

Remember years are calculated backwards during BC era; during the common era (AD) the years are calculated forward.

8,000 BCE      2,500 BCE      1 BCE      >      1 CE    1150 CE      2009 CE

### **Mesopotamia**

Sumerian Uruk Period    3,500 - 3000

Intermidate Period    3000 - 2350

Akkadians    2350 - 2100

Babylonians    1900 - 1600

Hittites    1600 - 1330

Assyrians    1330 - 612

Neo-Babylonians    625 - 539

### **Britan**

Stonehedge

3100 - 1600

### **Ancient Egypt**

Predynastic    3100 - 2469

Old Kingdom    2649 - 2143 (Great Pyramids)

Intermidate Period (1)    2143 - 1991

Middle Kingdom    1991-1700

2nd Intermediate Period    1700 - 1550

New Kingdom    1550 - 1070

### **Aegean & Ancient Greek**

Minoans    2000 - 1200

Mycenaeans    1600 - 1150

Dark Age    1150 - 900

    Geometric    1000 - 700

Orientalizing    700 - 600

Archaic    600 - 490

Early Classical    480 - 450

High Classical    450 - 400

Late Classical    400 - 323

Hellenistic    323 - 32

**Note:** All dates are rough estimates. Different textbooks will show slight variations for the same time periods. The different ages likewise can be classified with different names.

*These dates and period titles are based on the information provided in your class text. Additionally these exist all before the Common Era.*