History Key Vocabulary Progression

Below are the vocabulary lists for history. These give an indication of the words that we want children to become familiar with during each year group. They are not intended as a test list but show the kind of language staff will use and explain in lessons to broaden pupils' historical vocabulary and understanding.

(Vocabulary pooled from the National Curriculum, Focus Education Challenge Curriculum, History Association guidance alongside other teaching support/planning sources. Please note – Lists are not exhaustive and may differ in age groups should conversations arise within learning.)

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	Nursery							Rece	ption			
	What makes me special? - Families and special people	What do I celebrate? - origins of celebrations. - family celebrations	Can you tell me a tale? Traditional Tales - historical houses and living, similarity and difference.	What do you see on the farm? - growth and changes	Who are our helping heroes? - origins of emergency services - famous figures who help/helped others	Where shall we travel to? (Pirates and Far Away Lands) - history of transport - differences / changes in time	Who am I? What is important to me? - lives of familiar people - emergency services, what do they look like past and present.	Where will my imaginatio n take me? historical houses and living. Similaritie s and difference s		Do you want to be a Knight? How do people of the past get around? - changes in history/ compare and contrast past and present - changes in transport		Do I want to be a pirate? -changes in history/ compare and contrast past and present - changes in transport
Vocabulary which will be encouraged and supported across the department	Before Next After Past Now Present Today Yesterday The future What? When? remember	- Outstanding			A long time Once upon a Same/differ Change compare People Lives Old Day Memory Where?	a time			History Old/new Question Who? Find out Use of s taste, so Tomorro Month Year Clue	n enses – touch ee	n, hear, s	mell,

The following vocabulary appears on Knowledge Organisers. Vocabulary supported and explored in addition to revisiting previous vocabulary and prior learning	Who were and are the famous in Manchester and the UK? (Significant historical events, people and places in their locality-Hi1/1.4)	What was my Grandparents childhood like? (Changes within Living Memory – Hi1/1.1)	What lessons have we learnt from the Great Fire of London? (Events beyond living memory that are significant nationally or globally - Hi1/1.2)	How have Victorian Inventions Influenced our lives today? (Events Beyond Living Memory - Hi1/1.2)	Who are the famous people who have made an impact on the world? (The lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements. Some should be used to compare aspects of life in different periods – Hi1/1.3)	Why were Neil Armstrong and Christopher Columbus brave people? (The lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements. Some should be used to compare aspects of life in different periods – Hi1/1.3)	
Investigate and interoperate the past Build and overview of world history Understand chronology	famous UK Celebrity Decade Century Suffragette Significant person pandemic	Decade Beatles Moon Landing Crackerjack Blackboard Wooden toys Skipping Marbles Snakes and ladders	The Stuarts Pudding Lane Plague Diary Samuel Pepys Bakery Thames Thomas Farynor Drought	Invention Inventor Gramophone Farthing Postage Stamp Industrial Revolution Factory Exhibition	significant Equality Courageous Racism WW1 The Crimean War Treason Government Unsanitary Founder Improved Influential Infection	Famous Significant Explorer Exploration Apollo 11 NASA Chronological Navigator Astronaut Courageous Aeronautical engineer	
Communicate Historically	Use words and phrases such as: a long time ago, recently, when my parents/carers were children, years, decades and centuries to describe the passing of time. • Show an understanding of the concept of nation and a nation's history. • Show an understanding of concepts such as civilisation, monarchy, parliament, democracy, and war and peace.						











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The following vocabulary appears on Knowledge Organisers. Vocabulary supported and explored in addition to revisiting previous vocabulary and prior learning	How did Britain change between the beginning of the Stone Age and the end of the Iron Age. (Stone Age to the Iron Age – Hi2/2.1)	Why was the Ancient Egyptian civilisation ahead of it's time? (Achievements of the Earliest Civilisations - Hi2/2.3)	How has Altrincham changed over time? (Local History – Hi2/2.6)	What did the Ancient Greeks bring to the world? (A study of Greek life and achievements and influences on the western world – Hi2/2.8)	How did Britain change between the end of the Iron Age and the end of Roman Occupation? (Roman Empire – Hi2/2.2)	How did Manchester grow to be one of the leading cities? (Local History - Hi2/2.6)
Investigate and interoperate the past Build and overview of world history Understand chronology	archeologists Artefact Neolithic BCE/CE Chronology Tribal Hunter-gatherers Civilisation Settlement Prey Bronze iron	archeologists Pharaohs Tombs Pyramid Hieroglyphs Vizier Scribe Sarcophagus Mummy Papyrus Scarab civilisation	Evidence Agriculture Market trade industrial Domesday Book Aldhere's People Homestead The Unicorn Hotel Entail bequeath Watling Gate Heritage Locality District Parish Community region	philosopher Athenians Spartans Democracy Olympics Parthenon Truce Zeus Loincloth Apollo Sacred truce temple	centurion Emperor Aqueduct gladiator Londinium Conquer invade Romanisation Senate Roman baths	Peterloo Massacre Trafford Centre Mamucium Cottonopolis Industrial Revolution Henry Hunt Cotton Exchange Manchester Ship Canal Metropolitan Legacy
Communicate Historically	Use appropriate histo dates	rical vocabulary to comm	unicate, including:			





