make some European cities "Greener"? G	What are the key features of the journey of a river from source to sea? G
Y5	How did the invasion and settlement of the Anglo Saxons and Vikings change Britain?	How is the North West coast similar and different from the North East coast?	Where does the fruit we buy come from and how does it get here? G	How was Baghdad in 900AD different to London? H	Why is the Amazon rainforest under threat? G	What do we owe to the achievements of the Ancient Greek civilisation?
Y6	How have people got better over time at treating infectious diseases? H	How does the climate change throughout North America? G	How have the Liverpool docks changed over time? H	What was it like to live through the Bootle Blitz in 1941? H		How has the regeneration of the dock area changed over time? G