

Tuesday 30th June Good afternoon years 5+6

Today you will begin part one of a two-part lesson to to:

Sequence and make connections between periods of world history.

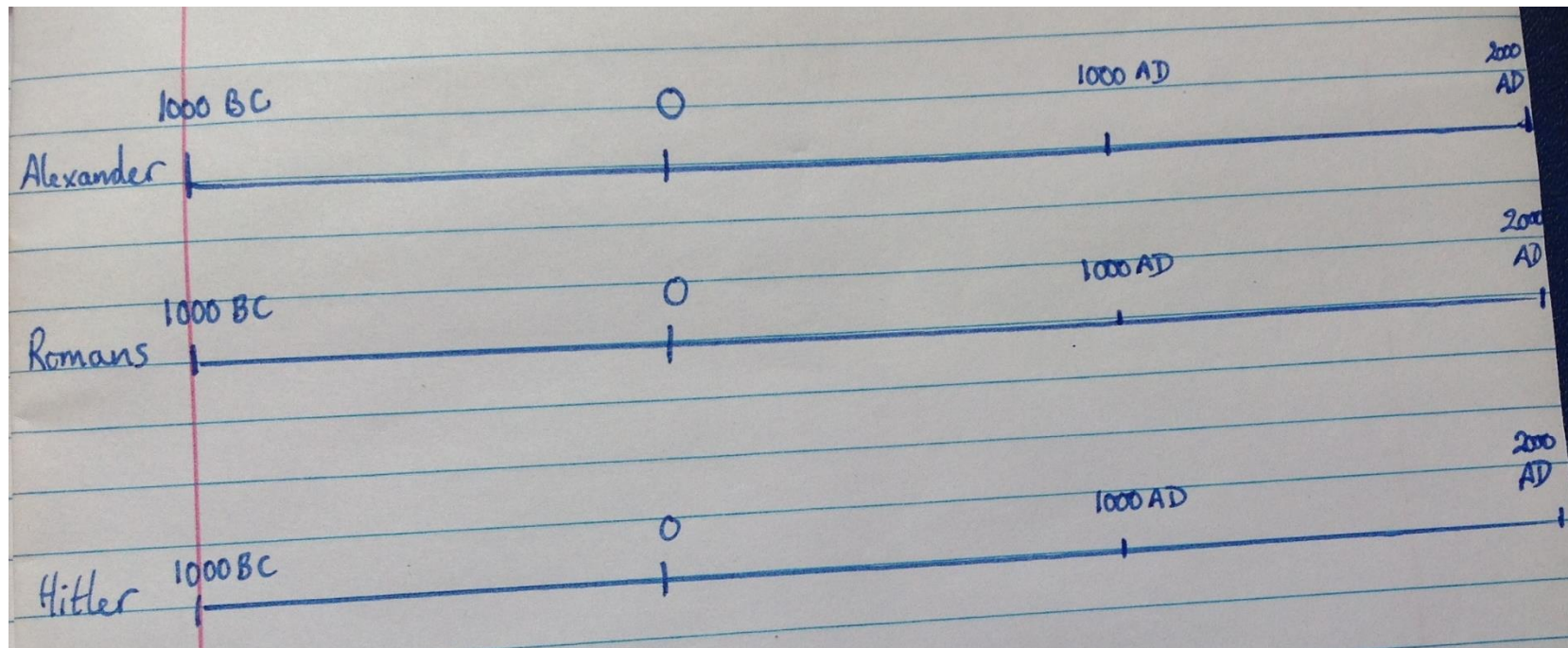
Firstly remember that **conquest means to take by force**

For **part one** the aim is to use (probably 3) parallel timelines which show the conquests of other countries by military powers. These different historical leaders /periods cover enormous time spans and this will be tricky to do but this is your challenge.

The three conquerers/conquering empires to compare and study will be Germany's Hitler in the second world war, Alexander The Great of Ancient Greece and the general rise of the empire of Ancient Rome.

You will definitely need **a3** paper for this (or two a4 sheets sellotaped together)

You decide how to set this out. My idea was to show the same points in time on 3 parallel timelines. See below:



Look how I have used 6cm intervals per thousand years. I do want to see the same scale on all 3 timelines. 6cm is far too small a scale for you to use but I just wanted you to see how each timeline has the same markings for the same dates. On A3 paper you will have far more room for more widely spaced out periods in time.

The aim is to show the sequence of these major conquests.

You may have an idea not to use 3 separate timelines. I really want you to try and work out how you can show **the timeline sequence** of these periods of major conquests clearly.

Now, have your pen/pencil ready to take key notes to help you with your timelines as you watch these videos:

[Ww2 for kids a kid explains history Ep.1](#)

Now watch how the Roman empire grows just up to AD 89 on

[The history of the Romans: every year by Emperor Tiger star](#)

And

[The conquests of Alexander The Great: interactive history](#)