

Year	Knowledge	Skills	Concepts & Vocabulary
Group	(Know)	(Do)	(Understand)
Reception	 Know how I have changed over time Know that I can do things now that I couldn't when Iwas a baby (baby photos as evidence) Know some key events in my personal and familyhistory Know that some things happened before I was born Know that some things happened before I was born Know that some things happened before I was born Know that some things happened before I was born Know that some things happened before I was born Know that some things happened before I was born Know that some things happened before I was born Know that some things happened before I was born Know that things that are familiar to me were different in the past e.g. phones, cars, TVs etc. Know that birthdays are annual celebrations markingpassage of time Know how I have changed over time – simple timeline for my life linked to ages Know that there were some famous people who lived a long time ago e.g. Neil Armstrong – first human on themoon Know that people's lives have different stages – baby, child, teenager, adult, retired Know that adults do different jobs – know jobs that have been done by members of my family Know that some jobs looked different in the past(photos as evidence) Know how I have changed over time – know changes and name things that have changed since I started school 	 Listen and retell a story Ask questions to clarify understanding Role play using toys, costumes etc. from the past Compare things Sort objects into old and new Say what makes something look old Talk, draw and write to share their learning Share experiences and knowledge from different parts of their lives with each other. Experience a range of ways of preserving memories of special events, e.g. making a book, collecting photographs, tape recording, drawing and writing. 	 Today / Yesterday / Tomorrow Day, week, month, year We call the past 'history' There has been time before their lifetime We learn about the past from things and information left behind History can impact on today

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	 Know that traditional stories have been told for 		
	many years – parents and grandparents will have		
	heard them		
	Know the difference between story characters		
	Know the unifierence between story characters		
	andhistorical figures		
	 Know a story about a real person from the past 		
	e.g. apirate		
	Know that there were some famous people who		
	lived along time ago		
	Know that people who study the past by finding		
	thingsare called archaeologists and		
	palaeontologists		
	• Know some things are very old or happened a long		
	timeago e.g. dinosaurs		
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Year 1	 Know and understand changes within living memory relating to homes Know that older family / community members have different experiences to me in the present Know the names of a range of household objects from the past. Know that technology and entertainment have changedover time. Know and understand changes within living memory and back to Victorian times related to toys Know that older family / community members have different experiences to me in the present Know that older family / community members have different experiences to me in the present Know the names of a range of toys from the past e.g. doll, hoop, skipping rope, dominoes, pull-along, hobby horse etc. Know that technology and entertainment have changedover time. Know that technology and entertainment have changedover time. Know that the materials used to make toys has changes over time e.g. from wood to plastic Know that how children acquired toys was different in the past e.g. home-made v ordered online Know and understand changes within living memoryand back to Victorian times relating to holidays Know that older family / community members have different experiences to me in the present 	 Look at images and identify key features. To make comparisons of between images of old and new. Spot old and new things in a picture Order up to 3 items, artefacts or images inchronological order. Ask questions based on images, stories or accounts byfamily / community members. Share understanding orally, in pictures or in writing. Select an image or part of a story to illustrate the idea. Make a statement about how something that they have studied has changed over time. Talk about things that happened in their past – whenthey were little Retell a familiar story set in the past 	 Understand some of the ways in which we find out about the past and identify different ways in which it is represented. Today / Yesterday / Tomorrow Past / Present Now / A long time ago / Then Old / New Object/ artefact

 Know the names of a range of objects from the past associated with beach holidays e.g. bathing hut, pieretc. Know that technology and entertainment have changedover time. Know that where people go on holiday has changedover time – more people go overseas now Know some of the features of a traditional UK seasideholiday e.g. fun fair, donkey rides, foods etc. Know how the clothes that people wear on holiday havechanged over time 	

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Year 2	 Know the lives of significant individuals beyond living memory / in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements Know what their contributions were and theirsignificance locally and globally. Know that life and experiences were different in variousperiods in the past. Know that for much of history, helping people to healhas involved lots of superstition and guesswork, but that now modern science ensures that sensible treatments are used to help people get better Know that there have been particularly important nurses in history who are famous today because of the significant impact on many people's lives Know the key facts from the life stories of Florence Nightingale, Mary Seacole and Edith Cavell Know that though nursing in the past was mainly undertaken by women, modern nursing is a career for people of all genders; know that, as an essential part of the NHS (National Health Service), the UK's nurses were celebrated for their work during the Covid-19 pandemicthat began in 2019. 	 Ask and answer a range of questions based on images, stories or accounts by family / community members. Compare, order and sequence evidence relating to significant individuals or events. Use a wide range of vocabulary relating to everydayhistorical terms. Identify key and significant features of the evidence relating to significant individuals or events. Identify similarities and differences between historical periods or experiences. Recall key information in sequence. Use what they have learnt to make connections and create their own written narratives. Present information in a range of different ways including writing reports, family trees, charts, diagrams, art and drama. Explain why eyewitness accounts might vary 	 Understand historical concepts such as change, cause and consequence, similarity and difference. Impact of an individual and individual choice on the future. Modern / Historic Victorian / Tudor / Stuart Chronological Order Eyewitness account Difference between rich and poor Concept of war / illness / injury /health Evidence - reliable and unreliable

