

Roseberry Primary School Curriculum Overview 2018 – 2020

2018 - 2019

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Y1 Y2	<p>Who was Grace Darling? Launch lesson: Visit: Visitor: RNLI Text: 'The Lighthouse' Literacy Shed Writing opportunities:</p>	<p>Is the weather the same around the world? Arctic study. Launch lesson: Visit: Text: Writing opportunities:</p>	<p>Local history: George Stephenson and the Rocket Launch lesson: Visit: Visitor: Text: Writing opportunities</p>		<p>Which toys did our great-grandparents play with? Launch lesson: Visit: Visitor: Text: Writing opportunities:</p>	<p>What's So Cool About the Toon? Local area study. Launch lesson: Visit: Text: Writing opportunities:</p>
Y3 Y4	<p>How did Britain change from the Stone Age to the Iron Age? Launch lesson: Excavating stone age artefacts. Visit: Great North Museum workshop Text: Stone Age Boy / Ug: boy genius of the stone age, Writing opportunities:</p>	<p>Would you like to live in a jungle or a city? Brazil study. Launch lesson: Samba / Visit: Text: The great Kapok Tree? / The vanishing rainforest Writing opportunities:</p>	<p>What impact did the Roman Empire have on Britain? Links to local area – Congangis – Chester-le-Street. Launch lesson: Visit: Vindolanda / Segedunum Text: Romans on the rampage. Writing opportunities:</p>		<p>Were the Vikings Really Vicious? Launch lesson: Visitor: Tanya Bentham Text: Vicious Vikings (Horrible Histories) Writing opportunities:</p>	<p>Exploring the UK Launch lesson: Visit: Sand Castle Challenge. Text: Charlotte's Web (year 4) The sheep Pig (year 3) Writing opportunities:</p>
Y5 Y6	<p>Local history: Pelton Fell 1866 Launch lesson: Visit: Woodhorn Museum Visitor: That History Bloke Text Writing opportunities:</p>	<p>Why do some areas flood? Rivers study. Launch lesson: Visit: Text: Floodland Writing opportunities:</p>	<p>What did the Ancient Greeks do for us? Launch lesson: Visit: Visitor: Text: Writing opportunities:</p>		<p>Crime and Punishment through the Ages Launch lesson: Visit: Visitor: Text: Holes by Louis Sachar Writing opportunities:</p>	<p>What happens where the land meets the sea? Coast study. Launch lesson: Visit: South Shields and Marsden Text: Writing opportunities:</p>

Focus weeks	Remembrance week linked to anniversary of Pelton Fell mining disaster	Performance Poetry week	Black History week – look at either a famous person or a current or historic event	World of Work week with a Science or Computing focus	Live Well, Live Long week including Sports Day
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Y1 Y2	What is Newfield like? Local area study. Launch lesson: Visit: Visitor: Text: Writing opportunities		Who was Neil Armstrong? Who is Tim Peake?		How do we know about the Great Fire of Gateshead?	Contrasting non-European country Bangladesh Launch lesson: Visit: Visitor: Text: Writing opportunities
Y3 Y4	How did the Anglo-Saxons live? (houses, farming, food) Launch lesson: Visit: Jarrow Hall Text: Writing opportunities:	Mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes Launch lesson: Visit: Visitor: Text: Earthquake Terror – Peg Kehret Writing opportunities	What did the Ancient Egyptians believe? Launch lesson: Visit: Text: Writing opportunities:		How is the land used around Chester le Street? Local area settlement study. Launch lesson: Visit: To Chester le Street Text: Writing opportunities	
Y5 Y6	Who was the greatest Victorian inventor? Launch lesson: Visit: Discovery Museum Big 5 workshop Text: Writing opportunities:	Where does our stuff come from? Global Trade study Launch lesson: Visit: Visitor: Text: Writing opportunities	Non-European unit –to be decided		Why was winning the Battle of Britain in 1940 so important? Launch lesson: Visit: Victoria Tunnels Visitor: That History Bloke Text: Writing opportunities:	

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