Historically







• time period

• era

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The following vocabulary appears on Knowledge Organisers. Vocabulary supported and explored in addition to revisiting previous vocabulary and prior learning	How did Britain change between the end of the Roman Occupation and 1066? (Anglo-Saxons and Scots – Hi2/2.3) (Anglo-Saxons and Vikings – Hi2/2.4)	Who were the Mayans and what have we learnt? (Hi2/9 Non- European study)	How has crime and punishment changed through the ages? (Extended Chronological Study Hi2/6)	Why was the British Empire created and what was it's impact on the world? (Hi2/2.6 Extended chronological Study)	What has been the impact of the World Wars on Britain? (Hi2/2.6 Extended chronological Study)	What has been the impact of immigration over the past 100 years? (Hi2/2.6 Extended chronological Study)
Investigate and interoperate the past Build and overview of world history Understand chronology	archaeologist Anglo-Saxon kingdoms Danelaw Raids Exile Invade Longship Kingdom Outlawed Pillaged Pagen Picts Scots Angles Saxons	Chichen Itza Itzamma Codices Civilsation Bateb Kukulcan Ritual Scribes Maize Cacao Beans Ahau or Ahaw	Blasphemy Weregild Assizes Pillory Torture Bobbies / peelers Deterrent Execution Humiliation Trial Judge Jury Treason Exile	Slave Slavery Discrimination Slave trade Triangular trade Empire commonwealth Transportation ships Exploitation Colony Act of Parliament	Axies Allies Nazi Evacuation Evacuee Blitz Invaded Refugees Rationing Air raid shelter Commemorate No Mans Land Blackout Propaganda Armistice Day Conscription	immigration Prejudice Citizenship Opposition Windrush Generation Migration Nationality Immigrant Migrant Refugee Asylum Expelled
Communicate Historically	Use appropriate histodatestime period	rical vocabulary to c	ommunicate, including:			

- time period
- era
- chronology
- continuity
- change
- century
- decade
- legacy.
- Use literacy, numeracy and computing skills to a exceptional standard in order to communicate information about the past.
 Use original ways to present information and ideas.



Extra Vocabulary for KS1 and KS2 (None Topic Specific)

Throughout the key stages, we aim for children to be exposed to and have an awareness of this vocabulary on a number of occasions, building on prior learning and develop a wealth of historical vocabulary over their time at Park Road.

ΔD Christianity Agriculture Chronology Ancient Civilations Colony Conquest Archeology Aristocracy Continuity Artefact Court Crusade BC BCE (Before Common Era Dark Ages Bronze Age Decade Calendar Discovery Causation Diversity Century Emigrant Change Emperor Church Empire Execution

Explorer
Global
Gods/Goddesses
Heresy
Hunter-Gatherer
Immigrant
International
Interpretation
Invasion
Invention
Iron Age
Islam
King/Queen
Local
Long Ago

Metal-Working Prehistory Primary Evidence Migration Missionary Rebellion Republic Monarchy Monastery Revolt Museum Sacrifice Myths and Legends Secondary Evidence Nation Settler Nomad Significance Oral History Slave Stone Age Parliament Torture Past Present Treason Peasant Traitor Pope Yesterday

(Vocabulary List from Primary History 69)

Yr 1	Υ	Yr 2		3	Yr 4	
Year Decad Ancient Moder Timeline Date of Different Becaus Living memory Remer Toys Materi Plastic Simple Inventions Homes Grandparents' time Drawing Betective Photog What? Opinio Century When. Long ago Import Similar wood Houses Mecha Where? treason	n Era/period order Secret se Danger mbers Explorers lals Encounter e Impact Travel der Significant ation Brave graph Pioneer nn Storm? Rescue tant Danger Survive nical Memorial Investigate act Research	Experts Historians Letters Newspapers Websites Detective Opinion Artefact What? When? Where?	Anachronism Chronological order Era/period BCE (Before Common Era) CE (common Era) BC (Before Christ) AD (Anno Domini) Millennium Thousands of years Religion Spirits Sacrifice Effects Reason May be This suggests First hand evidence Second hand evidence Museum Why? Who,.,,? What? Where? When?	Invention Archeologist Archeology Sources Importance Significance Legacy Impact changes Perhaps Could be Myths and legends Oral history	Anachronism Chronological order Era/period BCE (Before Common Era) CE (common Era) BC (Before Christ) AD (Anno Domini) Millennium Thousands of years Empire Invasions Civilisation Roman invasion Conversations Christianity Reputation Raids Resistance Why? Who,? Where? When?	Settlers migration Culture Achievements Legacy Democracy Impact Effects Consequences Change Continuity Cause/s Infer Suggests My conclusion is that Historian Archeologist Archeology First hand evidence Second hand evidence Myths and legends





