	Samuel Pepys Know what their contributions	
	were and their significance locally and globally.	
•	Know that Samuel Pepys' (pronounced 'Peeps')	
	lived during the time of the Great Fire of London	
	and that he wrote a diary	
•	Know that Pepys's wrote a diary about ordinary life	
	in London and that he loved through two of the	
	most dramatic events in London's history: the	
	Great Plague of London in 1665 and the Great Fire	
	of London in 1666	
•	Know that Pepys's diary contained his thoughts	
	about everyday life and historians use it to	
	understand Londonat the time and these great	
	events	
•	Know that a historical source can provide	
	evidence relating to the events of the past;	
	Pepys's diary is asource	
•	Know that Pepys's diary helps historians to know	
	where the fire started and how it affected people	
•	Know that life and experiences were different in	
	variousperiods in the past.	
•	To know about a significant historical events (Great	
	Fire of London).	
•	Know that the Great Fire of London started on	
	2ndSeptember 1666	
•	Know that people used fire to cook and for light, so	
	it was quite easy for a dangerous fire to	
	accidentally occur	
•	Know that Thomas Farriner's bakery in Pudding	
	Lanewas the source of the fire as the oven fire	
	was still burning overnight	
•	Know that there was a strong wind which	
	helped thefire to spread	
•	Know that the fire went on for four days, and there	
	wasno official fire brigade	

 Know that archaeology is the study of the past by looking at non-written artefacts from that time; oftenthese are excavated from beneath the ground 	
 Know that artefacts from the past, including examples of writing, tend to be created and owned by those in a position of privilege; because of this we might not get a full picture of the past; for example, precious objects from the past tend to have been the possessions of wealthy people Know that the Shang dynasty existed from 1600 BCE to 1046 BCE 	
 Know that the Shang dynasty was the first in China to develop writing, a key step forward in all four of the ancient civilisations; this writing influenced the writingthat Chinese people use today 	
 Know that the oldest writing from this period has beenfound carved into bones and tortoise shells - these are called oracle bones; the writing on oracle bones tells usabout the Shang dynasty, including the different emperors 	
 Know that an emperor or empress is a monarch who governs many nations or separate territories; a group of nations or separate territories ruled by an emperor or empress is called an empire 	

 Know the lives of significant individuals beyond living memory / in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements – explorers who went tothe Caribbean e.g. Columbus, Drake, Raleigh Know who Christopher Columbus was and when he lived Know Columbus found the Caribbean when he thoughthe was sailing to the Far East Know some key facts about his journey e.g. name of ship, length it took Know some of the challenges faced e.g. supplies, unknown, weather etc. Know that some British explorers also made 	
 Know that some British explorers also made journeys to the Caribbean e.g. Drake, Raleigh Know some of the items we have today that were brought to Europe by explorers e.g. foods, tobacco etc. 	

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Year 3	 Know key facts about the changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age, including: late Neolithic hunter-gatherers and early farmers, forexample, Skara Brae Bronze Age religion, technology and travel, for example, Stonehenge Iron Age hill forts: tribal kingdoms, farming, art andculture Know the similarities and differences between historyand archaeology <i>Ice Age:</i> Know that during this time, the continents had movedto their current positions. Know the names of some of the animals that roamedthe Earth during this period Stone Age: Know that the Stone Age is divided in three distinct periods: The Paleolithic Period (30,000 BCE-10,000 BCE), the Mesolithic Period (10,000 BCE-3,000 BCE). Know the similarities and differences between historyand archaeology Know that the Palaeolithic period is best known as the era during which the Neanderthals lived in Europe and the Near East (c. 300,000-28,000 years ago). Know that this period is also marked by a relatively rapid succession of often complex stone artefact 	 Develop chronology skills to use terms such as AD/BC/BCE, decade, century Be able to say when something in the past happenedusing a date Sequence events on a simple timeline Ask questions about how things changed because of an event e.g. what changed when the Romans invaded Britain? Sort evidence into primary and secondary evidence Use more than one source of evidence to answer aquestion Research and identify similarities and differences between times in history including a period being studied and the present Select information from more than one source to present their learning about an event or a feature of a period being studied Present their research in a both factual (e.g. written report) and imaginative (e.g. create a play) ways 	 Understand concepts such as: Invasion, expansion Nomad/ settler Primary/ secondary evidence Government, democracy, slavery, law Trade Empire Power War, combat, conflict Culture, language, civilisation Cause, consequence Colonisation

