Killigrew History Knowledge & Skills Progression



	Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Chronological Understanding	Remembers and talks about more recent important events in their own experience. Knows the difference between past and present events in their own lives.	Remembers and talks about significant events in their own experience. Talks about past events in their own lives and the lives of family members. Know some reasons why people's lives were different in the past.	Uses common words and phrases relating to the passing of time. Sequences a growing number of events in their own life. Sequences 3 or 4 artefacts from different time periods (toys)	Sequences the timeline of a significant national event (GFOL). Orders a simple timeline (one linked to living memory, one linked to the time studied and two other significant events)	Sequencing time periods studied on a more complex timeline. Understands the basics of the terms BC/AD. Begins to understand magnitude of time. Use dates and terms related to the unit of study and passing of time.	Place significant taught events artefacts and historical figures on a timeline using dates. Understands that events on a timeline can occur concurrently. Extends understanding of the magnitude of time. Understands the concept of change over time. Place artefacts, events and historical figures on a timeline using dates.	Understands that events on a timeline can occur concurrently and in different locations. Orders significant taught events chronologically. Is able to explain the difference in time between significant events. Identify periods of rapid change in history and contrast them with periods of relatively little change.	Places current study on a timeline in relation to other studies from previous years. Use relevant dates and terms to compare and contrast significant events. Explore the concept of continuity and change over time and represent these on a timeline.
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Range and	Can spot some	Looks closely at	Explains how to	Identifies	Finds out about	Uses evidence to	Uses evidence	Find out about
depth of	similarities and	similarities and	identify that an object	differences	everyday lives	reconstruct	to reconstruct	beliefs,
knowledge	differences	differences	and clothing comes	between places	of people in the	everyday life in	several aspects	behaviour and
Kilowieuge	between	between objects	from the past.	and buildings in	time period	time studied.	of everyday life	characteristics
	objects and	and places.		the past and in	studied		in wider time	of people from
Key themes	places.		Identifies similarities	the present	(including	Explores the	period studied	the past in order
		Talks about	and differences from		occupations	implications of a		to reconstruct
Similarity and	Talks about	similarities and	living memory	Recognises why	from the past).	hierarchical	Explores	many aspects of
difference.	similarities and	differences in		people did		ruling system on	several	everyday life.
	differences in	relation to places,		things, why	Explores the	society and	significant	
Everyday lives -	relation to	people, and	Uses words linked to	events	use and value	everyday lives.	historical	Compare and
clothes, toys,	people and	events.	the past.	happened in a	of objects from		figures from	contrast the
artefacts,	places (home			certain order	the past and	Explores and	the past and	roles of men
education,	and school)	Recognises and	Explores the use of	and what	how they were	describes the	their continued	and women in
homes/settlements,		describes special	objects from the past	happened as a	used in	historical,	and lasting	the past
rich/poor, jobs,	With	times, stories or	and how their use is	result.	different	religious and	influence.	compared to
transport	prompting,	events in their	different today.		occupations.	current		the present
	talks about	own life and the		Uses words		significance of	Examines the	(including
	special times	lives of family	Explores the different	linked to the	Uses a growing	special places in	causes and	occupations)
Religion and beliefs	(celebrations)	members.	occupations from the	past both orally	range of words	the past.	results of	
(special stories)	in their own life		past linked to the	and in writing.	linked to the		significant	Recognises how
	and the lives of	Uses a growing	time period studied.		past.	Identifies the key	events and the	different
Ci vici	family	range of words		Identify		features and	impact on	methods of
Significant	members.	linked to special	Researches a	differences	Recognises	events of time	people.	language and
historical figures		times, stories and	significant historical	between	how language	studied.		communication
	Talks about	events.	figure from the past.	everyday ways	and		Compare life	have changed
Historical terms	familiar jobs			of life at	communication	Explores the	within a given	the course of
Ci vici v	and	Talks about a		different times	has changed	influence of	time period	history.
Significant events	occupations.	more diverse		in the past	over time.	religion and	(early and late	
		range of jobs and		(including		belief on events	times)	Compare
		occupations.		previously learnt	Explores the	from the past.		beliefs and
				information)	historical,		Explores the	behaviour with
		Recognises		compared to the	religious and	Uses words and	historical,	another time
		famous people in		present.	current	phrases linked to	religious and	period studied.
		living memory.		Researches a	significance of	the past in a	current	
				significant	special places in	contextually	significance of	Explores the
				historical figure	the past.	appropriate way.	special places in	historical
				from the past.	Identifies the		the past.	significance of
					reasons for and			key locations in
					results of			the past.

