

Whitemoor Academy

History progression map

How this document is to be used:

During planning for the teaching of History the following document will support staff in ensuring coverage of the National Curriculum objectives for their year groups/phases as well as how History should progress as pupils move up the school.

Learning objectives should, where possible, be copied from the skills bank below to ensure progression.

Breadth of	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
Study Chronological Understanding	Know some things that happened to me in the past.	Sequence some events or related objects in order	Order 3 or more people, events or using a given scale.	Use timelines to place events in order. Understand that timeline can be divided into BC and AD.	Name and place dates of significant events from past on a timeline	Use timelines to place and sequence local, national and international events. Sequence historical periods.	Use timelines to place events, periods and cultural movements from around the world.	
	Talk about past and present events in their own lives and in lives of family members Use every day language related to time e.g. old, new, young, days,	Use common words and phrases relating to the passing of time e.g. old, new, young, days, months, today, yesterday, tomorrow Recount parts of stories and memories about the past	e.g. recently, before, after, now, later, past, present Recount changes in own life over time es and last ldentify similarities and differences between periods	Recount changes in own life over time	century, decade. century, decade, BC, AD, a before, during. Divide recent history into using 21st century, and the	Use historical vocabulary e.g. century, decade, BC, AD, after, before, during. Divide recent history into present, using 21 st century, and the past using 19 th and 20 th centuries.	Describe events using historical vocabulary e.g. century, decade, BC, AD, after, before, during, Tudors, Stuarts, Victorians, era,	Use timelines to demonstrate changes and developments in culture, technology, religion and society. Use key periods as reference points e.g. BC, AD Romans,
	today, yesterday, tomorrow Know some things tha	Know some things that happened to other people in the past.		Note	Note connections, contrasts and trends over time.	Identifies changes within and across historical periods. Describe the main changes in a	Anglo-Saxons, Tudors, Stuarts, Georgians, Victorians and Today Describe main changes in a perio	
	Crems					period in history using historical vocabulary such as 'Social', 'religious', 'political', 'technological' and 'cultural'.	in history using historical vocabulary such as: social, religious, political, technological and cultural.	
							Recall the date of any significant event studied from past and place it correctly on a timeline.	
Knowledge and understanding of past events, people and changes in the past	With my teacher, find out some facts about people long ago. (Before living memory.)	and present in own and other people's lives teacher, find out some at events that happened (Before living memory) at why people may have	Use information to describe the past. Use information to describe differences between then and now. Recount main points from a significant event in history.	Use evidence to describe past e.g. Houses and settlements, Culture and leisure activities, Clothes, way of life and actions of people, Buildings and their uses, Show knowledge and understanding by describing features of past societies and periods.	understanding by describing features of past societies and	Identify some social, cultural, religious and ethnic diversities of societies studied in Britain and wider world.	Choose reliable sources of factual evidence to describe: houses and settlements; culture and leisure activities; clothes, wa of life and actions of people;	
	facts about events that happened long ago. (Before living memory) Talk about why people may have			People's beliefs and attitudes, Things of importance to people Differences between lives of rich and poor	Identify some ideas, beliefs, attitudes and experiences of men, women and children from the past.	Give some causes and consequences of the main events, situations and changes in the periods studied.	buildings and their uses; people's beliefs, religion and attitudes; things of importance to people; differences between lives of rich and poor.	
	acted as they did.		Uses evidence to explain reasons why people in past acted as they did.	Use evidence to find out how any of these may have changed during a time period.	Give reasons why changes in houses, culture, leisure, clothes, buildings and their uses, things of importance to people ways of	Identify changes and links within and across the time periods studied.	Identify how any of above may have changed during a time period.	

Chronological Jnderstanding	Know some things that happened to me in the past.	Sequence some events or related objects in order	Order 3 or more people, events or using a given scale.	Use timelines to place events in order. Understand that timeline can be divided into BC and AD.	Name and place dates of significant events from past on a timeline	Use timelines to place and sequence local, national and international events.	Use timelines to place events, periods and cultural movements from around the world.
	Talk about past and present events in their own lives and in lives of family members Use every day language related to time e.g. old, new, young, days, today, yesterday, tomorrow Order and sequence familiar events.	Use common words and phrases relating to the passing of time e.g. old, new, young, days, months, today, yesterday, tomorrow Recount parts of stories and memories about the past Know some things that happened to other people in the past.	Use simple historical vocabulary e.g. recently, before, after, now, later, past, present Recount changes in own life over time Identify similarities and differences between periods	Use historical vocabulary e.g. century, decade.	Use historical vocabulary e.g. century, decade, BC, AD, after, before, during. Divide recent history into present, using 21st century, and the past using 19th and 20th centuries. Note connections, contrasts and trends over time.	Describe events using historical vocabulary e.g. century, decade, BC, AD, after, before, during, Tudors, Stuarts, Victorians, era, period. Identifies changes within and across historical periods. Describe the main changes in a period in history using historical vocabulary such as 'Social', 'religious', 'political', 'technological' and 'cultural'.	Use timelines to demonstrate changes and developments in culture, technology, religion and society. Use key periods as reference points e.g. BC, AD Romans, Anglo-Saxons, Tudors, Stuarts, Georgians, Victorians and Today. Describe main changes in a period in history using historical vocabulary such as: social, religious, political, technological and cultural.
							Recall the date of any significant event studied from past and place it correctly on a timeline.
Knowledge and understanding of past events, people and changes in the past	With my teacher, find out some facts about people long ago. (Before living memory.) With my teacher, find out some facts about events that happened long ago. (Before living memory) Talk about why people may have acted as they did.	Tell the difference between past and present in own and other people's lives	Use information to describe the past. Use information to describe differences between then and now. Recount main points from a significant event in history. Uses evidence to explain reasons why people in past acted as they did.	Use evidence to describe past e.g. Houses and settlements, Culture and leisure activities, Clothes, way of life and actions of people, Buildings and their uses, People's beliefs and attitudes, Things of importance to people Differences between lives of rich and poor Use evidence to find out how any of these may have changed during a time period. Describe similarities and differences between people, events and objects Show changes on a timeline	Show knowledge and understanding by describing features of past societies and periods. Identify some ideas, beliefs, attitudes and experiences of men, women and children from the past. Give reasons why changes in houses, culture, leisure, clothes, buildings and their uses, things of importance to people, ways of life, beliefs and attitudes may have occurred during a time period. Describe how some of the past events/people affect life today.	Identify some social, cultural, religious and ethnic diversities of societies studied in Britain and wider world. Give some causes and consequences of the main events, situations and changes in the periods studied. Identify changes and links within and across the time periods studied.	Choose reliable sources of factual evidence to describe: houses and settlements; culture and leisure activities; clothes, way of life and actions of people; buildings and their uses; people's beliefs, religion and attitudes; things of importance to people; differences between lives of rich and poor. Identify how any of above may have changed during a time period. Give own reasons why changes may have occurred, backed up with evidence. Show identified changes on a timeline. Describe similarities and differences between some

