

Marshfield Primary History Vocabulary Progression

Big Ideas

	Community	Knowledge	Invasion	Civilisation	Power	Democracy	
EYFS	Who Am I? What Was it Like To Be? How Has it Changed? history historian after before new old now past present time	The Community and Me toddler community timeline tills present supermarket compare customer memory bakery K, Co	The Great Fire of London bustling flammable raged devoured extinguished possessions merchant ineffective engulfed doused	The Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age ancient domesticated community arid dense gatherer extinct nomad roaming reared prehistory submerged	The Romans previously amphitheatre conquered emperor rebellion aqueducts luxurious invasion culture barbarian settlement forum	Ancient Greece democracy city-state honour tyrant phenomenal sanctuary deteriorated tactical armoured valiantly oppressive unified	Monarchs lucrative aristocracy prosperity monastery republic dissolution plundered privateers arrogant industrialisation duplicious annulment P, D, I
Year 1		Neil Armstrong & Robert Falcon Scott legacy fossil inspire documentary revealed significant explore naturalist similar expedition K, Co				WW2, Battle of Britain and the Windrush Generation intolerance blackout infantry racism occupation civilians immigration intercept radar prejudice ferocious anti-Semitic colony demobilised Luftwaffe emigrate disembarked blitzkrieg discrimination diversity evacuated segregation iniquitous rationing Co, P, D, I, Co	
Year 2		The Lives of Significant People legacy fossil inspire documentary revealed significant explore naturalist similar expedition K, Co	Sir Titus Salt Queen Victoria chronology monarch memorial common devastated code converted coat of arms founded textiles mill airfield	Ancient Egypt colossal funerary stability hieroglyphs society artefact civilisation pillaged irrigation obelisk mysteriously pharaoh	The Anglo-Saxons abandoned heptarchy defenceless laden dominant sporadic missionary vanquish pagan viewpoint reliant migration	The Vikings contested decimated exile incursion descendant ransack heir severed plunder martyr truce marauding	The Maya population deforestation famine codex descendant sacrifice declining astronomy citizen warrior native polytheistic Ci, K, P
Year 3							
Year 4							
Year 5							
Year 6							

Vocabulary at Marshfield Primary School is taught explicitly and in context. Above are some of the subject specific words that the children may be taught within the history curriculum for each age group and topic. Children may also encounter new, unfamiliar words as part of their historical enquiry within lessons, where they will be encouraged to explore these words through specific vocabulary tasks. The children at Marshfield make links within and across the curriculum, as well as delving into the etymology and morphology of words.