

St. Edward'sCatholic Primary School Skills Progression



Skills	EYFS	Year 1	Year 2		
Chronology	 Begin to differentiate between past and present. 	Sequence events or objects in chronological order- (All)	 Sequence artefacts closer together in time. (OU) Sequence events. (GF & OU) Sequence photos etc. from different periods of their life. (All) Describe memories of key events in lives. (OU) 		
Range and Depth of Historical Knowledge	 Show interest in the lives of people familiar to them. 	 Begin to describe similarities and differences in artefacts. (FH & T) Drama – why people did things in the past. Use a range of sources to find out characteristic features of the past (T) 	 Find out about people and events in other times. (AII) Collections of artefacts – confidently describe similarities and differences. (FM & GF) Drama – develop empathy and understanding (hot seating, sp. and listening). (FM & GF) 		
Interpretations of History		 Begin to identify different ways to represent the past (e.g. photos, stories, adults talking about the past). 	 Compare pictures or photographs of people or events in the past. (AII) Able to identify different ways to represent the past 		
Historical Enquiry		 Sort artefacts "then" and "now". (FH & T) Use as wide a range of sources as possible Speaking and listening (links to literacy). Ask and answer questions related to different sources and objects. 	 Use a source – why, what, who, how, where to ask questions and find answers. (All) Sequence a collection of artefacts. (FM & GF) Time line (All) Discuss the effectiveness of sources. (FM & GF) 		
Organisation and Communication		 As before with increasing detail Time lines (3D with objects/ sequential pictures) Drawing Drama/role play Writing (reports, labelling, simple recount) Computing 	 As before Class display/ museum Annotated photographs ICT 		
Project Themes	People & Communities	My Family History (Autumn 1) = FH The Greatest Explorers (Spring 1) = GE Great Inventions: Transport (Summer 1) = T	Florence Nightingale & Mary Seacole (Autumn 1) – FM Great Fire of London (Spring 1) = GF Overview unit: Our Local Heroes (Summer 1) = OU		

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Skills	Year 3	Year 4
Chronology	 Place the time studied on a time line. (\$A & B) Sequence events or artefacts. (All) Use dates related to the passing of time. (All) 	 Place events from period studied on a time line. (AII) Use terms related to the period and begin to date events. (AII) Understand more complex terms e.g. BC/AD (AII)
Range and Depth of Historical Knowledge	 Find out about everyday lives of people in time studied. (R & \$A) Compare with our life today. (\$A) Identify reasons for and results of people's actions. (\$A & B) Understand why people may have had to do something. (\$A) 	 Use evidence to reconstruct life in time studied. (All) Identify key features and events. (All) Look for links and effects in time studied. (All) Offer a reasonable explanation for some events. (All)
Interpretations of History	 Identify and give reasons for different ways in which the past is represented. (All) Distinguish between different sources and evaluate their usefulness. (All) Look at representations of the period – museum, cartoons, etc. (\$A & B) 	 Look at the evidence available. (AII) Begin to evaluate the usefulness of different sources. (AII) Use of text books and historical knowledge. (AII)
Historical Enquiry	 Use a range of sources to find out about a period. Observe small details – artefacts, pictures. Select and record information relevant to the study. Begin to use the library, e-learning for research. Ask and answer questions. 	 Use evidence to build up a picture of a past event. Choose relevant material to present a picture of one aspect of life in time past. Ask a variety of questions. Use the library, e-learning for research.
Organisation and Communication	 Communicate knowledge and understanding in a variety of ways – discussions, pictures, writing, annotations, drama, mode 	 Select data and organise it into a data file to answer historical questions. Know the period in which the study is set. Display findings in a variety of ways. Work independently and in groups.
Project Themes	Local History: Roads (Autumn 1) = R Stone Age to Iron Age (Spring 1) = SA Benin (Summer 1) = B	The ancient Egyptians (Autumn 1) = E The ancient Greeks (Spring 1) = G Overview unit: Contrasting Civilisations (Summer 1) = OU

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Skills	Year 5	Year 6
Chronology	 Know and sequence key events of time studied. (R & A\$) Use relevant terms and period labels. (All) Relate current studies to previous studies. (All) Make comparisons between different times in history. (All) 	 Place current study on time line in relation to other studies. (All) Use relevant dates and terms. (All) Sequence up to ten events on a time line. (W)
Range and Depth of Historical Knowledge	 Study different aspects of life of different people – differences between men and women. (M & R) Examine causes and results of great events and the impact on people. (R) Compare life in early and late times studied. (All) Compare an aspect of life with the same aspect in another period. (R) 	 Find about beliefs, behaviour and characteristics of people, recognising that not everyone shares the same views and feelings. (V & W) Compare beliefs and behaviour with another period studied. (V & W) Write another explanation of a past event in terms of cause and effect using evidence to support and illustrate their explanation. (OU) Know key dates, characters and events of time studied. (AII)
Interpretations of History	 Compare accounts of events from different sources. Fact or fiction. (R & A\$) Offer some reasons for different versions of events. (R & A\$) 	 Link sources and work out how conclusions were arrived at. (W & OU) Consider ways of checking the accuracy of interpretations – fact or fiction and opinion. (W) Be aware that different evidence will lead to different conclusions. (W & OU) Confident use of the library etc. for research. (All)
Historical Enquiry	 Begin to identify primary and secondary sources. Use evidence to build up a picture of life in time studied. Select relevant sections of information. Confident use of library, e-learning, research. 	 Recognise primary and secondary sources. Use a range of sources to find out about an aspect of time past. Suggest omissions and the means of finding out. Bring knowledge gathering from several sources together in a fluent account.
Organisation and Communication	 Fit events into a display sorted by theme time. Use appropriate terms, matching dates to people and events. Record and communicate knowledge in different forms work independently and in groups showing initiative. 	 Select aspect of study to make a display. Use a variety of ways to communicate knowledge and understanding including extended writing. Plan and carry out individual investigations.
Project Themes	The Maya Civilisation (Autumn 1) = M Roman Britain (Spring 1) = R The Anglo- Saxons (Summer 1) = AS	The Vikings (Autumn 1) = V The Impact of war (Spring 1) = W Overview unit: Journeys (Summer 1) = OU



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