

Pupils should be taught about:	EYFS		Year 1		Year 2	
	Learning objectives	Skills/Vocabulary	Learning objectives	Skills/Vocabulary	Learning objectives	Skills/Vocabulary
changes within living memory. Where appropriate, these should be used to reveal aspects of change in national life	To identify changes within their own living memory (e.g. All about me)		To order events chronologically using pictorial clues (e.g. W, W and A) Develop an awareness	Today,	To sequence an event chronologically (e.g. GFoL) Develop an awareness	Today,
	Develop an awareness of the past, using common words and phrases relating to the passing of time.	Today, yesterday, tomorrow, before, after, a long time ago	of the past, using common words and phrases relating to the passing of time.	yesterday, tomorrow, before, after, a long time ago, recently, in the past, present, years, decade, century	of the past, using common words and phrases relating to the passing of time.	yesterday, tomorrow, before, after, a long time ago, recently, in the past, present, years, decade, century, dates of events
events beyond living memory that are significant nationally or			To understand the significance of a		To understand and explain the significance	
globally [for example, the Great Fire of London, the first			historical event e.g. the Gunpowder Plot		of a historical event e.g. The Great Fire of	
aeroplane flight or events commemorated through festivals or anniversaries]			(national); the invention of vehicles (global)		London (national); Remembrance Day (global)	
significant historical events, people and places in their own locality.	To ask questions to find out about the past To explore, observe and		To ask and answer questions about the past.		To ask and answer questions about the past and express a viewpoint.	
	make comparisons		To use artefacts, pictures, stories, eye-		Use artefacts, pictures,	
			witness accounts, online sources and databases to		stories, eye-witness accounts, online sources and databases to find	
					out about the past.	



the lives of significant	To talk about their	To find out about a	To find out about a
individuals in the past who have	immediate family and	famous person and talk	famous person by
contributed to national and	what life was like for	about why and how	exploring why and how
international achievements.	them growing up.	they became famous	they became famous.
Some should be used to			
compare aspects of life in		To compare aspects of	To recognise the
different periods [for example,		life in two different	significant impact they
Elizabeth I and Queen Victoria,		periods.	have had nationally or
Christopher Columbus and Neil			internationally.
Armstrong, William Caxton and			
Tim Berners-Lee, Pieter Bruegel			To compare two famous
the Elder and LS Lowry, Rosa			people and their
Parks and Emily Davison, Mary			achievements.
Seacole and/or Florence			
Nightingale and Edith Cavell]			