# **History Progression of Substantive Knowledge**

#### **P.A.** Power and Authority

Reception	1	2	3	4	5	6
Kings and Queens are rulers of a country.	Know how people's lives and events have shaped Great Britain, for example how the Royal Family has shaped London	<ul> <li>Hierarchy is a way of organising people in society according to how important they are.</li> <li>Historical terms and phrases linked to monarchs include king, queen, sovereign, ruler and reign.</li> <li>In the past, some monarchs had absolute power and could make their own rules and laws.</li> <li>Today we have a constitutional monarch, Charles III, which means that laws are made by parliament, and the King represents the nation.</li> <li>A historical period is the duration of a monarch's reign.</li> </ul>	The Bronze Age was the first time that Britain had a difference between the wealth and status of people because of their access to metal ores. An increase in wealth led to conflicts between tribes and the need for defensive walls. The Roman Empire, expanding from Rome, ruled over most of western and southern Europe.	After the Romans left, many Britons returned to the lifestyles of the Iron Age without towns, money or written records. Anglo-Saxons had to keep law and order, pursuing and punishing criminals themselves. Anglo Saxon kingdoms had their own hierarchy, with the king at the top, then thegns, peasant farmers, ceorls and slaves. The hierarchy of Ancient Sumerian city states had the lugal at the top, followed by priest/esses, upper class professionals, then lower class craftspeople, farmers and slaves. The Ancient Egyptian hierarchy has the pharaoh at the top, followed by the vizier, priests, scribes, soldiers, craftspeople, merchants, peasant farmers and slaves. Historians are unsure of the hierarchy in the Indus Valley because no temples, palaces or large statues have been found.	Ancient Greek city states shared a common language and religion, but were governed differently, had their own cultures and were often at war with one another. Athens was the most powerful ancient Greek city state, with a democracy, judicial system and a powerful navy. It was also a centre for arts and education. Athenians created the first democratic political system in the world - which is still evident in many countries in the world today. During the Shang Dynasty, men and women were not treated as equals. Ancient Athenians had male citizens at the top of the hierarchy, followed by metics and slaves. Misuse of power and poor leadership has caused civilisations to decline. She Shand Dynasty hierarchy had the king at the top, followed by the aristocrats, and so on. Some slaves were offered as human sacrifices.	After slavery was abolished, formerly enslaved people were made to work as apprentices and the enslavers were compensated for the loss of their property. Many forms of resistance, revolt and refusal by enslaved people played a key role in the abolition of slavery. Common traits and motives of leaders and monarchs include accumulating wealth, spreading religious ideologies and acquiring land, power and status.

### T.S. Trade and Settlement

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Reception	1	2	3	4	5	6
People have been living in South Molton for hundreds of years, and the town has changed a lot.	To know the names of some toys were popular. To recognise similarities and differences between toys from the past and toys today. To compare how people lived in the 1950s with our own lives today.	Commemorative buildings, monuments, newspapers and photographs tell us about significant people, events and places in our local community's history.	Understand that Stone Age life was defined by the use of stone for weapons and tools, as well as the transition from hunter-gatherer to farmer lifestyles. Iron Age hillforts were protected settlements containing roundhouses.	In ancient Sumer, thousands of people lived in the cities which contained mud brick public buildings and houses. Ancient Egyptin wealthy people had luxurious lifestyles and lived in comfortable houses while poor people lived in small, flat-roofed houses and specialised in city work or farming. Ancient Sumer was the first civilisation to develop in around 4500BC, with nomads settling because of the food and water readily available in the Fertile Crescent. Ancient Egypt was first settled on the fertile banks of the Nile around 3100BC. Indus Valley traders travelled long journeys paying tolls and taxes as they passed through regions to exchange goods. Use of the Silk Road allowed cultural exchanges between civilisations, including exposure to new art, religion, philosophy, science and language.	Many of the ancient Greek city states had an acropolis, which was a hilltop stronghold, but the most impressive was in Athens.	Emancipated people settled in the country where they had been enslaved or travelled to other countries, which formed the worldwide African diaspora. A variety of kingdoms developed in Africa over the last 6000 years. Many of these kingdoms were powerful, highly-evolved civilisations that created wealth and power from Africa's abundant natural resources, trade and military prowess.

#### I Invasion

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Reception 1	2	3	4	5	6
	Elizabeth I's Royal Navy stopped an invasion by the Spanish Armada in 1558.	The Iron Age in Britain ended after the Roman Invasion in AD 43.The Romans built a network of roads across Britannia to connect the newly Romanised settlements.	Vikings were seafaring warriors from Scandinavia, who launched their first major attack on English soil at Lindisfarne monastery in the 8th century AD. Vikings raided other countries, including Britain, to increase their reputation and wealth.	After defeating the ancient Greeks, the Romans embraced Greek culture, meaning that Greek ideas spread throughout the Roman Empire instead of fading away.	Europeans colonised Africa to take its natural resources, such as gold, ivory and diamonds. Many African countries still experience poverty today because of this. On D-Day, 6th June 1944, over 150,000 Allied troops landed on the coast of France, leading to the country's liberation. The Battle of the Bulge began at the end of 1944 when German troops pushed open a gap in the Allied lines but the Allied Powers pushed back, leading to Germany's surrender in 1945.

## I.T. Innovation and Technology

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Reception	1	2	3	4	5	6
People travelled to the moon in space rockets. Puppets have been used to tell stories all over the world for thousands of years. Vehicles have changed over time. Fairytales show the clothes people used to wear a long time ago.	To know that toys in the past were different to toys today, and begin to discuss why this might be.	Joseph Lister was a 19th century British doctor who discovered that antiseptics kill the germs that cause infections. Christopher Columbus was a 15th century Italian explorer who was the first European to discover the Americas. Neil Armstrong was the first person to walk on the Moon in 1969. This event started a new era of space exploration.	Bronze Age life was defined by the use of bronze to make tools and weapons, and the creation of larger settlements and social hierarchies. Iron Age life was defined by the use of iron to make stronger tools and weapons as well as finer, decorative objects. Farming also became more efficient. Bell Beaker folk introduced metalworking, pottery and new religions to Britain. Know some of the key Roman inventions, such as roads, bridges and aqueducts.	Highly decorated artefacts made of previous materials suggest the owner was wealthy and important.	<ul> <li>Minoans were peaceful farmers, fishermen and traders. Over time, they developed a written language, became skilled artists and built stone palaces.</li> <li>The bronze casting technique in the Shang Dynasty was technologically advanced, enabling craftspeople to make high quality objects, including ritual bronzes for sacrifices and burials.</li> <li>Ideas from ancient Greek philosophers, artists, architects, writers and mathematicians are still studied and used today.</li> <li>The Olympic Games was the greatest sporting event in ancient Greece. It has developed into the modern Olympic Games we have today.</li> <li>The Silk Road was a network of trade routes connecting China's economy because it opened trade links between different civilisations.</li> <li>The Mycenaeans were influenced by the Minoans, so there were similarities in their religious worship, crafts and writing but there were differences in their attitudes toward women and military power.</li> <li>Talk about the achievements of Hippocrates, Cleisthenes, Pericles, Socrates, Fu Hao, Confucius, and so on.</li> </ul>	New weaponry technology developed at a rapid rate during the First World War. The Second World War was the most technologically advanced conflict in history.