HISTORY Knowledge Organiser: Migration Nation



Big Question: How has migration impacted a nation?			
Year 6	Skills	Knowledge	Suggested Outcomes
Chronological Understanding	Use timelines to place events, periods and cultural movements from around the world. Use timelines to demonstrate changes and developments in culture, technology, religion and society. Describe main changes in a period in history using historical vocabulary such as: social, religious, political, technological and cultural. Recall the date of any significant event studied from past and	 Why do people migrate? - Conflict - wars or political unrest - asylum Improve their opportunities/standard of living Jobs Slavery - forced migration How has migration impacted the expansion of our towns/cities? Industrial Revolution - migration from countryside to the towns/cities. 	A carnival expressing the diversity in the class. (Notting Hill Carnival) Write a report detailing the benefits of our diversity. Debate on whether UK should kerb immigration.
Knowledge and understanding of past events, people and changes in the past	Choose reliable sources of factual evidence to describe: houses and settlements; culture and leisure activities; clothes, way of life and actions of people; buildings and their uses; people's beliefs, religion and attitudes; things of importance to people; differences between lives of rich and poor. Identify how any of above may have changed during a time period. Give own reasons why changes may have occurred, backed up with evidence. Show identified changes on a timeline. Describe similarities and differences between some people, events and objects studied. Describe how some changes affect life today.	Who were the Windrush Generation? Why were they important? Why are they still important now? Windrush Scandal. Are the Windrush generation British? What makes you British? 1960/70s - Immigration from India/Pakistan - Textiles/NHS/Engineering/technology 1980s onwards - Immigration from Eastern Europe/other EU countries - many sectors but mostly, healthcare/factories/leisure service industry.	Write letters to MP (perhaps not send them though) regarding the issue of immigration. Post cards from London sent "home". Diary entries - discrimination/racist views Racist language? Welcome to Britain poster - Advertising why Britain is such a wonderful place due to its cultural diversity brought about by migration.
Historical interpretation	Make links between some features of past societies. Understand that the past has been represented in different ways. Suggest accurate and plausible reasons for how/why aspects of the past have been represented and interpreted in different ways. Know and understand that some evidence is propaganda, opinion or misinformation and that this affects interpretations of history.	How has migration/immigration changed the make-up of the UK? • Culture • Language • Cuisine • Economic prosperity • Diversity	
Historical Enquiry	Identify and use different sources of information and artefacts. Evaluate the usefulness and accurateness of different sources of evidence. Select the most appropriate source of evidence for particular tasks. Form own opinion about historical events from a range of sources.	Vocabulary Period of history Duration Scale Interval AD/CE BC/BCE Year Decade Century Millenia Millennium Archives Social Political Religious Beliefs Values Culture	Websites Migration - BBC Teach
Organisation and communication	Present information in an organised and clearly structured way. Present information in the most appropriate way (eg written explanation/tables and charts/labelled diagram). Make accurate use of specific dates and terms.		