

Skills and Knowledge Progression - Themes supported and developed from the Historical Association.

Key Skills	Understanding and using knowledge of past events.	Using chronology and vocabulary correctly.	Being able to compare and contrast periods/events/place s.	Using and applying a range of primary and secondary resources.	Developing empathy and a understanding of the past.
	Skill 1	Skill 2	Skill 3	Skill 4	Skill 5
End of KS1	I can talk about events in my own life. I can talk about some events about of living people. I can know about some significant people from the past.	I can put events in chronological order on a simple timeline. I can use words relating to the passing of time.	I can ask questions about different topics studied. I can make simple comparisons between different topics studied or known about.	I can use a different range of historical evidence to draw simple conclusions from them. I understand why some evidence survives.	I can suggest simple reasons to explain how people behaved in the past. I can consider how different people's lives would have been to ours.
End of LKS2	I can talk about some main events in UK history. I can talk about some main events in the history of the world. I know about many key events of the past.	I can use more advanced terminology relating to periods of time. I can put events into different periods or eras on a timeline.	I can describe some similarities and differences between periods studied. I can begin to evaluate the strengths and weaknesses of different periods studied.	I can use a range of sources of information to find answers to questions. I can begin to select relevant information to support findings and ask questions.	I can begin to suggest some causes and consequences for main events and changes. I can consider why people in the past behaved and evaluate their choices.
When I leave school as 'The Bawburgh Historian' I know	I know about many significant events in history and the UK and across the world. I know about many of the key historical events of the past.	I can show a secure chronological understanding using the full range of terminology taught. I can place events onto a chronological framework with more accuracy and making simple links.	I will describe similarities and differences between periods studied. I will be able to make justified evaluations of characteristics of different periods studied or known, drawing upon details.	I know how to use more independent research skills to find answers to historical questions. I understand that not all evidence could be reliable and begin to be able to evaluate this.	I can suggest causes for historical events with some plausible historical reasoning. I can understand that sources of evidence can show bias and have an understanding of why this is. I can write from the perspective of past people.

Tier 3 Subject Specific Vocabulary to be embedded and revisited throughout the study of learning in The Bawburgh School.

agriculture, ancient, archaeology, aristocracy, artefact, AD, BC, century, change, chronology, colony, conquest, decade, democracy, discovery, emigrant, emperor, empire, execution, explorer, global, hunter-gatherer, immigrant, international, invasion, invention, local,



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migration, missionary, monarchy, nation, oral history, parliament, prehistory, primary evidence, rebellion, republic, revolt, sacrifice, secondary evidence, settler, slave, traitor, treason

We believe these life skills and knowledge base are important because:

- We want our children to leave Bawburgh with a coherent knowledge and understanding of Britain's past and the wider world.
- We want our children to be curious and ask perceptive questions.
- We want our children to be able to think critically, weigh evidence and sift arguments.
- We want our children to understand the complexities of people's lives, the diversity of societies and relationships between different groups.