

KS1 History vocabulary @ LPS*

Word	Meaning
AD	Anno Domini – Latin for ' <i>in the year of our lord</i> '. Used to number the years in the calendar after Jesus was born.
BC	Before Christ Used to date the years before Christ was born.
Beyond living memory	A time before people who are alive now can remember.
Within living memory	A time that is remembered by people still alive.
Chronological (date) order	The order that events occurred in from the earliest to the most recent.
Century	A period of 100 years.
Decade	A period of 10 years.
History	The study of the past.
Past	Events that happened previously in time.
Present	The period of time happening now.
Primary source	First hand evidence that comes from the time an historian is studying.
Reliable	A piece of evidence you can trust to be accurate.
Secondary source	Second hand evidence gathered by historians who were not there at the time of the event.
Significance	A person, idea or event that has a long-lasting impact on the world.
Similarity	How an aspect of the past at a similar point in time is the same.

* Topic specific vocabulary will also be taught