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		EYFS	1	2	3	4	5	6
Chronological understanding		Begin to make sense of their own life story and family's history. Know some similarities And differences between things in the past and now, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class.	Sequence events in their life Sequence 3 or 4 artefacts from distinctly different periods of time Categorise objects from different ages Describe the past, using time related language e.g., old, new, now, then, yesterday Recognise the passing of time on a time line	Sequence artefacts within the same historical period - check with reference book or historical source Describe key events in their own life or that of a significant individual Identify where places, people and events fit into a broad chronological framework	Sequence the events of time studied on a time line using dates Introduce that a time line can be divided into BCE and CE	Place events, artefacts and significant figures on a time line with dates Use terms related to the period and begin to date events Demonstrate a secure understanding of more complex terms e.g., BCE and CE Understand how a period of several centuries involves many generations of people	Sequence significant events, movements and dates on a time line Understand how some events occurred concurrently in different locations Use dates and terms accurately in describing events	Describe the main changes in a period of history using terms such as: social, religious, political, technological and cultural Identify and understand key turning points Apply the concept of continuity and change over time justifying them along with evidence on a time line
Knowledge and	understanding of events, people and changes	Of familiar situations In the past. Compare and contrast Characters from Stories including	Recall some facts about people/events before living memory Recall episodes from stories about the past	Describe why people did things, why events happened and what happened as a result Identify differences between ways of life at different times	Summarise everyday lives of people in time studied Compare with our life today Explain reasons for and results of people's actions Understand why people may have wanted to do	Use evidence to describe what was important to people from the past Describe similarities and differences between people, events and artefacts studied Look for links and effects in time studied	Evaluate and critique the inequalities of differing social standards of the period Make reasoned judgements about the causes and results of great events and the impact on people	Empathise with the beliefs and circumstances of people, recognising that not everyone shares the same views and feelings Evaluate beliefs and behaviour with another time studied Hypothesise about the cause and effect of an

	Understand the			something			event using evidence to
	Diderstand the past Through settings, characters and events encountered in books read in class and storytelling.			something	To create synthesis between two opposing viewpoints	Evaluate an aspect of life with the same aspect in another period	-
Historical interpretation		Observe and handle artefacts and evidence to find out about the past Use stories to compare and contrast fact and fiction	Observe and handle artefacts and evidence to ask questions and find answers about the past Speculate about the reliability of photos/ accounts/stories	Explain the different ways in which the past is represented Distinguish between different sources – compare different versions of the same story Look at representations of the period – museum, cartoons etc	Synthesise different versions of the same event in history and identify differences. Explain causes and consequences of some of the main events and changes in history Evaluate the usefulness of different sources	Make reasoned judgements about evidence from the past understanding that it could be propaganda, misinformation or opinion and that this affects interpretations of history. Justify why there may be different accounts of history. Critique the accuracy of interpretations – fact or fiction and opinion	Empathise with people in the past and understand that their point of view can affect interpretation. Use sources of information to form testable hypotheses about the past Link sources and work out were drawn Conclude that no single source of evidence gives a questions about the past
Historical enquiry	Talk about the lives of People around them And their roles in Society.	Develop reasoned answers to simple questions about the past from sources of information e.g. artefacts, pictures,	Select and use a source – observe or handle sources to answer questions about the past on the basis of simple	Ask questions and find answers about the past. Use a range of sources to find out about a period	Use documents, printed sources (e.g. archive materials) the Internet, databases, pictures, photographs, music,	Choose reliable sources of evidence to answer questions, realising that there is often not	Critique and evaluate documents, printed sources (e.g., archive materials) the Internet, databases, pictures, photographs, music,

		stories and websites	observations.	Analyse small details –	artefacts, historic	a single answer to	artefacts, historic
	Know some			artefacts, pictures	buildings, visits to	historical	buildings, visits to
	similarities	Ask questions and	Compare and	_	museums or galleries	questions	museums or galleries and
	And differences	speculate about	contrast parts of	Summarise information	and visits to sites to		visits to sites
	between things in	events e.g. When?	stories and other	relevant to the study	collect evidence	Make reasoned	
	the past and now,	What happened?	sources (artefacts,	Use the library and	about the past	judgements about	Investigate own lines of
	drawing on their	What was it like?	pictures and	internet for research		more complex	enquiry by posing
	experiences and	Why? Who was	websites) to show		Use evidence to	questions about	questions to answer and
	what has been read	involved?	understanding of	Explain where we might	explain or summarise	the past,	draw own hypotheses
	in class.		events	find answers to	a past event	considering key	Recognise primary and
				questions considering a	Ask and answer	concepts in	secondary sources
			Describe the past in a	range of sources	questions about the	history	
			variety of ways		past, considering	Choose reliable	Bring knowledge
					aspects of change,	sources of	gathered from several
					cause, similarity and	evidence to	sources together in a
					difference and	answer questions,	fluent account.
					significance	realising that	
						there is often not	
						a single answer to	
						historical	
						questions	
						Evaluate a range	
						of source material	
						to build up a	
						picture of the past	
		Classify and categorise	events or objects into	Demonstrate understand	ding about the past		ople of the past through
- 0		groups (i.e.: then and now.) Use timelines to order events or objects. Recall stories about the past. Communicate ideas through talking, writing		using different genres of writing, drawing, diagrams, data-handling, drama role-play, storytelling and using ICT.		different genres of writing, drawing, diagrams, drama role-play, storytelling and using ICT Plan, select, organise and present a	
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