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congregate and settle in villages (which led to changes in their way of life e.g. release from	
nomadism and a hunting-gathering economy	
gave them the time to pursue specialized crafts).	
Know how farming changed during this time period	
Know about some the archaeological finds in	
cave artand what they may represent	
• Know that the Stonehenge is a famous monument	
which was built around this time but also continued	
intothe bronze age	
 Know how the Stonehenge may have been 	
built andwhat it was used for. Know some of	
the different theories historians believe.	
 Know that the Neolithic was succeeded by the 	
Bronze Age when human societies learned to	
combine copper and tin to make bronze, which	
replaced stone for use astools and weapons.	
Bronze Age:	
Know that the beginning of the Bronze Age in	
Britaincan be put around 2,000 BC	
Know that the bronze age is a historical period	
characterized by the use of bronze either by	
producingbronze by 'smelting' its own copper	
and alloying with tin, arsenic, or other metals, or by trading for bronze from production areas	
elsewhere.	
 Know that the discovery and use of metallurgy 	
was gradual, and took place at different times in	
differentplaces.	
Know that bronze is harder and more durable than	
other metals available at the time, allowing Bronze	
Agecivilizations to gain a technological advantage.	
 Know that it is generally thought that the new 	
bronzetools and weapons identified with this age	
were	

brought over from continental Europe (e.g. Bell Beakerculture). Know about the benefits of travel and trade.	
Know that Bronze Age cultures differed in their	
development of the first writing. Study the	
archaeological evidence of the earliest viable	
writing systems in cultures such as Mesopotamia	
(cuneiform script - Sumerian writing system),	
Egypt (hieroglyphs), or Indus valley civilisation	
script (also known as	
the Harappan script)	
Iron Age/Celts:	
Know that around 800 BC people in Britain learned how to use iron, which had a dramatic impact on	
howto use iron, which had a dramatic impact on everyday life.	
 Know that iron tools made farming much easier 	
than before and settlements grew in size. Know	
the impact this had (easier to locate as they were	
in permanent settlements, and they had more	
valuable things to steal).	
Know that Iron Age Britain was a violent place.	
People lived in clans that belonged to tribes led	
by warrior kings. Rival tribes fought with deadly	
iron weapons.	
Know that many people lived in hill forts to keep safe from attacks and know that these forts were	
surrounded by walls and ditches and warriors	
defended their people from enemy attacks.	
Know what life was like in an Iron Age hill fort and	
knowsome examples of these (eg Maiden Castle,	
Dorset).	
Know that inside the hill forts, families lived in	
round houses. These were simple one-roomed	
homes with a pointed thatched roof and walls	
made from wattle anddaub (a mixture of mud and twigs).	
 Know that in the centre of a round house was a 	
fire where meals were cooked in a cauldron.	
Around the walls were jars for storing food and	
beds made from straw covered with animal	

	skins.	
•	Know that Iron Age farmers grew crops and vegetables. They kept geese, goats and pigs and had large herds of cows and flocks of sheep.	
•	Some people worked as potters, carpenters, buildingand repairing the houses and metalworkers.	
•	Know that men and boys trained as warriors. They hadto be prepared to fight at any time.	
•	Know that during the Iron Age, the Celtic people spreadout across Europe and many settled in Britain. The ancient Britons followed a Celtic way of life. They produced fine metalwork and enjoyed feasting, music and poetry.	
•	Know other information about day to day life (food, jobs, travel, education, safety, culture, entertainment).	
•	Know the time period for Roman Britain	
•	Know how Rome was believed to be founded and knowthe story of Romulus and Remus.	
•	Know the success of the Roman Empire (east and the western empires) and why	
•	Know about Roman society and the different social classes and hierarchy (Senators, Equestrians, Plebeians, military consul etc.)	
•	Know that Rome fought in three Punic wars against Carthage, a powerful empire in North Africa. Rome eventually defeated Carthage, destroyed the city and became the most powerful empire in the western world.	
•	Know how Rome became a Republic and didn't becomean empire until the first emperor, Augustus Caesar.	
•	Know about some of the important people and leadersduring the roman period.	

•	Know that Julius Caesar's attempted an invasion of Britain in 55-54 BC but failed.	
•	Know that Julius Caesar and was a renowned general, politician and scholar in ancient Rome	
	who declared himself as a dictator.	
•	Know that he conquered the vast region of Gaul and helped initiate the end of the Roman Republic when hebecame dictator of the Roman Empire.	
•	Know that the Claudius was the emperor who	
	led aninvasion of Britain and successfully conquered it, making it part of the Roman	
	Empire.	
•	Know about the emperor of Rome, Claudius.	
•	Know why Claudius wanted to conquer Britain.	
•	Know the different words describing army equipment, weapons, armour and military uniform.	
•	Know some of the battles that may have taken placebetween the Romans and the Celts.	
•	Know about the Roman army and the different tactics that they used.	
•	Know about the Iceni Tribe and identify the Iceni on themap (modern day Norfolk).	
•	Know that Boudicca was a queen of the British Celtic Iceni tribe who led an uprising against the occupying forces of the Roman Empire in AD 60 or 61.	
•	Know how Boudicca defeated the Romans in several battles	
•	Know that died shortly after losing her last battle andwas said to have poisoned herself.	
•	Know why Boudicca is an important cultural symbol inthe United Kingdom.	
•	Know that during their occupation of Britain, the Romans built up new towns, cities and	
	structures.	