							Describe how some changes affect life today.
							Make links between some features of past societies.
Historical interpretation	With my teacher, look at books to help me find out about the past. Listen to stories about the past.	Begin to identify and recount some details from the past from sources eg. pictures, stories	Look at books and pictures (and eye-witness accounts, photos, artefacts, buildings and visits, internet).	Look at 2 versions of same event and identify differences in the accounts.	Give reasons why there may be different accounts of history.	Look at different versions of the same event and identify differences in the accounts.	Understand that the past has been represented in different ways.
			Understand why some people in the past did things			Give clear reasons why there may be different accounts of history.	Suggest accurate and plausible reasons for how/why aspects of the past have been represented
			and pass one armige			Know that people (now and in past) can represent events or	and interpreted in different ways.
						ideas in ways that persuade others.	Know and understand that some evidence is propaganda, opinion or misinformation and that this affects interpretations of history.
Historical Enquiry	Look at pictures and discuss, "Which things are old and which are new?"	Find answers to simple questions about the past from sources of information (eg. pictures, stories)	Look carefully at pictures or objects to find information about the past.	Use printed sources, the internet, pictures, photos, music, artefacts, historic buildings and visits to	Understand the difference between primary and secondary sources of evidence.	Use documents, printed sources, the internet, databases, pictures, photos, music, artefacts, historic buildings and visits to collect information about the past.	Identify and use different sources of information and artefacts.
	Answer questions about events, using 'before' and 'after' to		Ask and answer questions such as: 'what was it like for a?',	collect information about the past.	Use documents, printed sources, the internet, databases, pictures,		Evaluate the usefulness and accurateness of different sources of evidence.
	describe when something happened.		'what happened in the past?', 'how long ago did happen?',	Ask questions such as 'how did people? What did people do	photos, music, artefacts, historic buildings and visits to collect	Ask a range of questions about the past.	
				for?'	information about the past.		Select the most appropriate source of evidence for particular
	Look at objects from the past and discuss , "What were they used for?" and try to answer.		Estimate the ages of people by studying and describing their features.	Suggest sources of evidence to	Ask questions such as 'what was it like for a during?'	Choose reliable sources of evidence to answer questions.	tasks. Form own opinion about
	Look at pictures from the past and			use to help answer questions	Suggest sources of evidence from	Realise that there is often not a single answer to historical	historical events from a range of sources.
	discuss, "What were people doing?"				a selection provided to use to help answer questions.	questions.	
Organisation and	Sort events or objects into groups (Then and now.)	Show knowledge and understanding about the past in different ways (eg. role play, drawing, writing, talking).	Describe objects, people and events.	Present findings about past using speaking, writing, computing and drawing skills Use dates and terms with increasing accuracy.	Present findings about past using speaking, writing, maths (statistics), computing, drama and drawing skills	Present structured and organised findings about the past using speaking, writing, maths, computing, drama and drawing skills.	Present information in an organised and clearly structured way.
communication	Say when my birthday is.		Write own date of birth.				Make use of different ways of
	Use simple time lines to order events or objects.		Write simple stories and recounts about the past.		Use dates and terms correctly.	Use dates and terms accurately.	presenting information.
	Tell stories about the past.		Draw labelled diagrams and write	Discuss different ways of presenting information for	Discuss most appropriate way to	Choose most appropriate way to	Present information in the most appropriate way (eg written
	(Sometimes using role-play.) Write in sentences things I have found out about the past.		about them to tell others about people, events and objects from the past.	different purposes.	present information, realising that it is for an audience.	present information to an audience	explanation/tables and charts/labelled diagram).
					Use subject specific words such as monarch, settlement, invader.		Make accurate use of specific dates and terms.
	Draw pictures and write about them to tell others' about the						
	past.						