ALDER COPPICE PRIMARY SCHOOL UNIT INFORMATION

SUBJECT: History		YEAR 5	FOCUS:	Local Study	SUMMER TERM UNIT 3: The Industrial Revolution
Knowledge Focus	A Local Study that Extends Beyond 1066				
National Curriculum Knowledge	Pupils should be taught: • A local history study that could extend beyond 1066				
Year 5	Themes: Enquiry, Chronology, Change & Continuity, Cause & Consequence, Interpretations, Characteristic Features Children will Know: Key Knowledge: The Industrial Revolution was a time of great change The Black Country was at the heart of the Industrial Revolution The Industrial Revolution changed our local landscape Many inventions were made during the Industrial Revolution Factories were able to manufacture goods quickly and cheaply which improved Britain's trade. People moved away from the countryside to the towns and cities in order to gain steady work Pollution was a big problem for those living in urban areas, especially in the Black Country Children were able to work in factories and coal mines to earn money for their families: Mining was a way of life in the Black Country				