introduced to water supply, government a staple foods i peas; adverti weknow toda major cities a had a profou within Britain religion, law a	the changes The Romans Britain: roads: 'food on the go'; , and wastewater systems; and taxes; introduction of some i.e. apples, pears, sing and trademarks; significant towns my; architecture e.g. Hadrian's Wall; and towns; calendar; currency; Latin and towns; calendar; currency; Latin ind impact on words and language which became the language of and administration, and many modern oday; bureaucracy and record	
keeping.	oday, buleaucracy and record	
Know the loc	ation of Roman cities, roads, bridges uctures on a map and know about s relevant.	
	/ religious beliefs the Romans held.	
 Know that th highly religiou 	e Romans thought of themselves as us, and attributed their success as a to their good relations with the gods.	
-	he planets were named after Roman	
 Know that the groundbetwe the Greeks, a 	e Romans looked for common een their major gods and those of dapting Greek myths and for Latin literature and Roman	
of daily life. E which prayer	r ordinary Romans, religion was a part Each home had a household shrine at s were offered. Neighbourhood sacred places such as springs and d the city.	
	e Roman calendar was structured	
	ous observances. Constantine's dream and the	
	udes to the Christianity	
 Know about µ Roman God. 	paganism in Britain and about the	

•	Know that Britain converted to Christianity, the officialreligion of the Roman Empire. Know reasons for the collapse of the Roman	
	Empire.	
•	Know that the Roman Empire struggles to defend itselfagainst barbarian attacks in Europe. Know the role of the Vandals, Huns, Visigoths and Goths	
•	Know Britain is attacked by Picts, Scots and Saxons andthat Roman officials are expelled from Britain.	
•	Know what ways life in Britain remained the same afterthe roman invasion.	
•	Know that writers reflect their time and place in history	
•	Learn the key biographical facts about Roald Dahl including his childhood, his war time experience, his writing career and contribution to medical advancement	
•	Know that Roald Dahl fits into a chronology or writersfor example Charles and Mary Lamb, Beatrix Potter, Enid Blyton, JK Rowling etc.	
•	Know that the black community also has a history of significant writers – know the names of some current examples e.g. Malorie Blackman, Benjamin Zephaniah	
•	Know about the existence of the slave trade and the route this provided for some black people to contribute to British culture	
•	Know that Ignatious Sancho was born a slave, came toEngland as a servant and was a significant writer of letters	
•	Know that Olaudah Equiano was a slave who usedwriting to campaign against slavery	

•	Know that both of these writers challenged ideas about slavery as well as preconceptions about the profile of a writer	
•	Know that there are writers today building on this – challenging ideas about race and equality through theirwriting	
•	Know what Hatch End, Stanmore and other areas in Harrow were like in the past and how they are differenttoday	
•	Know that the name Pinner comes from the word 'Pinnora' meaning "a hill surrounded by oak trees".	
•	Know that Pinner was originally an Anglo-Saxon settlement where the Pinner name is thought to have been coined around 900AD and first appeared in print in 1231.	
•	Know that Pinner was one of the ten hamlets of the medieval Harrow Manor and is still the most easily distinguishable today.	
•	Know that roadways threaded between the properties and led to the houses, which were clustered in tiny hamlets whose names survive today – West End, East End, Hatch End, Stanmore, Nower Hill, Waxwell.	
•	Know that some of these roads still exist today and have have names going back to Tudor times or earlier – WestEnd Lane and Moss Lane, while others just as old have changed their names – Chapel Lane, Church Lane, Bridge Street.	
•	Know that Harrow has a rich architectural and social heritage and a thriving Local History Society.	
•	Know that Harrow is also home to an ancient chalk mine.	

 Know about the lives of hunter gathers between thestone and iron ages in the Harrow area. 	
 Know about the name origins of roads, towns and places. 	
 Know how architecture in the local area changed through various time periods such as Norman, Gothicand Tudor architecture (1066– 1603), Georgian architecture (1714–1811) and Victorian architecture (1837–1901) to modern day developments. 	
 Know what some of the local well known roads and highstreets looked like in the past and what kind of things would have been found there (e.g. shops, stalls, houses, churches etc.) 	
• Know the history of some well know buildings and structures in Harrow and the local area (e.g. Stanmore and Hatch Endstations and Harrow Arts Centre)	
• Know that the brown plaques found on certain buildingaround the area are awarded by the Harrow Heritage Trust, who secure the protection, preservation, restoration and improvement of the character and amenities of the London Borough of Harrow.	
 Know changes that took place over time in Harrow (e.g. population, trend, housing, schools, land use etc.) 	
• Know that in 1336 King Edward III granted a fair to be held in Pinner at Midsummer, the feast of its patron saint St. John the Baptist. It provided a chance for the people to buy things not usually obtainable locally andoffered some welcome diversion. The natural site was just outside the church in Pinner.	
• Know of some famous people linked to Harrow in a variety of areas (artists, politicians, comedians, actors, musicians/composers, literates etc.).	

