

Humanities Overview Medway Hub

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	Geography	History	Geography	History	Geography	History
1	Global theme: Peace and Conflict Focus: Compromise and making friends Core texts: The Lonely Beast The Fort Project outcome: Peer mediator and playground friends History Context: Significant individual study		Global themes: Social Justice and Equity Focus: Seniors - Care in the community Core texts: Up Grandad's Secret Giant Project outcome: Senior home volunteering scrapbook History context: Changes within living memory		Global theme: Sustainable Development Focus: Pollution and the impact on animals Core texts: Dougal's Deep Sea Diary The Messes we Made Project outcome: Community clear up #Trashtag	
	Local area study - human and physical features of our local environment; countries of the UK	Roles of the monarchy – past and present; the government, rules and laws		Changes in Living Memory (Toys / leisure activities through time)	Local environment exploration Empathy towards a geographical issue	
2	Global theme: Identity and Diversity Focus: Cultural Diversity Around the World and Inclusivity (music, dance, food, art) Core texts: Islandborn Suki's Kimono Project outcome: Teaching new skills to Year R		Global themes: Human Rights Peace and Conflict Focus: Basic human rights and uneven distribution of power Core texts: Angus Rides the Goods Train The Journey Project outcome: Volunteering within our school and community (linked to Barnardo's Charities) History context Human rights and untold stories of charity workers		Global themes: Power and Governance Focus: International Collaboration through sport Core texts: Fauja Singh Keeps Going Walter Tull's Scrapbook Project outcome: Whole school sports events History context: Local study of events beyond living memory, focused on individuals in Sport	
	Contrasting/comparing the UK to a non-European community, focus on flags, capital cities, surrounding seas, cultural customs and traditions (Create own maps of an island)			Significant Person – Dr Barnardo and the beginning of free education	Comparison of countries and continents of the world (Linked to Olympics and Commonwealth Games)	Local study on events beyond living memory, significant individuals in the Olympics and Commonwealth Games



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3	Global themes: Sustainable development		Global themes: Human Rights		Global theme: Power and Governance	
	Focus: Environmentally responsible living Core texts: Tin Forest Garbage Guts Project outcome: Fashion Show History context Origins of sustainable farming: use of tools and skills		Focus: Equality and Freedom Core texts: Freedom in Congo Square The Patchwork Path Project outcome: Scrapbook which showcases equality poetry and sayings History context Pre-20th Century focus on the Underground Railroad		Focus: How rules guide and impact the way we live Core texts: Accidental Prime Minister Sofia Valdez, Future Prez Project outcome: Mini-parliament History context Female empowerment through time	
	Rivers and their uses within agriculture- link to history and look at uses of the river then and now.	Changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age Sustainable farming- hunter / gatherers and use of tools	Comparing UK and another European country – ccities and counties (See progression document)	Pre-20 th Century History focusing on the Underground Railroad - human rights violations – no more than 3 weeks at the start of the learning journey		The achievements of the earliest civilizations (Ancient Egypt) Story of the Egyptian Queens and how they were treated in their society.
4	Global Themes: Human Rights Social Justice Focus: Freedom Core texts: Azzi in Between Rose Blanche Project outcome: Shoebox Appeal, focused on support for local refugee families History context WWII local study - evacuees comparison with modern refugees		Global theme: Social Justice and Equality		Global theme: Ide	ntity and Diversity
			Focus: Explorers Core texts: Race to the Frozen North Girl of Ink and Stars Project outcome: Whole-School Survival Day History context Significant individuals and explorers from the UK and around the world		Focus: Visible and Invisible Disabilities Core texts: Wonder Fish in a Tree Project outcome: Mental Health Assemblies/ Workshops History context: Treatment of disabilities in the Roman Empire	
	Different countries around world (involved in war) looking at different climate zones) Human and physical geography comparison	A local history study (World War II) Refugees and evacuees. Linked to specific stories from the WIndrush Generation, e.g Eubert Crosby and Cyril Tomlin	Global geography and exploration; impact of explorers on native people and lands (climates and regions - See progression document)			Roman Empire and its impact on Britain Roman law over time, twelve tables



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5	Global theme: Sustainable Development Focus: Environmental leadership and Natural Disasters Core texts: Running Wild Zain and the Hurricane Project outcome: Public Service Announcement on effect of climate change on natural disasters (e.g. flooding) and how sustainable energy can reduce the impact		Global themes: Identity and diversity Focus: Challenging Stereotypes Core texts: The Breadwinner Boy in the Tower Project outcome: Developing a business: selling merchandise that challenges stereotypes History context: Untold story of female Greek philosopher Aspasia		Global themes: Human Rights Focus: Quality of Life Core texts: Too Much Trouble Romeo and Juliet Project outcome: Mock Criminal Trial History context: Untold stories of children's perspective of punishments for crime and punishment	
	Environmental and geographical change: physical and human geography – 2 contrasting countries, longitude an equator, hemispheres, water cycle, natural disasters, grid references		Afghanistan and agriculture: how does it compare with England?	Ancient Greece and gender stereotyping/social class system Untold story of female Greek philosopher Aspasia		Crime in the Victorian period. The untold stories from children's perspectives of crime and punishment - the story of 8 year old Thomas Miller
6	Global theme: Sustainable Development Focus: Stewardship Core texts: Gorilla Dawn Climate Rebels Project outcome: Walk-Through Museum' Engaging the local community by recycling electronic goods in order to improve illegal mining territories		Global themes: Peace and Conflict, Power and		Global themes: Peace and Conflict	
			Governance Focus: Civil Rights Movement: conflict at all levels Core texts: Stella by Starlight Windrush Child Project outcome: Speeches that challenge perspectives History context: Wider causes and effects of conflict at all levels		Social Justice and Equity Focus: Accepting differences Core texts: Pig Heart Boy George Project outcome: Mullti-faceted marketing campaign and production History context: Peace and conflict and the ongoing battles of power	
	Changing landscape of Congo National Parks: impact on people and place (see progression document for coverage)		USA, London/UK: segregation and community	Human rights: systemic racism and modern black history; Benin Vs British History		Britain's settlement by Anglo- Saxons and the Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England to the time of Edward the Confessor