

Year 1 History

What is History and What is My Story?

Prior learning

In Reception, you started to learn about the past and the present and identified what was the same and what was different when looking at objects and pictures from the past.

Future learning

Later in Year 1, you will continue learning about the past and present by reflecting on how transport has changed over time.

In Year 2, you will learn about how buildings in London have changed over time as a result of The Great Fire of London.

In this topic you will:

- Learn what history is, as well as the role of a historian.
- Learn about the difference between the past and present.
- Order key events from your past and compare your history with the history of other children in the class.
- Discover the ways historians work and use artefacts to find clues about the past.
- Find similarities and differences between Hackney in the past and present.

Key Vocabulary

History	Learning about the past.
Historian	The job of someone who finds out about the past.
Period	A length of time.
Past	Time that has gone by and no longer exists.
Present	The period of time that is happening now.
Artefact	An object we use to find out about the past.
Different	Not the same as something else.
Similar	The same as something else.