Know that Shakespeare lived in Tudor England during the reign of Elizabeth I	
Know that his work was performed at the Globe Theatrein London	
 Know that at that time the actors performing plays were all male 	
Know that life was very different for rich and	
poorpeople in Tudor times	
 Know that at this time people from Great Britain wereexploring Africa, Asia and the New World 	
e.g. Drake, Raleigh	
 Know that this provided a route for some 	
people ofdifferent ethnicities to migrate into GB	
• Know that we can tell these people were present as	
theyare represented in art and images from the	
time	
Know that John Blanke was a royal trumpeter	
at the Tudor court	

Knowledge		Skills	Concepts & Vocabulary
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 Year 4 Know key facts about Ancient Egypt as an eacivilisation, including: When the Ancient Egyptian period occurred To know the names of significant rulers of Egand theirmain accomplishments We know about the Ancient Egyptians becaue evidence they left behind including pyramids, hieroglyphs, temple ruins, mummies and treater To know about the technological and so understanding of the Ancient Egyptians and this has been built upon by future civilisations To know how and why the Ancient Egyptians and this has been built upon by future civilisations To know how and why the Ancient Egyptians and this has been built upon by future civilisations To know that time is commonly divided into two periods knownas BCE (before common era)) CE (common era); know that these are some replaced with BC (before Christ) and AD (And Domini, meaning year of our lord) Know that human prehistory is commonly divinto threeperiods: the Stone Age, the Bronze and the Iron Age (retrieval) Know that these ages are named after the different in different parts of the world so it is for historians to know exactly when these periods is for historians to know exactly when these periodes trivilisations and that was located along the River Nile (see resource below) Know that ancient Egypt is considered to be a predominantly Bronze Age Civilisation 	t of re ntific how tian tian d nes d ge ent s are ficult ds	Be able to plot events on a timeline showing relevantcenturies and decades Explain how events from the past impact on the present Research two different versions of an event and be able tosay how they differ Be able to give a point of view about an event or period andgive a reason based on some evidence studied Order evidence by reliability and explain what their choicesare based on e.g. primary / secondary, point of view etc Be able to research the impact of an event or period on different groups e.g. young/old, rich / poor, male/female Select and organise information from a range of sources aspart of an enquiry in response to a question or a theme Use their prior knowledge of historical periods and enquiry tosuggest appropriate questions and themes for investigation Describe their findings about a period, theme or event Present the outcomes of research in the most appropriate way based on the information Compare and contrast a key feature across two time periods studied	 Understand concepts such as: Ancient, Early, Period, Era Legacy Rise and fall, ascend, decline Monarchy, government, aristocracy, people Kingdom, dynastyArchaeology Force, coercion, choice, Victory, defeat

•	Know that the word civilisation comes from the Latin word"civitas" meaning city	
•	Know that a civilisation is considered by most historians to bea collection of urban areas (i.e. towns and cities) with a settled population doing specialised jobs and trading with one another; written language, artwork and monuments are more common in civilisations	
•	Know that settled living (as opposed to nomadic living) allowed for a surplus of food to be created which allowed forspecialising in jobs; this is a key step in the development of the modern world	
•	Know that historians don't always agree on what makes a civilisation; saying that a society was uncivilised is often considered as an insult and a way for people in certain placesto feel superior to others	
•	Know that people began to settle near the River Nile in NorthAfrica during the Neolithic period of the Stone Age	
•	Know that two separate kingdoms were established in around 3400 BCE and that these were unified in around 3100BCE by King Menes as the bronze age began in Egypt	
•	Know that in the first 500 years of ancient Egypt, the idea ofkingship developed, in which the king was considered as a god-like figure by the population; know that sometimes the ruler of ancient Egypt was a queen	
•	Know that a king or a queen is a monarch and that	
•	monarchyis where a king or queen is the ruler Know that the earliest civilisations, including ancient Egypt, were formed on the floodplains beside rivers because settledpeople needed a supply of water and good soil for growing crops; when rivers flood	
	they deposit soil with lots of	
•	nutrients beside the river, making this a place where cropsgrow well, agriculture can thrive and livestock can be kept	

