



History Curriculum Milestones

Connecting Stone	Big Idea (NC links)	EYFS	Years 1 & 2	Years 3 & 4	Years 5 & 6
Chronology	To understand and develop a secure knowledge of chronology and its effect on history from earliest times to present day.	Talk about past and present events in their own lifetime.	Place events in order on a timeline Label timeline with words, or phrases such as past, present, older and newer. Recount changes that have occurred over their own lives. Using dates.	Place events, artefacts and historical figures on a timeline using dates. Understand the concept of change over time using evidence. Use dates and key vocabulary to describe events.	Explain the main changes in a period of history. Contrast and compare periods of change. Represent with evidence their understanding of the concepts of continuity of change over time. Use dates and terms accurately in describing events.
				describe events.	events.







Evidence	To understand how	Identify and know	To ask questions	Use evidence to ask	Select suitable sources to
	evidence and a	about similarities	about key features	and find answers to	deduce and explain their
	range of sources are	and differences in	of events from the	questions.	reasons.
	used to interpret the	relation to places	past.		
	past.	and objects.			Seek out and analyse a
			Recognise evidence	Use a range of	wide range of evidence on
			in different forms.	suitable sources of	order to justify their
				evidence for	claims.
			Use artefacts,	historical enquiries.	
			pictures, stories,		Show awareness of how
			online sources and	Explain different	historians understand the
			databases to find	historical events	social context of evidence(
			out about the past.	which incorporates	e.g. propaganda)
				the evidence as a	
				reason why.	Use and compare a range
					of sources to answer
					questions about the past.
Lifestyles	To understand and	To know that history	Identify and name	Describe changes	Ask and answer questions
	question similarities	is in the past.	a range of lifestyles	that have happened	about change, cause and
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			history.		7







	between ways of life			Give a broad	Make connections and
	in different periods.		Ask questions	overview of life in	compare between periods
			about lifestyles.	Britain from ancient	of time.
				until medieval	
			Describe lifestyles	times.	Understand and describe
			from different		how some changes affect
			periods.	Compare British	life today.
				History with world	
				history.	Identify and explain
				Describe the	changes within and across
				diversity of past	historical periods.
				society.	
					Explain and justify the
				Describe the	diversity of past society.
				characteristic	
				features of the past.	Explain and justify the
					characteristic features of
					the past.
Conflict	Understand cause	Begin to understand	Recognise what	Suggest causes and	Understand and explain
2Mg	and consequence of	the idea of conflict	conflict is.	consequences of	the impact of conflict.
11	conflict.	and what happens.		some of the main	7







			Describe & discuss	events and changes	Compare, contrast and
			in simple terms,	in history.	make links between
			why a significant		different conflicts of the
			individual acted the	Express an opinion	past.
			way they did and	on whether a	
			what happened as	person or event had	Identify patterns and ask
			a result.	a positive or	historical questions on
				negative impact on	conflict.
				life in Britain.	
				Explain that an	
				event can have	
				more than one	
				cause.	
Historical	Name historical	Name and talk	Identify a historical	Describe how a	Describe how a historical
Influencers	influencers and their	about someone from	influencer in a	historical influencer	influencers or movement
202	impact on history	the past who made	given period and	of a period	has influenced the UK or
	and today.	a difference.	discuss their	influenced change.	wider world.
			impact on history.		
				Explain how	Describe how their own
				historical influencers	lives have been influenced
				contributed to	







	Sequence the story	national and	by a historical influencers
	of a significant	international	or movement.
	historical figure.	achievements in a	
		variety of eras.	
	Use the stories of		
	famous historical		
	figures to compare		
	aspects of life in		
	different times.		

