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## Immersive Texts 2026-27

| <u>Historical Strands</u> |          |            |            |            |
|---------------------------|----------|------------|------------|------------|
| Agriculture               | Church   | King/Queen | Democracy  | Empire     |
| Invasion                  | Conflict | Trade      | Law        | Migration  |
| Monastery                 | Nation   | Religion   | Punishment | Parliament |
| Sacrifice                 | Treaty   | Settlement | Kingdom    | Tax        |

|      | Changes Within Living Memory                                                                                                                                                                       | Events Beyond Living Memory | The Lives of Significant Individuals                                                        | Significant Historical Events, People and Places in their Lives                                         |
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| EYFS | <p>The history of toys by Helen Cox Cannons</p> <p>Major Glad and Major Dizzy by Jan Oke</p> <p>I used to be the baby by Robin Ballard</p> <p>When I grow up, I want to play by Rosamund Lloyd</p> |                             |                                                                                             |                                                                                                         |
| Y1   | <p><u>Our School</u></p> <p>Local information booklet about our school</p>                                                                                                                         |                             | <p><u>Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole</u></p> <p>Florence Nightingale by DK books</p> | <p><u>The Gunpowder Plot</u></p> <p>The Gunpowder Plot by Sarah Ridley</p> <p>Guy Fawkes by Pelican</p> |



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|     | Events Beyond Living Memory                                                                                   | Chronology                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Beyond 1066                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Local Study                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
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| KS2 | <u>Flight</u><br><br>Taking Flight: How the Wright<br><br>Brothers Conquered the Skies<br><br>by Adam Hanchen | <u>Britain changed from stone age to iron age (750BC)</u><br>Difference between stone, bronze and iron age.<br>King/Queen<br>Trade<br>Settlement<br>Religion<br><br>Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Ages by Sonya Newland | <u>Changes in power of the monarchy</u><br>- John, Anne and Victoria<br><br>King/Queen                                                                                                                                                           | <u>Local Mining villages</u><br><br>Settlement                                                                                                                                                                               |
|     |                                                                                                               | <u>Anglo-Saxons and Scotts (AD 410)</u><br><br>King/Queen<br>Religion<br>Settlement<br><br>Horrible Histories - The Smashing Saxons by Terry Deary                                                                       | <u>World War II</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Theme in British History</li> <li>Anne Frank</li> </ul> King/Queen<br>Religion<br>Settlement<br><br>Letters from the Lighthouse by Emma Carroll<br><br>Anne Frank by Susanna Davidson | <u>Industrial Revolution</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Potteries</li> </ul> Trade<br>King/Queen<br>Settlement<br><br>Street Child by Berlie Doherty<br><br>I was there: Industrial Revolution by John Clare |



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| KS2 |  |                                                                                                                                                                                              | <p>Winston Churchill and the second world war by Stewart Ross</p> <p>Propaganda by Fiona Reynoldson</p> <p>The Blitz by Fiona Reynoldson</p>                                                                                                                 | <p>The Victorians by John Malam</p> <p>Vile Victorians by Terry Deary</p> <p>The Victorians by Rachel Wright</p> |
|     |  | <p><u>The Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggles for the Kingdom of England</u></p> <p>Settlement<br/>Religion<br/>Trade</p> <p>Viking Boy by Tony Bradman</p> <p>Viking Voyagers by Jack Tite</p> | <p><u>The Tudors</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Theme in British History</li> </ul> <p>Settlement<br/>King/Queen<br/>Religion</p> <p>Eyewitness: Tudors by DK Publishing</p> <p>The Tudors: Kings, Queens and Scribes by Marcia Williams</p> |                                                                                                                  |
|     |  | <p><u>The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain</u></p> <p>King/Queen<br/>Trade</p>                                                                                                         | <p><u>Crime and Punishment</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Theme in British History</li> </ul> <p>King/Queen<br/>Religion</p>                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                  |



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|     |                                                                                                                                                                                         | Earliest Civilizations                                      | Non-European Society                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Ancient Greece                                                                                                                                                                                                |
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| KS2 | Black History Month<br><br>Nelson Mandela by Little People, Big Dreams (Y6)<br><br>Rosa Parks by Little People, Big Dreams (Y3-5)<br><br>Mary Seacole by Little People, Big Dreams (Y2) | <u>Ancient Egypt</u><br><br>Settlement<br>Religion<br>Trade | <u>Maya</u><br><br>Religion<br><br>Ancient Maya (the ancient world) by Barbra Somevill<br><br>The chocolate tree (a Mayan folk tale) by Linda Lowery<br><br>The Ancient Maya (a true look: ancient civilizations) by Jackie Maloy | <u>Characteristics of Athenians and Spartans</u><br><br>Settlement<br>Religion<br>Trade<br><br>The Greeks by Franklin Watts<br><br>Trade and Warfare by Franklin Watts<br><br>A Greek Theatre by Peter Chrisp |