

History Knowledge Progression

	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Historical Knowledge	<p>Children should have knowledge of the following after studying the topics below:</p> <p>People Events Situations and developments Chronology and characteristic features Historical terms Historical vocabulary</p> <p>Topics: Children will study the achievements of the earliest civilizations - an overview of where and when the first civilizations appeared and a depth study of one of the following: Ancient Sumer, The Indus Valley, Ancient Egypt, and The Shang Dynasty of Ancient China. Focus: Ancient Egypt</p> <p>Ancient Greece - a study of Greek life and achievements and their influence on the western world.</p>	<p>Children should have knowledge of the following after studying the topics below:</p> <p>People Events Situations and developments Chronology and characteristic features Historical terms Historical vocabulary</p> <p>Topics: Children will learn about changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age.</p> <p>The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain.</p>	<p>Children should have knowledge of the following after studying the topics below:</p> <p>People Events Situations and developments Chronology and characteristic features Historical terms Historical vocabulary</p> <p>Topics: A study beyond 1066. Focus: World War II</p> <p>Britain's settlement by Anglo Saxons and Scots C400 to 789.</p> <p>The Viking and Anglo Saxon struggle for England 789 to 1066.</p> <p>A non-European society that provides contrasts with British history - one study chosen from: early Islamic civilization, including a study of Baghdad c. AD 900; Mayan civilization c. AD 900; Benin (West Africa) c. AD 900-1300. Focus: Mayan civilization</p>	<p>Children should have knowledge of the following after studying the topics below:</p> <p>People Events Situations and developments Chronology and characteristic features Historical terms Historical vocabulary</p> <p>Topics: A study beyond 1066. Focus: The Rise of Youth Culture</p> <p>A Local History study. Focus: The growth of Wolverhampton</p>