Year 2	Key Skills	Content/Unit or Topic	Curriculum Links	Key Facts	Key Vocabulary
Chronological	Sequence	Significant People in History	Geography - Christopher	Christopher Columbus was	Famous
Understanding	artefacts	<u>Key events</u>	Columbus work linked to	a famous explorer. He	Discrimination -
	closer	The impact that significant people have	geography units on oceans	sailed from Europe to	Racism
	together in	made on the world today:	and continents.	America in 1492 along	Courageous.
	time - check	Significant Explorers:	Music- Sea songs	with his sailors across	Continent, north and
	with	Christopher Columbus - trade links	Art – design a stamp to	the Atlantic Ocean, not	south America,
	reference	between Europe and America. The slave	represent a famous	knowing where they would	Europe,
	book	trade.	explorer.	land. This was a voyage	Radar,
		Neil Armstrong - the space race. The	PHSE - health	into the unknown.	ruthless,
	Sequence	impact of satellites on modern day life -	Science - nutrition, the		voyage
	photographs	use of technology e.g. sat nav.	importance of a balanced	Neil Armstrong was the	Space, Moon, Apollo
	etc.	Compare and contrast between the two	diet (scurvy)	first person to walk on	11, NASA, the Eagle,
	from	explorers.	Drama - hot seating,	the moon. He was an	astronaut, Neil
	different	Help the children to understand how long	conscience alley	American aerospace	Armstrong, Buzz
	periods of	ago Neil Armstrong walked on the Moon	ICT - telescopes	engineer, naval aviator,	Aldrin,
	their life	by looking at timeline and comparing with	Visitor- Heaton park	test pilot and university	Michael Collins,
		Christopher Columbus	astronomy group visitor	professor.	Katherine Johnson,
	Describe		Jodrell bank trip		Gene Kranz,
	memories of	Significant People:	Chasely observatory		historic, important,
	key events	Florence Nightingale		Florence Nightingale was	significant,
	in lives	Mary Seacole		known as 'the lady with	famous, explorer.
				the lamp'. She helped to	
				ensure that hospitals	
		The Great Fire of London (TGFOL)		were clean places and	TGFOL:
		Order events from TGFOL in		helped to reduce	Samuel Pepys
		chronological order		infections in hospitals	Fire
					London
				Mary Seacole went to	City
				help British soldiers in	Bakery
				the Crimean War. The	Thomas Farriner
				soldiers called her	1666

			'Mother Seacole' as she comforted them, nursed them back to health and was always there if they needed clothes, blankets and kindness.	Pudding lane
Range and depth of historical knowledge	Recognise why people did things, why events happened and what happened as a result Identify differences between ways of life at different time	Ask and answer questions about Who are important or significant people and why are they important? Who are important people in our own lives? What makes these people important to you? Why are explorers important? How would you feel about life on board a ship in 1492/rocket ship in 1969? TGFOL Where / what is London? What caused the fire? Why did it spread so quickly? How did they put the fire out? What happened as a result? (Start of the fire service)		
Interpretations of history	Compare 2 versions of a past event Compare pictures or photographs	Compare and contrast Objects - Do they belong to Christopher Columbus or Neil Armstrong? Means of transport. Painting of Christopher Columbus to a photograph of Neil Armstrong.		

	of people or events in the past Discuss reliability of photos/ accounts/stor ies	Compare fire service then / now.		
Historical enquiry	Use a source - observe or handle sources to answer questions about the past on the basis of simple observations	Is Christopher Columbus someone who we should celebrate? What do we think of his actions today? Who was the bravest explorer? Why? Reflect on what Neil Armstrong meant by the famous words he spoke as he stepped onto the Moon - listen to live recording. TGFOL Share Samuel Pepys' diary about the Great Fire of London and how it played an important part in helping to stop it.		
Organisation and communication	Communicate their knowledge through: Discussion Drawing pictures Drama/role play	Match statements to explore Neil Armstrong's achievements Drama: use the story retell cards to act out how Christopher Columbus discovered America. What three questions would you ask Christopher Columbus?		

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Making models	Use pictures to compare hospitals then and now		
Writing			
Using ICT	Identify changes to the fire service		
	Make 3D model houses and use these to		
	recreate what happened during TGFOL -		
	use Forest School area /equipment to		
	safely show this.		