٠	Know that ancient Egypt had a strict social	
	hierarchy; this means that people had more or less	
	control over their lives depending on their role and	
	this did not change; the pharaoh was at the top of	
	the hierarchy; his advisers, high priests and nobles	
	were next; officials and scribes who worked for the	
	government were next; craftsman who made	
	things were next; below them were peasants, and	
	enslaved people were at the bottom of the	
	hierarchy	
•	Know that after their death, some people in	
	ancient Egypt were mummified; this was an	
	expensive process so not many people could afford	
	it; pharaohs were mummified along with some	
	other more powerful people; bodies were	
	mummified due to the ancient Egyptians belief that	
	they would need their bodies in the afterlife	
•	Know that mummification involved the removal of	
	the internal organs of the body, except for the	
	heart, drying the body and then wrapping the	
	body up in linen (see resource below)	
•	Know that after the early period, ancient Egypt was	
	divided into three kingdoms: the Old Kingdom, the	
	Middle Kingdom and the New Kingdom; know that -	
	like the Stone Age, BronzeAge and Iron Age - these	
	titles were given to the periods by historians long	
	after they had finished	
•	Know that the pyramids, including the Great Pyramid	
	at Giza, were built as monuments to dead pharaohs;	
	recognise the Great Pyramid by sight	
•	Know that the Egyptians began using a form of	
-	writing calledhieroglyphics neat the very start of the	
	ancient Egyptian civilisation	
•	Know that the ancient Egyptians believed in	
-	many gods Know that the gods represented	
	certain things: Osiris was the god of the	
	underworld; Isis, his wife, was god of	
•	motherhood; Horus, represented by a falcon's head,	
	was a god of the sky, associated with war and	
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 Anubis, represented by a jackal, was associated with funerals andcare of the dead Know that historians who study Egypt in particular 	
are called Egyptologists; some Egyptologists were	
fascinated with discovering the tombs of ancient	
Egyptian pharaohs; over thecenturies and	
millennia, most of the tombs have been robbedof	
their treasures	
 Know that many pharaohs were buried in a place called the Valley of the Kings; know that a 	
relatively unimportant king's tomb - that of	
Tutankhamun - was found in 1922 and that the	
artefacts found became world-famous	
 Know that there have been other significant empires in Africa since the and of the Emurtian pariod	
 <i>in Africasince the end of the Egyptian period</i> <i>Know that the Ashanti Kingdom was a pre-colonial</i> 	
empire in West Africa in the 17th century	
 Know that Osei Tutu , the Asantehene (paramount	
chief) of Ashanti from 1701 to 1717, and his priest	
Komfo Anokye, unified the independent chiefdoms	
into the most powerful political and military state in the coastal region	
 Know that they created the Golden Stool to 	
representancestors and signify authority	
Know that in Victorian times Britain had colonised	
and ruled the Ashanti home land area	
 Know that Nana Yaa Asantewaa was born in the 1840s as Asona royalty from the Besease 	
clan in central Ghana and was of the Edweso	
stool line.	
 Know that she led a fight against the British rule 	
known as the War of the Golden Stool	

•	 Know that she was captured and sent on exile to the Seychelles. 	
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	African women. Know key factsabout Britain's settlement by the Anglo	
	Saxons, including: Roman withdrawal from Britain in c. AD 410 and the fall of the western Roman Empire	
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	Lindisfarne	
•	Know that after the withdrawal of the Roman army at the beginning of the 5th century, tribes from the north called Picts and Scots intensified their raids on Britain	
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•	the Angles, Saxons, Jutes and others began	
	arriving in Britain from whatis now Germany,	
	Denmark and the Netherlands, often coming into	
	violent conflict with those living in Britain at the	
	time; collectively historians refer to these settlers	
	as Anglo- Saxons; historians debate the reasons	
	as to why the Anglo- Saxons came to Britain; it is	
	likely they came for various reasons, including the	
	good farmland in Britain, the lack of protection	
	following the departure of the Romans and	
	because some were invited to help defeat the	
	invaders from the north	
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	Chronicletells of a king in Britain called Vortigern	
	who asked two Anglo-Saxons called Hengist	
	and Horsa to come to Britain with their armies to	

fight against the Picts; according to the Anglo- Saxon Chronicle, they did this but then turned on Vortigern and took his kingdom; the Anglo-Saxon Chronicle isa historical source written three centuries after the events, soit is very hard to know whether this is true, but it does suggest at least that there were raids from the north and that some Anglo-Saxons were invited to Britain	
• Know that a historian and monk called Bede writing centuries later described the arrival of the Anglo-Saxons as a sudden arrival that drove the other British inhabitants into exile; however, modern historians question this account and suggest that the arrival took place over centuries and may not have involved as many people as stated by Bede	
Know that Anglo-Saxon society existed in a hierarchy; at the top was the king and the royal family; below that were various nobles, people who owned large amounts of land; below that were peasants, who made the vast majority of all people in Anglo-Saxon England, some of whom were serfs who had to work on a given bit of land and give most of whatthey made to the local noblemen; at the bottom of the hierarchy were enslaved people who made up around 1/10 of the population and could be bought and sold like property Know that many people in Roman Britain had been Christians, but the Anglo-Saxons that arrived were polytheists	
• Know that Anglo-Saxon gods are the root of many of our days of the week: Tiw (god of war) is the root of Tuesday; Woden (king of the gods) is the root of Wednesday; Thunor(god of thunder) is the root of Thursday; Frige (goddess of love) is the root of Friday	
• Know that an Anglo-Saxon burial site, including a ship and treasure, were discovered in Sutton Hoo in Suffolk in 1939; know that the objects found show us about the skills of the	

