

Sequencing and Progression of Learning

Subject: History

	Rec	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
Chronological	Remember, order and	Recognise and categorise	Identify where the people	Develop an understanding	Develop a knowledge and	Use an increasing	Apply factual knowledge
Chronological Knowledge/Understanding			Identify where the people and events they study fit within a chronological framework and identify similarities and differences between ways of life in different periods. Understand events beyond living memory that are significant nationally or globally and significant historical events, people and places in their own locality. Compare the lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international	Develop an understanding of the main events, people and changes. Understand the key characteristics of the period being studied and can spot anachronisms. Understand the main differences between today and the period being studied. Develop an understanding of AD and BCE, of scaled timelines and British history organised into different			Apply factual knowledge and understanding of the history of Britain and the wider world to describe past societies and periods, and to make links between features within and across different periods. Describe and explain ways of life at different levels of society and understand that people would have different outlooks on life depending on their social standing. Apply links between three periods in history, comparing, spotting
Greater Depth in Chronology Knowledge/Understanding	Understand the differences in their lives with the lives of their family members.	Apply aspects of change in national life. Apply differences in relation to their own past and present.	achievements. Analyse a range of features covering family, local, national and global history and draw a range of conclusions.	Evaluate the changes in history and how it has affected other periods including present day. Begin to create links between topics covered in Key Stage 1 and compare events on a chronological framework.	Apply chronology by sequencing the key events, objects, themes, societies, periods and people within and across topics confidently using key dates, period labels and terms. Analyse by comparing the main context of particular themes, societies, people and events including some explanation.	Analyse the beliefs and attitudes people had in that time period and compare it with their own. Evaluate the impact of these beliefs and further looking at how it has impacted throughout the years.	similarities and differences. Analyse the sequence of key events, objects, themes, societies and people in topics covered using dates, period labels and terms accurately. Successfully match simple iconic images to each of the periods they have studied.
Historical Terms	Use everyday language related to time. Extend vocabulary, especially by grouping and naming, exploring meaning and sounds of new words.	Understands and recognises common words relating to time. E.g., "a long time ago" "In the olden days", and "not nowadays."	Use and understand time terms, such as BCE/AD, period labels, terms, and words and phrases relating to the passage of time including 'last century', '1950s', '1960s' and 'decade'.	Use words which mark the passing of time such as 'during' or 'while'. Can talk about the past in terms of periods. E.g., Roman, Victorian, Tudor Understand that 'Ancient' means thousands of years ago.	Understand the past in terms of periods. Developing understanding of chronology by representing, and referring to the past as different 'ages' of time, and terms.	Understand 'centuries' and how they are used to date different ages. They use terms such as 'circa.'	Understand 'themes' and 'trends' mean and compare within time periods. Understand 'civilisation' and 'government' mean.
Greater Depth in Historical Terms	Demonstrate consistent implementation of new time words when recalling events from the past.	More confident in use of terms 'old' and 'new'. Uses terms 'then' and 'now' correctly and is comfortable with the term 'the past'.	Can use phrases such as 'over 300 years ago' in their writing to indicate passing of time. Can describe change over time using appropriate words and phrases to suggest the	Begin to use 'ages' of time and understand where they come before or after.	Begin to look at time frames and which period can overlap into one another.	Beginning to make links between the same vocabulary within themes.	Consider changes throughout the years and how they impact today's society.

