

Enquiry Question

What's so important about an ancient civilisation?
What makes us civilised?

Society

Society was seen as a functioning element to their civilisation's. Power was held by Rulers, Pharos and Democracy. Within Ancient Egypt and Ancient Greece roles within society could be divided into different classes of people.

Impact

Each civilisation transformed how humans cultivated food, built dwellings, communicated and kept track of information and time. They have also introduced sanitation facilities and key ideas such as democracy.

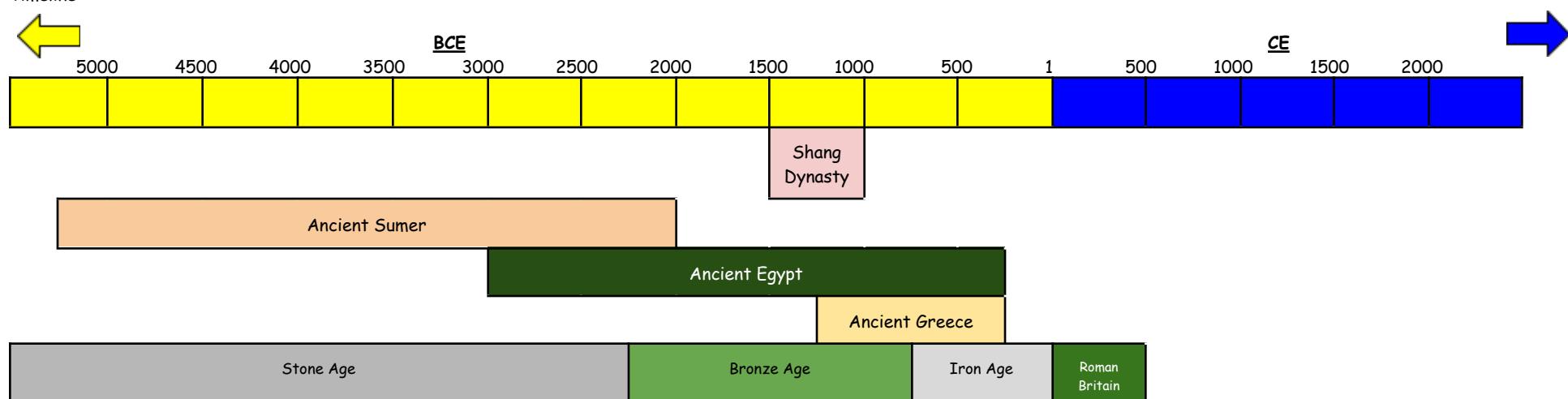
Diversity

All of the Ancient civilisations brought rich diversity within their religious beliefs and their rituals. Ancient Greece saw slaves and merchants from across Europe so experienced diversity through trade.

Significance

Ancient civilisations offer critical lessons on values, universal virtues, morality, and ethics. They shed light on the cultures of honour, valour, wisdom, love, courage, and humanity that have guided human life over centuries, emphasising their importance in our lives even today.

Timeline



Vocabulary	Key Dates for Chronology	Substantive Knowledge (I know)	Disciplinary knowledge (I can do)	
Temple Architecture Babylon Babylonian Empire City state Civilization Class Philosophy Trade Tyranny	Cradle of Civilization Scribes Tel sites (mounds) Democracy Archaeologist Pharos Hieroglyphics	Ancient Sumerian Civilisation: 5300 - 2000 BCE Ancient Egyptian Civilisation: 3100 - 332 BCE Ancient Greek Civilisation: 1200 - 323 BCE Pharaoh Tutankhamun: 1341 - 1323 BCE Tutankhamun tomb discovered: 1922 CE Alexander the Great: 356 - 323 BCE Shang Dynasty: 1600 - 1046 BCE	Identify the main characteristics of each civilisation. Approximate dates/duration of each civilisation. Identify differences between attributes/achievements and firsts/earliest or greatest Name aspects of Greek culture still influence life today. Knows that the Roman Empire's adoption of aspects of Greek culture	Can contrast and make some significant links between civilizations. Can identify and make links between significant characteristics and give examples and explain why. Can explain the causes and consequences of quite complex events Can use criteria to make judgements as to the significance. Identify words that have come from ancient greece. Use images to make sense of life in ancient greece.

