



# Orchard Academy - History Rocket Words – Key Stage 2



Themes	Cultural 	Economic 	Military 	Political 	Religious 	Social 
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Key Concepts	Change	Continuity	Similarity	Difference	Cause	Consequence	Significance	Judgement	Source	Evidence	Artefact	Museum
	Today	Tomorrow	Yesterday	Before	After	Month	Week	Day	Old	New		
	Last year	Long ago	Past	Present	Ancient	Calendar	Modern	Century	Decade	Millennium		

Key Recurring Vocabulary	ancestor	archaeology	army	border	chronology	church	civilisation	conflict	conquest	democracy	empire	exploration
	invasion	king/queen	merchant	migration	monarchy	museum	nation	peace	peasant	poverty	power	religion
	(civil) rights	ruler	rules/law	science	settlement	society	tax	taxation	technology	trade	voyage	(civil) war

Year 3	
Stone Age to Iron Age	
barrow	bronze/iron
farming	hillfort
Hunter-gatherers	Mesolithic
migration	Neolithic
Palaeolithic	Prehistoric
Ancient Egypt (Ancient Civilisations)	
decipher	Dynasty
festivals	hieroglyphics
irrigation	Mummification
papyrus	Pharaoh
pyramid	sickle

Year 4	
Ancient Greece	
Athenians	cartouche
City-states	courts
hoplites	islands
jurors	Marathon
ostracism	Spartans
The Roman Empire and its Impact on Britain	
Boudicca	Britons
centurion	Colchester
Empire	Hadrian
Invasion	legions
mosaics	villa

Year 5	
Britain's Settlement by the Anglo Saxons and Scots	
berserk	burgh
danegeld	Danelaw
justice	missionary
myth/legend	pagan
punishment	treaty
The Maya	
causeway	culture
hieroglyph	legacy
lowlands (cenotes)	rainforest
stelae	temple
vegetation	wetlands (bajos)

Year 6	
Conflict	
Blitz	evacuee
war	community
Kindertransport	memorial
land girl	home front
air raid	Home Guard
The Civil Rights Movement	
inequality	Constitution
segregation	protest
freedom	status quo
civil rights	discrimination
society	legal system