craftsman, the luxuries associated with being king and thebeliefs in the afterlife of the Anglo Saxons	
Know that in 597, the Pope (the head of the	
Catholic Church in Rome) sent a monk called	
Augustine to convert King Aethelbert (the king of Kent) to Christianity; Augustine became the first	
Archbishop of Canterbury; over the next century	
churches and monasteries were built as many	
Anglo-Saxons converted to Christianity;	
monasteries were places where people could live	
lives of quiet prayer; some of these monasteries	
became renowned centres of Christianity and	
learning, including Lindisfarne and Iona	
 Know key facts about the Viking and Anglo- Saxon strugglefor the Kingdom of England to 	
the time of Edward the Confessor, including:	
Viking raids and invasion	
• resistance by Alfred the Great and Athelstan,	
first king of England further Viking invasions	
and DanegeldAnglo-Saxon laws and justice	
• Edward the Confessor and his death in 1066	
Know that more invaders from further north of the	
continentthat we now call Europe began raiding Britain in 793; these invaders came via longships	
from Scandinavia; the word "Viking" comes from	
the Norse word "vikingr" meaning pirate	
Know that Viking longships could travel far and	
quickly, powered both by the wind and by the	
people on board usingoars; they could traverse	
oceans, row up rivers and were light enough to	
be carried across land where necessary Know that the Viking gods were similar to those of the	
Anglo-	
 Saxons, with slight differences in names (e.g. 	
Odin, Frigg, Thor)	

	Knowledge	Skills	Concepts & Vocabulary
	(Know)	(Do)	(Understand)
Year 5	 To know key facts about South American civilisations that contrast with British and European history e.g. Mayan, Aztecand Inca To know where and when each of the civilisations were attheir peak. We know about the ancient South American civilisations because of evidence they left behind including pyramids, glyphs, temple ruins, treasure, clay statues To know about the technological and scientific understanding of these ancient civilisations and how this hasbeen rediscovered. To know about the religious beliefs and practises of these civilisations and how they reflected an alternative world view. To know how and why these ancient civilisations came to anend. Know that The Aztecs were a nomadic tribe who settled in Mexico(link to Y4 Geography) around AD 1300 Know that they settled in Tenochtitlán as this had a good supply of water and food with easy accessto nearby towns for trade – but they had a myth about the choice of location 	Be able to create a timeline using an appropriate scale andplot events in chronological order Use dates and the names of time periods accurately in theirhistorical enquires Plan an historical enquiry by identifying the question/ theme, locating evidence and evaluating that evidence Make a hypothesis about an enquiry before beginning theirresearch Be able to explain the positive and negative aspects of a piece of evidence they have located e.g. it is a first-hand account, but the person was biased Evaluate the contribution of different types of approach tohistorical enquiry e.g. archaeologist and historian Identify where information is someone's opinion based intheir research rather than fact Be able to identify trends in changes that have occurred overtime Be able to explain the significance of an event, a change or aperson's contribution Present the outcomes of research in the most appropriate way based on the information and audience Organise information from an historical enquiry to be able topresent their conclusion or point of view Summarise their findings about a period, person, theme orevent	 Understand concepts such as: Democracy, tyranny, oligarchy Exploration and encounters Old World/ New World Industrialisation, revolution Wealth, poverty Parliament, executive and legislature Tribe, sacrifice, reign State

•	Know once they settled in Tenochtitlán, the Aztec empire began to grow. It covered 80,000 square miles and included millions of people who were all ruled by an emperor Know key facts about daily life including: Most Aztecs lived in huts made from mud and straw. Rich people could afford palaces or homes made of stone and they bathed in	
	steam rooms and saunas.	
•	The men were either craftsmen, farmers or warriors whodefended the empire.	
•	The women stayed at home to cook and weave clothes.	
•	Children had to go to school to learn important skills likehunting or cooking.	
•	The Aztecs were excellent hunters and farmers and were skilled at fishing.	
•	They made intricate masks, pottery and jewellery.	
•	Know that the Aztec culture was famous for a range of things some of which are still with us today:	
0	agriculture (farming)	
0	calendar system	
0	art	
0	continuing the Maya tradition of makinga	
	chocolate drink using cocoa beans	
0	architecture (buildings and structures),	
	including pyramids, palaces and temples	
0	writing in pictograms and hieroglyphics	
•	Know that the Aztecs believed in many gods (including thenames of some e.g. Tlaloc,	
	Quetzalcoatl) like other civilizations studied and	
	would sacrifice human life to keeptheir gods	
	happy.	
•	Know that they built towers and temples for their	
	gods Know that the arrival of Europeans in South America was acontributing factor in the decline of	
	the Aztec Empire	

