# Key Stage 2 History – Autumn Term Plan (Two Topics)

**Autumn Term Topics:**  
Weeks 1–7: Ancient Egypt  
Weeks 8–13: The Romans in Britain  
  
**Big Questions:**  
- What can we discover about life in Ancient Egypt?  
- How did the Romans change Britain?

One lesson per week from 8th September to 8th December (13 weeks).

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| **Week** | **Date** | **Lesson Title / Key Question** |
| 1 | 8 Sept | Where is Egypt and why was the Nile important? |
| 2 | 15 Sept | How do we know about Ancient Egypt? (Artefacts and archaeology) |
| 3 | 22 Sept | What did Ancient Egyptians believe about the afterlife? |
| 4 | 29 Sept | Who was mummified and why? (Mummification process) |
| 5 | 6 Oct | What were pyramids for and how were they built? |
| 6 | 13 Oct | Who was Tutankhamun and why is he so famous? |
| 7 | 20 Oct | What was daily life like for Ancient Egyptian children? |
| — | 27 Oct | HALF TERM – No lesson |
| 8 | 3 Nov | Who were the Romans and why did they invade Britain? |
| 9 | 10 Nov | What was life like in Roman Britain? (Towns, roads, homes) |
| 10 | 17 Nov | What did the Romans do for us? (Legacy: calendar, roads, language) |
| 11 | 24 Nov | What was it like to be a Roman soldier in Britain? |
| 12 | 1 Dec | How did people resist the Romans? (Boudica) |
| 13 | 8 Dec | Recap and revision of the whole terms topics with quizzes and games. |