

History Skills Year 2

Expected by End of Year 2

Chronological Understanding

Skills

- Recount changes in own life over time
- Puts 3 people, events or objects in order using a given scale.
- Uses words and phrases such as recently, before, after, now, later.
- Uses past and present when telling others about an event.

Outcomes by End of KS1

- *I know where the people and events I have studied fit on a basic timeline.*
- *I can tell you a few similarities and differences between ways of life at different times. I can name a few people in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements.*
- *I can put a few objects or events in the correct order they happened.*

Knowledge and Understanding *(past events, people and changes in the past)*

Skills

- Uses information to describe the past.
- Uses information to describe differences between then and now.
- Recounts main events from a significant event in history.
- Uses evidence to explain reasons why people in past acted as they did.

Outcomes by End of KS1

- *I can tell you about some of the people or events from my work*
- *I can give more than one cause of an event and give a reason why people in the past acted as they did.*

Historical Interpretation

Skills

- Looks at books and pictures (and eye-witness accounts, photos, artefacts, buildings and visits, internet).
- Understands why some people in the past did things.

Outcomes by End of KS1

- *I understand some of the ways in which we find out about the past.*
I can tell you a few ways how the past has been presented or described.

Historical Enquiry

Skills

- Looks carefully at pictures or objects to find information about the past.
- Asks and answers questions such as: 'what was it like for a?', 'what happened in the past?', 'how long ago did happen?',
- Estimates the ages of people by studying and describing their features.

Outcomes by End of KS1

- *I can ask and answer questions, choosing & using parts of stories and other sources of information to show I know and understand key features of events.*