 To know key facts about the Victorian period of 	
Britishhistory, including:	
 To know the dates of the Victorian era, 	
To know how the relationship between the	
monarchy andparliament changed during the	
Victorian era	
To know about daily life for different socio-	
economic groups in Victorian England (homes,	
clothing, nutrition, education, entertainment etc.)	
 To know that the industrial revolution was a key 	
reason why experiences differed between socio-	
economic groups.	
 To know about the key inventions and 	
technological developments of the	
Victorian era	
To know about key Victorians who have made a	
significant contribution e.g. Darwin/evolution,	
Dickens/literature, Florence	
Nightingale/Medicine, Lord Shaftsbury, Dr	
Barnardo/social justice and reform	
To know that Britain had a different relationship	
with the rest of the world during this period as a	
result of the BritishEmpire	
 Know key dates and events 	
from QueenVictoria's reign	
Know the key facts of Victoria's life story and how	
they impacted on her reign and decisions	
Know that this was a period of industrial change	
and thedevelopment of cities/urban living	
Know that in the face of increased	
industrialisation a movement developed	
concerned to protect arts and crafts Know that	
wealth was unevenly distributed and what that	
meant for rich and poor families	
Know what school was like for Victorian children	
Know that child labour was permitted and the	
different jobsthat Victorian children had	

 Know about the role of Lord Shaftesbury and Dr Barnardo inhanging the lives of Victorian Children Know that parliament had an increasing say in decisions thatimpacted on ordinary people and changes were made to make it more representative – but that did not mean it represented everyone Know changes that happened in Victorian crime andpunishment Know modes of Victorian transport and key inventions made by the Victorians and the effect these hadon the way they lived Know that Britain's interested extended around the world and this can be described as the British Empire – know whichcountries were involved Know that this was a period of inequality for women andchallenge gender stereotypes Know that the different the British Empire provided a route for migration into GB Know that the growth of the British Empire provided a route of the GB e.g. slavery, as servants, as wives etc. Know the bigraphies of key black women in the Victorian period e.g. 1835-1924 Fanny Eaton 1843-1924 Fanny Seacole Know they challenged perceptions that were prevalentat the time

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•	Know that their stories have relevance to some of	
	the campaigns and activists challenging current	
	popular opinionand perceptions	
•	To know about key facts about Ancient Greece,	
	including:	
	Know about everyday life in the Ancient Greek	
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	civilisation	
•	To know that the Ancient Greeks used myth	
	and legend toteach and share their values	
•	To know about key achievements of the	
	Ancient Greek civilisation, for example,	
	democracy, philosophy, trade, empire,	
	exploration	
•	To know how the Ancient Greek civilisation	
	influenced the western world e.g. governance,	
	art, drama, theatre, music, philosophy.	
•	Ancient Greek religion and its impact on Ancient	
	Rome	
•	To know about key battles fought by the	
	Greeks and the impact on the division	
	between Europe and Asia.	
•	Know that ancient Greece is considered by	
	historians to have particularly noteworthy periods	
	between 2000 BCE and 146 CE four periods:	
	the Bronze Age, the Archaic Age, the Classical	
	Golden Age and the period in which Alexander	
	the Great made conquests over a large area	
•	Know that many Greek myths and stories	
	describe events and heroes that are inspired by	
	this period, including the Iliad, the Odyssey and	
	Theseus and the Minotaur	
•	Know that the ancient Greeks believed in many	
	gods, including Zeus (king of the gods), Athena	
	(goddess of reason, wisdom and war, after whom	
	the city of Athens was named), Hades (god of the	
	dead and the underworld) and Poseidon (god of	
	the sea)	
•	Know that the first Olympic games took	
	place in this period; this eventually inspired	
	the modern Olympics, but the original games	
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were a much shorter affair with just a few events; the Olympics were named after	
Mount Olympus, the highest mountain in	
Greece, the summit of which was said to be	
where the Greek Gods lived	
 Know that throughout most of its history, 	
ancient Greece was, a collection of	
independent city-states that shared a	
language and aspects of culture; Athens and	
Sparta were two of these city-states, though	
there were others	
 Know that throughout the times of ancient Greece, trade was accordiated to the flowing information of these site. 	
trade was essential to the flourishing of these city-	
states and the development of their economies; the ancient Greeks were a seafaring people	
 Know that Athens and Sparta had different laws, 	
money andrulers; the two cities were rivals	
Know that democracy is a form of government	
in which thegovernment is controlled to some	
extent by the people wholive there; it usually	
requires that people vote to make important	
decisions	
Know that Athens was a city-state that for periods	
implemented the first example of a democracy	
(demos - people; cracy - rule); however Athens's	
democracy was very limited as only adult men; this	
means that women, childrenand enslaved people were not permitted to vote	
 Know that Athenians valued art and architecture 	
 Know that Sparta was a city-state that was not a 	
democracy; it was ruled by two kings at the same	
time supported by a few other people who made	
all of the important decisions Know that	
Spartans valued military strength	

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