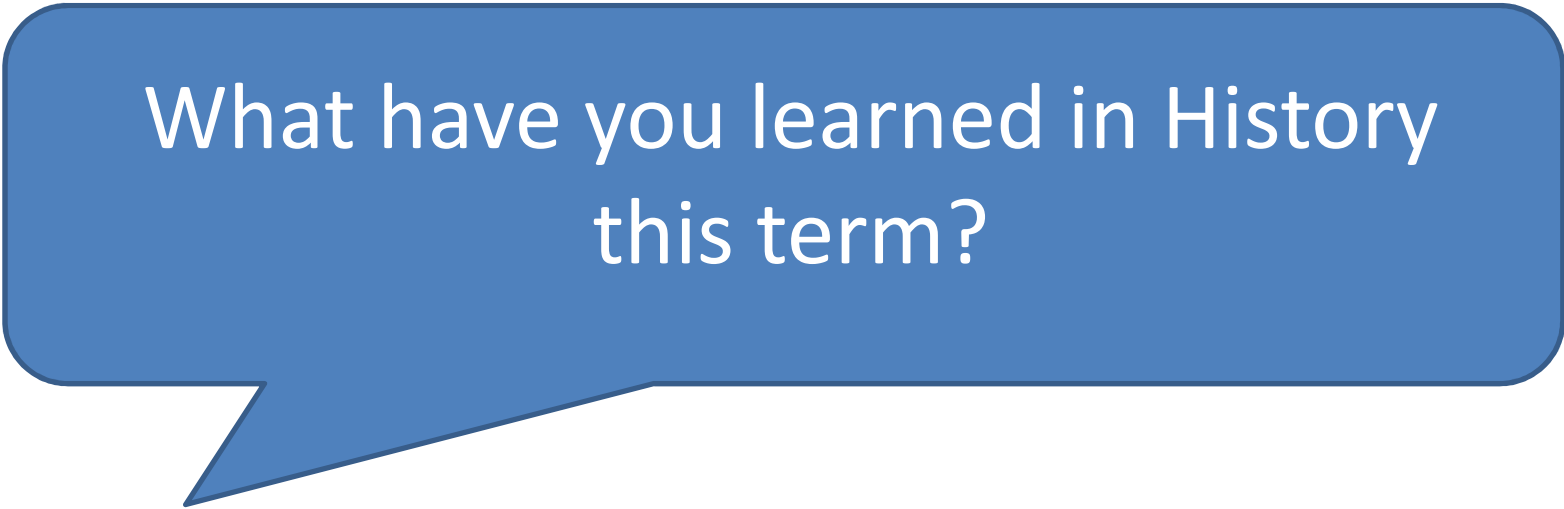


What do pupils think about History at Millfields?



Learning in History in KS1 & KS2 Autumn 2015



What have you learned in History
this term?

Year 2 – Space Race

We've been learning about the Space Race. It's about Russia and America, they were racing to be the first one to the moon.

Biba

America won. The first person on the moon was Neil Armstrong. We learnt about Valentina Tereshkova, the first woman in space.

Year 4 – Ancient Egypt

Egypt wouldn't have been there if the River Nile hadn't been there. Everyone would have been dead because they used it for farming and growing crops.

Aasim

They were around 2300BC. We learnt about what the Ancient Egyptians achieved: writing, mathematics, lighthouses.

Mari

Year 5 – Saxons and Vikings

We've been learning about the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings. The Anglo-Saxons had a king called King Raedwald and he had a mask made of real silver and the real one is at the British Museum and we went to see it. Everybody had to make up their own questions and answer them using mini-iPads and books.

Aamina

The Vikings came from Scandinavia. I don't think they were all too violent because I think they probably just came to England to get food. They didn't want to take over the world they just wanted more resources.

Peter

Year 6 - Mayans

We learnt about the Maya. We learnt their timeline and their discoveries and their culture. We worked out how they developed over the years. They found cocoa beans which is why we went to Cadbury world! We also wrote questions about them. They suddenly disappeared and no-one really knows why.

Oscar

We've learnt about the Mayan civilisation. We learnt that they worshipped gods, we learnt about where it started – in Central America. The Classic period was 250BC.

We learnt how to read Mayan numbers – dots usually represented 1.

Joey & Husna