History EYFS Curriculum Understanding the World - Past and Present			
Nursery	Be familiar with terms like new and old Recognise that there are children who are older than them and others that are younger including siblings Have an awareness that they can do more for themselves than when they were babies Look at photographs of parents and grandparents when they were young Have an understanding of terms like yesterday, last week, last year Appreciate that artefacts are old and have been used before Know how old they are		
Reception	Autumn Term Remember and talk about significant events in their own experience e.g. birthday Know and understand that grandparents are older than parents Become familiar with words and phrases such as 'in the past' or 'a long time ago' Begin to understand the some familiar stories were set in a time before they were born Know how old they	Spring Term Recognise and describe special times or events e.g. birthday, Christmas, christening Begin to compare and contrast characters in stories set in the past Understand that people celebrated events like Christmas before they were born Use appropriate language to describe the past such as 'in the past' Know when their birthday is	Summer TermTalk about the lives of people around them and their roles in society • Know some similarities and differences between things in the past and now, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class Understand the past through settings, characters and events encountered in books read in class and storytelling
Vocabulary	Heroes , similar, different, old, new, past, present, now, then		
Cultural Capital	Visit to Brewhouse Yard Museum. Ask grandparents / great grandparents about things in the past such as toys and teddies.		