



## Setting up a timeline

Use a scale of 1cm = ten years to set up a timeline.

1. What will be the length of 100 years?  .....
2. What will be the length of 1,000 years?  .....
3. Make a timeline out of strips of card that is 2,800 years long.
4. At the left hand side of the timeline use a ruler to measure back in years to the year 1000 and make a mark.
5. Now measure back 1,000 years and make another mark.
6. Repeat step 5 until you get to 1000 BC.
- 8 On the timeline label 2000 AD, 1000 AD, 0 and 1000 BC.
9. On your timeline mark:
  - a) The beginning of Greek civilisation, 800 BC.
  - b) The starting of the Parthenon (find out the date from the student book).

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## Resources

Copies of the worksheet. Strips of card about 5cm wide which can be measured into 300 year lengths and stuck together, sticky paper, card for making flags.

## Using the worksheet

This worksheet builds on the worksheet 1B by developing the idea of how long ago the Greek civilisation began. It also helps to show that all the objects that are studied were not made at the same time. The timeline that is produced by each group can be used by them to add extra information as they work through the student book, and web site.