			more distant past. E.g., the Victorian times.				
 Historical Concepts Continuity and change Cause and consequence Comparisons (similarity and difference) Significance 	Look closely at similarities, differences, patterns and change. Develop understanding of growth, decay and changes over time. Question why things happen and give explanations. Know about similarities and differences between themselves and others, and among families, communities and traditions. Recognise and describe special times or events for	Define simple reasons why a real person acted as they did in a historical situation and the consequences of their actions. Identify different ways the past is represented and recognise fact from fiction.	Recall clear explanations of an important event, offering two or three reasons why an event took place. Provide an explanation of consequences around the events and how this is significant.	Understand that events have more than one cause and they can explain slightly more complex events. Recognise general and impersonal causes, and understand that events happen because of other reasons than just human action.	Understand that events usually happen for a combination of reasons. Recognise different causes for an event giving more detail than listing.	Describe causes and consequences rather than list. Understand that causes might be connected in some way and that one cause might be linked to another making the event much more likely to happen.	Express explanation in terms of relative importance backed up by reasoned argument. Describe quite complex events using a good range of causes, some of them linked in a simple way.
Greater Depth in Historical Concepts	family or friends. Explain why traditions are important to themselves and to others.	Evaluate the importance of the sources. Interpret the choices and actions of people in historical situations.	Analyse accurately similarities, differences and changes both within and across time periods and topics. Evaluate a few valid causes and effects relating to many of the events covered.	Analyse actions of people in historical settings. Evaluate the effectiveness of the choices and actions of historical events.	Apply why certain changes and developments were of particular significance within topics and across time periods. Evaluate the significance of particular causes and effects for many of the historical situations, events, developments and individuals from more than one viewpoint.	Analyse by comparing cause and consequences across topics and time periods. Analyse events that are linked together and evaluate the choices and actions that lead to them.	Analyse how typical similarities, differences and changes were. Analyse the significance of events, development and people across topics and time periods. Evaluate and explain the reasons for, and results of, events and changes. They use this to describe features of past societies and periods and to make links between them.
 Historical Enquiry Evidence (primary and secondary sources) Interpretations Creating their own structured accounts 	Be curious about people and show interest in stories. Answer 'how' and 'why' questions in response to stories or events. Explain own knowledge and understanding, and asks appropriate questions. Know that information can be retrieved from books and computers. Record, using marks they can interpret and explain.	Choose and use parts of stories (and other sources) to show understanding of key features of events studied. Identify some of the different ways in which the past is represented. Recognise some of the ways in which we find out about the past. Ask and discuss questions to build upon understanding.	Ask and answer historically relevant questions about parts of stories (and other sources) to develop understanding of key features of events studied. Recognise some of the ways in which we find out about the past and classify different ways in which it is represented. (Primary and Secondary sources)	Identify evidence of the changes that happen over time. Make use of sources of information beyond simple observation to answer questions about the past. Identify differences between versions of the same event.	Identify evidence of changes over time, compare and draw conclusions and justify them. Experiment with sources of information and understand that aspects of the past have been represented and interpreted in different ways. Recognise that there are often different interpretations of events.	Apply knowledge of events, people and changes have been interpreted in different ways and suggest possible reasons for this. Recognise that history is continuously being rewritten. Understand that people create different versions of the past for different audiences and there might give a different emphasis. Therefore, understand that some interpretations might be more accurate and reliable than others.	Identify and evaluate sources of information, which they use critically to reach and support conclusions. Demonstrate reasons why some sources might be treated cautiously and show awareness of the need to think about why the source has been produced. Understand that all history is to some extent interpretations and see why some people might write different versions of the same event.

Greater Depth in Historical	Ask in depth questions.	Analyse ways in which the	Evaluate the usefulness of	Analyse why there might	Analyse information from	Evaluate a range of	Analyse why there are
Enquiry		past is represented.	sources and parts of	be more than one version	different sources.	different sources of	different historical
			sources to answer	of events.		information and identify	interpretations of events,
		Create valid questions to	historical questions.		Evaluate sources and	those that are useful for	people and changes.
		guide their learning create		Evaluate sources and	justify their reliability.	particular tasks.	
		answers using evidence	Create a series of valid	draw conclusions and			Evaluate a range of
		from sources.	questions and produce	justifying them.		Evaluate reliability of	sources for historical
			effective responses using			sources and judge	enquiries considering
			appropriate vocabulary			whether it is trustworthy.	factors such as purpose,
			confidently.				audience, accuracy,
							reliability and how the
							source was compiled.
							Create quality responses
							to a wide range of
							historical enquiries
							requiring the use of some
							complex sources and
							different forms of
							communication with
							detailed ideas on ways to
							develop or improve
							responses.