



Millbrook Primary School History: 'Big Six' Vocabulary



Alongside specific vocabulary within each lesson, children will learn these words as our key vocabulary at the beginning of each unit in order to access the key learning across the term.

	Unit One			Unit Two		
Year 1	Kings, Queens and Castles			Toys and Grove: Past and Present		
	monarch	reign	heir	museum	past	timeline
	palace	queen	sceptre	artefact	present	changes
Year 2	The Great Fire of London			George Stephenson		
	old	modern	decade		inventor	locomotive
	century	sequence	effects	impact	local	national
Year 3	The Stone Age to the Iron Age			The Roman Empire		
	artefact	period	BC	infrastructure	conquest	resistance
	Neolithic	Mesolithic	Palaeolithic	empire	invade	defence
Year 4	The Mayan Civilisation			Ancient Egypt		
	artefact	civilisation	culture	Valley of the Kings	pharaoh	Tutenkhamun
	settlement	Maya	AD	afterlife	spiritual	mummification
Year 5	The Anglo Saxons and Vikings					
	artefact	Anglo-Saxon	invasion			
	settlement	Scandinavia	Norse			
Year 6	The Story of Migrants to Britain			Ancient Greece		
	migrant	immigration	emigration	democracy	mythology	civilisation
	discrimination	persecution	refugee	justice	colossal	Achilles Heel

Highlighted words indicate those which are visited in previous/later years to allow children to recall knowledge from previous units.