

## **Seamer and Irton CP School**



## **Knowledge Organiser**



<b>Year 5</b> – Autumn Term				
<u>Topic</u>	The Empire Windrush			
Enquiry question	How does black culture improve my life? (Focus: The Empire Windrush)			
National curriculum link	A study of an aspect or theme in British history that extends pupils' chronological knowledge beyond 1066			
Core knowledge	<ul> <li>In June 1948 a ship called Empire Windrush docked at a port on the Thames River near London, England. The ship held hundreds of passengers from Commonwealth countries in the Caribbean Sea. They came to England because they knew there were more jobs and opportunities than in their home countries.</li> <li>Immigrants from the Caribbean who arrived in Britain between 1948 and 1971 are known as the Windrush generation.</li> <li>The arrival of the Empire Windrush in London is considered an important moment in making Britain a more multicultural country.</li> </ul>			
Knowledge linked to	1. What was the Empire Windrush?			
learning outcomes	I can find out about the now historic journey the HMT Empire			
	Windrush made			
	2. Who travelled on the boat and why?  I can find out more about the individuals who travelled on the HMT			
	Empire Windrush			
	3. Where are Windrush Generation today?			
	I can research and present information on the scandal that happened			
	in 2018.  4. What impact did the Windrush have on Britain?			
	I can discuss the impacts that the Windrush generation had on Britain			
	at the time and now.			
	5. How do we celebrate Windrush day?			
	I can focus on how we celebrate Windrush Day/ I can celebrate the			
	lives of those affected by the Windrush			
Key vocabulary	<u>Topic based</u> HMT Empire Windrush	<u>Historical vocabulary</u> Immigration		



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Why this topic now?	* Percentage of white people in the UK from 2011 census is approximately 86%  * Percentage of black people in the UK from 2011 census is approximately 3%  * At our school we have a predominantly white teaching/support staff  * Further work is needed to educate our children about Black History, diversity and a diverse range of role models  * October is Black History Month so this leads on from that		
Prior learning		What's next?	
Year 4 - Which black role models shaped the world as it is today?		Matter' Mov	IM - What is the 'Black Lives vement slo Saxon and Viking struggle

