

Year 1 What has changed since your grandparents were young? (1950s / 1960s /1970s)



(H) Artefacts and evidence

Can I compare toys from the 1950s, 1960s and 1970s with those of today?
Can I compare school life from the past with that of today?
Can I collect evidence from primary sources by interviewing grandparents?

(H) Culture & Pastimes:

Can I compare toys and birthday parties from the 1950s, 1960s and 1970s with those of today?
Can I investigate the changes in technology since 1950?

(H) Food and farming

Can I investigate the increase in the availability of fast and convenience foods and the frequency that they are eaten?

Computing:

Timeline of technology – what has changed and what has remained? Can I investigate the use of technology in and out of school?

Music:

Listening to recordings – The Beatles.
Can I compare and contrast to current pop music?
Recorders – playing, note reading.

English:

Narrative – unfamiliar setting: A balloon for Grandad
Non-Fiction – Letter writing

Design Technology:

Can I design and make a wooden photograph frame to gift to a grandparent?

Art and Design:

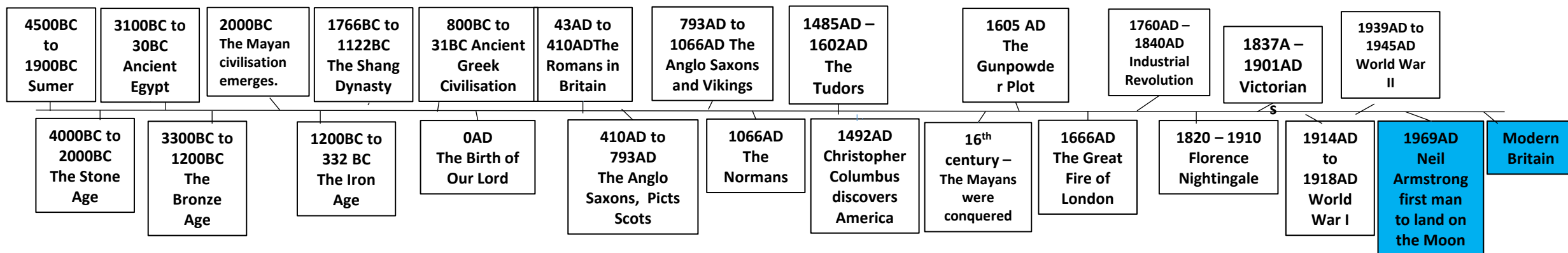
Can I use mixed media to sketch from photographs of grandparents or household objects?

Geography:

Where did grandparents go on holiday when they were young?
Plot on maps.

Working Scientifically:

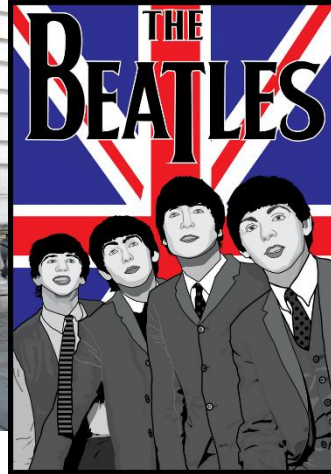
Pattern Seeking: Can I explore the use of the senses to identify flavours, smells and hidden objects using touch.
Research with secondary sources: Looking at pictures taken in different time periods. What can we find out about how people lived differently to us?



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KEY VOCABULARY

Sources	Information can be gathered from several sources such as observations, people, documents, pictures or websites.
Evidence	The proof of something, what this indicates or shows. The facts.
Artefacts	Something made or given shape by a human, usually of historical importance.
Old	Something belonging to the past or no longer young. Having lived for a long time.
New	Produced, introduced, or discovered recently or now for the first time; not existing before.
Memory	Something remembered from the past, the mind remembering something.
Chronological	A record of events following the order in which they happened.



My Questions about this topic:

- What did the inside of houses look like when my grandparents were little?
- What toys did my grandparents play with?
- Where did my grandparents go on holiday when they were children?
- How has technology changed since my grandparents were young?
- What was school like when my grandparents were small?
- What music did they listen to?
- What TV programmes did they watch?
- What phones did they use?