



## History Vocabulary Ladder

EYFS

In EYFS, we expect children to understand and use the following words or their associated meanings:

Now, next, after, day, night, today, week, month, long ago, tomorrow, yesterday, story time, dinner time, home time, days of the week, months of the year, weekend, spring, summer, autumn, winter, baby, child, teenager, baby, child, teenager, adult, frow, change, grandparent, old, new, who

### Autumn

### Spring

### Summer

Year 1

#### Toys

#### Transport

#### The Seaside

History Order Toys Change

Transport Passengers Steam engine

Victorian Long ago Living memory

Smart toy Digital Gender Time

Railway Museum Station

Remember Lifetime Photograph

Timeline Sequence Smartphone

Platform Vehicles Carriages

Modern Opinion Older Oldest

Different Tablet Computer

Harbour Marina Moorings

Games Years Similar Decade

Conductor Compare Contrast

Inventions

Year 2	<b>Significant People</b> Lifeboat    Rescue    Row    Shipwreck Rocks    Islands    Local    National International    Achievements Chronological order    Safety lamp Miners    Race    Fastest Electricity    Influence    Recount	<b>Significant People</b> Explorer    Significant    Pioneer Space    New World    Merchant Voyage    Mission    Native    Historian Navigate    Discover    Astronaut Planet    Old World    Trade Compass    Universe    Inhabitants	<b>Significant People</b> War    Nurse    Living conditions Soldiers    Hygiene Medal    Hospital    Injury
	<b>Stone Age to Bronze Age</b> Stone Age    Cave    Caveman/woman Misconception    Chronological    Evidence Archaeologist    Palaeontologist    Era /period Extinct    Mammoth    Eroded    Excavation Reconstruction    Vegetation    Palaeolithic Neolithic    Flint    Harpoon    Nomadic Hunter-gatherer    Stonehenge    Remains Burial    Ancient    Decayed    Memorial Artefacts    Monument    Life expectancy B.C.E (Before the Common Era) C.E (The Common Era) B.C (Before Christ) A.D (Anno Domini)    Millennium	<b>Bronze Age to Iron Age</b> Bronze Age    Pottery    Roundhouse    Britons Celts    Tribe    Europe    Village Warrior    Woad    Shield    Sword Hill Fort    Settlement    Druid    Torc Bracae    Spear    Arrow    Quiver Community    Population Gods / Goddesses    Archer Copper    Chisel    Axe Proof    Solstice	<b>The Romans</b> Rome    Romans    Roman Empire Emperor    Empress Invasion    Motives    Ruled Assemble    Army    Leather hides Gallery    Gladiators    Amphitheatre Impose    Battle    Civilization Consequence    Taxes    Protect Temple    Retreat    Secondary Primary    Evidence

Year 4	<b>The Anglo-Saxons</b> Anachronism    Anglo-Saxon Defend   Nun    Mound   Fortress Monk    Homeland    Persecuted Cremation pot    Runes	<b>The Vikings</b> Slaughter    Viking    Norsemen Tyranny    Helmet    Longships Scandinavia    Horn cup    Freeman Slave    Myth    Migration    Invasion	<b>The Battle of Hastings</b> Norman    English    Charge Armour    Retreat    Cavalry
Year 5	<b>Coalmining</b> The Industrial Revolution    Child labour Mills/factories    Reformers    Legislation Slums    Epidemics    Evaluate Accurate    Colliery    Pit pony Local history	<b>Ancient Greeks</b> Primary evidence    Secondary evidence Trojan    Troy    Surrender Battering Ram    Factual    Procession Negotiation    Authentic	<b>Boudicca (Year 3 Romans)</b> Rome    Romans    Roman Empire Emperor    Empress    Invasion    Motives Ruled    Assemble    Army    Retreat Impose    Battle    Civilization Consequence    Temple    Taxes    Protect Primary    Secondary    Evidence
Year 6	<b>Shipbuilding</b> Sources    Change    Cause    Similarity Difference    Significance Connections    Contrasts    Trends Argument    Point of View	<b>Ancient Egyptians</b> Tomb    Mummification    Decipher Pyramids    Ancestors    Prosperity Interpret    Afterlife    Nested coffins Sacred	<b>Lindisfarne (Year 4 Vikings)</b> Impression    Purpose    Eyewitness Significance Slaughter    Viking    Norsemen Tyranny    Helmet    Longships Slave    Myth    Migration    Invasion