



CHRONOLOGY



Historians are like detectives looking at E_____ to make sense of the P_____

T_____ is very important in History because we use it to measure the past. We divide time into chunks of different sizes.

Ten years is called a D_____

One hundred years is called a C_____

Historians use their skills to put people and events in the right order. Putting events in the correct order is called C_____

In history time is divided into TWO periods

B.C means B_____ C_____. They refer to the years before the birth of Jesus

A.D means A_____ D_____ (The year of our Lord) It means how many years from the birth of Jesus (So how many years are we since the birth of Jesus? _____)

5000BC



Years AFTER Christ's birth. They go FORWARDS from the birth of Jesus 1AD to 2013 AD -Today

2015AD

BC

Years before Christ's birth. They go BACKWARDS from the birth of Jesus

Jesus is born

TASK: Now try to put these dates in the RIGHT CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER. The Earliest will go First the most recent will be last

DATES: 1066AD 1945AD 1815AD 23BC 2015AD 3100BC 1999AD 452AD

EARLIEST

RECENT

Historians often look at events over long periods of time—Often over CENTURIES (A century = _____ years)

If you are 11 years old it means that you have lived for 11 complete years and are now in your 12th year. A newborn baby is 0 years old but is living in its first year.

We count the centuries in the same way. Here are some examples:

- The 21st century includes all the years that start with 20 because there have been 20 complete centuries and now the 21st is happening.
- The year 1666 is in the 17th century.
- The 19th century includes the year 1815.








WHAT'S THE CENTURY?










Task 2: Complete the following centuries.

1. The year 1321 is in the _____ century.
2. The year _____ is in the 18th century.
3. The year 1998 is in the _____ century.
4. The year _____ is in the 12th century.
5. The year 1256 is in the _____ century.
6. The year _____ is in the 14th century.
7. The year 800 is in the _____ century.
8. The year _____ is in the 10th century.

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	Day	24 Hrs
	Week	7 Days
	Month	28, 30 or 31 Days
	Year	12 Months
	Decade	10 Years
	Century	100 Years
	Millennium	1000 Years

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TASK: Add the right Description to the right Period of time.

12 Months

1 Days

28, 30 or 31 Days

100 Years

24 Hrs

1000 Years

10 Years