					people's actions Compares and contrasts two significant historical periods. Researches a significant historical figure from the past and explores their influence on the time period.	Identifies the differences between life in the location of the time period studied and the modern day (including occupations) Researches several significant historical figures from the past and explores their influence on the time period.	Suggests what is important for an empire to grow and flourish.	Write an alternative explanation of a past event in terms of cause and effect using evidence to support and illustrate their explanation Explores several significant historical figures from the past and their continued and lasting influence on society.
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Historical	Ask questions	Comments and	Talks about different	Compares two	Identifies and	Uses current	Identifies	Recognises
Interpretation	about aspects	ask questions	ways to find out	versions of a	give reasons for	images and maps	primary and	primary and
and Enquiry	of their world within their	about several aspects of their	about the past.	past event and decides which is	different ways in which the	to extract and interpret	secondary	secondary
	direct	world.	Recognises why	more historically	past is	interpret	sources	sources
	experience.	world.	people did things,	valid.	represented.	about the	Compares	Links a wide
	C. perience.	Re-tells some	why events happened		. cp. cscca.	landscape in the	accounts of	range of sources
	Listens and	familiar stories	and what happened	Explains why a		past.	events from	(diaries,
	responds to	from the past,	as a result.	particular source	Distinguishes		several	pictures,
	stories from	and asks		of information	between the	Uses evidence to	different	photos,
		questions related	Identifies differences	was valuable.	validity of	build up a picture	sources	artefacts, off-
		to the story.	between ways of life		different	of a past event	including fact	site visit
			at different times.		sources to		and fiction.	information and

		Re-telling stories us Labelling diagrams	ing shared story maps	Drawing and popul Ordering cards and	•	Drawing and popul Ordering cards and	•	timeline	
		Ordering cards and	images	information	·	different ways			
	and labelling	Using ICT Populating a timelir	ne	Writing across a ra Using ICT to resea		Writing across a range of genres and viewpoints Using ICT to research and present information in			
	Early writing	Writing		materials	ange of genres	appropriate materials		viouvnoints	
008	Role play	Making models		Making models us	ing different	Making models using self-selected and contextually		d contextually	
through	Drawing	Drama/role play		Drama/role play		Drama/role play/ co			
knowledge	Questions	Drawing pictures		Sketching accurate	e representations	Sketching accurate		tions	
Communicating	Discussion	Discussion		Discussion and del		Discussion and deb			
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					research.		confidence.	research.	
					supported		increasing	extended	
					Use the library and internet for		research with	internet for	
					Lico the library		Uses the library and internet for	Confidently use the library and	
					study.		Ulas a Alas Illas	C f: - +	
					relevant to the		learning.	evidence.	
					information		summarise	omissions to	
					record		information to	possible	
				way.	Select and		sections of	bias and	
				acted in a certain	-		Selects relevant	unconscious	
				past may have	pictures.		,	implications of	
				people in the	photos and		learnt already.	Consider the	
				about why	artefacts,	time past.	what has been	conclusions.	
				conclusions	details in	time past.	and link this to	conclusions.	
				Draws	interpretation. Observe small	aspect of life in	inter information	lead to different	
				stories.	accurate	to present a picture of one	illustrations to infer	different evidence will	
				accounts and	support an	online resources	Use maps and	Explain how	
				photos,	period to	textbooks and			
				reliability of	of the time	most valuable	events.	interpretations.	
				Discusses the	representations	Identifies the	versions of	accuracy of	
	have heard.				various		different	to check the	
	stories they			in the past.	Looks at	period.	reasons for	Consider ways	
	about the		the past.	people or events		an historical time	and offer some		
	questions		people or events in	photographs of	same story.	inferences about	reporting bias	were made.	
	Answers		photographs of	pictures or	versions of the	objects to make	the concept of	conclusions	
	the past.		Compares pictures or	describes	different	artefacts and	Start to explore	assesses how	
	the past.			Compares and	compare	Observes		ICT) to critically	

				Re-telling stories u maps Labelling diagrams		Re-telling stories u Labelling diagrams	sing detailed story maps
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Local history – whose footsteps are you walking in? A focus on settlement change through history	Exploring familiar historical places in their immediate locality i.e. buildings in St Albans. For reception, using topic specific vocabulary to describe i.e. cathedral	Changes to a structure over time (St Alban's Cathedral).	The infrastructure of settlements in medieval times (medieval Tring).	The location and infrastructure of Celtic settlements (Verlamion on the River Ver (St Albans).	The location and development of Verulamium. How the city's infrastructure was established and the position and location of Roman roads.	Hertfordshire in the early Middle Ages. Comparing and contrasting Anglo Saxon town planning with Roman infrastructure. Offa and the St Alban's Abbey. The importance of Watling Street.	Local History: Letchworth and Welwyn: post war new town planning and its impact on the society we live in. Hatfield: air aircraft manufacture in the second world war.