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Timelines & Chronology - Vocab Cards

BCE]>

before the Common Era; referring to years before the birth of Jesus Christ.

Alexander the Great was born in 356 BCE, over 300 years before Jesus Christ.

Synonyms: BC



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CE]>

the Common Era; referring to years after the birth of Jesus Christ.

Constantine was the first Roman emperor who was a Christian. He converted to the religion around the year 312 CE.

Synonyms: AD



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century]>

a period of 100 years.

More than two _centuries_ ago, the founding fathers signed the Declaration of Independence. That was in the year 1776.



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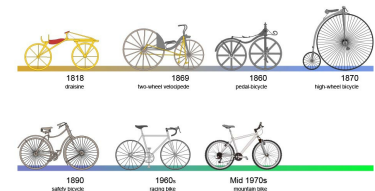
chronological]>

occurring or going in order of time.

The timeline shows the history of bicycles in _chronological_ order, starting from the earliest models in the early 19th century and continuing to more modern styles in the 1970s.

Synonyms: consecutive, successive

Antonyms: random



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1890s



1890 - 1899

decade]>

a period of ten years.

If you are 10 years old, you've been alive for one _decade_.

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era]>

a period of time marked by distinct events.

Renaissance festivals recall a long ago _era_ of history.

Synonyms: age, epoch, period



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historian]>

an expert in history; one who studies or writes about events in the past.

The _historian_ is writing a book about the history of Syria.



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millennium]>

a period of one thousand years.

On January 1, 2000, people rang in the new _millennium_ with much fanfare and celebration.



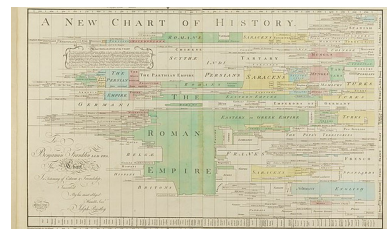
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timeline]>

a line that shows important events in the past in the order they happened.

I made a _timeline_ that shows important events in Helen Keller's life, starting with her birth.



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