

Tuesday 7th JULY

Y4 and 5 and 6 HISTORY

To find out more about Alexander The Great's journey with his army as he travelled the world watch the first video.

If you find the explanations a little tricky (some of y4) **forward to timeline 6:50** as your starting point and watch from there.

Before watching know that in the video

* to **bend the knee** means to bow down and serve

*sign of **skull** symbolises a death

***conquest** = to win battle and land

***quelling the unrest** means calming the angry uprisings

***subjugated** means to bring under your control (usually after battle)

***usurper** means a person who takes a position of power by force

Now

Search for **Alexander the Great: Battle of Hydaspes 326BC by Baz battles**

Watch it all or forward to 6.50 starting point.

Alexander The Great led a great battle in India against King Porus of India and his army in 326Bc and many of the Greek soldiers had never seen elephants before and were terrified by the sight of Indian soldiers charging on warrior elephants.

Search for **The Battle Of Hydaspes by great military battles**

Watch the whole video first then go back to freeze frame

6:07 up to 6:20 (the warrior elephants images).

Write a diary extract as a surviving Greek soldier who had never seen an elephant before and had been terrified at the battle or

Make a video as if you are the soldier telling others about the elephants in battle. Use your drama skills to convey your shock, horror and fear when you saw the warrior elephants.