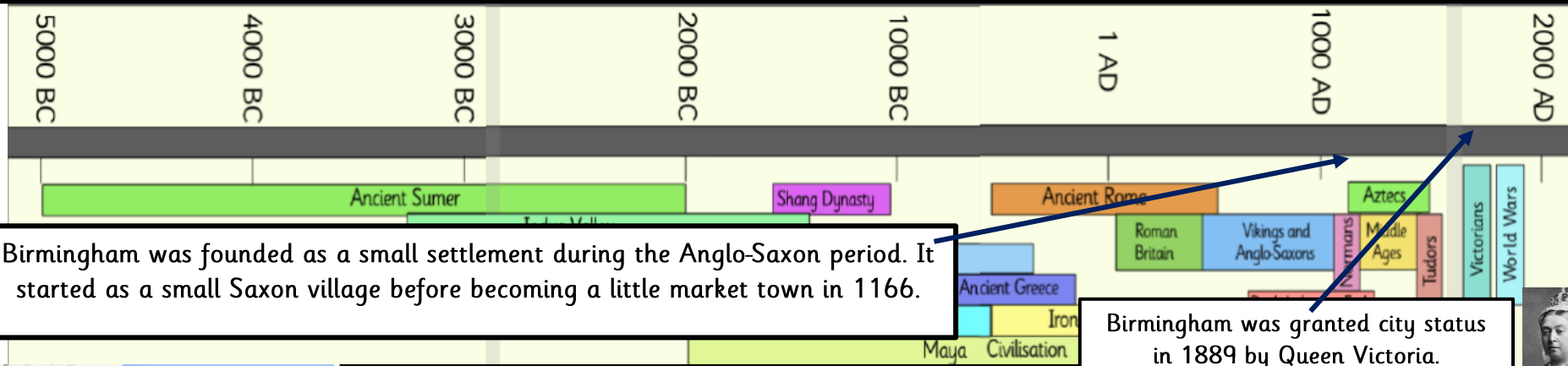


Year 4

Proud to be a Brummie!

Proud to be a Brummie is a project that is studied as part of our history curriculum. In this project, children will learn about their local area and build on their understanding of settlement and societal change. They will use a variety of sources relating to significant past events in Birmingham and begin to understand their reliability. As they look further into Birmingham as an original Saxon village, they will compare it to the modern day and consider the developments that took place and why. They will also explore the influence and impact Birmingham had on the Industrial Revolution both locally and nationally.



Prior Learning

- Changes in the local area (Shard End) since the end of WWII.
- How a settlement grows and changes over time.
- Understanding how historical sources and artefacts are used to identify settlements and their developments.
- Development of transport nationally.

Key dates in Birmingham's history:

- 1086 -Birmingham recorded as a village in the Domesday Book.
- 1166 -The King allowed Peter De Birmingham, who was Lord of the Manor, to hold a weekly market in Birmingham. Birmingham developed into a market town.
- 1728 - On 3rd September Matthew Boulton is born to a toymaker in Snow Hill.
- 1889 - Birmingham was recognised as a city by Queen Victoria



Key questions to support learning:

- What did Birmingham do during Industrial Revolution?
- How has transport developed over time in Birmingham?
- How and why has the housing structure changed in Birmingham?
- What was Birmingham like as a Saxon Village and how has it changed since?

Vocabulary

Saxon
influence
social classes
parliament
emigrant
revolution
industrial
diversity