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| 1st century | years 1 to 100 |
| 2nd century | years 101 to 200 |
| 3rd century | years 201 to 300 |
| 4th century | years 301 to 400 |
| 5th century | years 401 to 500 |
| 6th century | years 501 to 600 |
| 7th century | years 601 to 700 |
| 8th century | years 701 to 800 |
| 9th century | years 801 to 900 |
| 10th century | years 901 to 1000 |
| 11th century | years 1001 to 1100 |
| 12th century | years 1101 to 1200 |
| 13th century | years 1201 to 1300 |
| 14th century | years 1301 to 1400 |
| 15th century | years 1401 to 1500 |
| 16th century | years 1501 to 1600 |
| 17th century | years 1601 to 1700 |
| 18th century | years 1701 to 1800 |
| 19th century | years 1801 to 1900 |
| 20th century | years 1901 to 2000 |
| 21st century | years 2001 to 2100 |

9 On 14 July 1789, about 600 people attacked the Bastille, a medieval fortress in Paris. This marked the beginning of the French Revolution, and led, three years later, to the imprisonment of King Louis XVI who was later executed by guillotine for treason.
In which century did Louis XVI die?

1 The first sighting of the Loch Ness Monster was by an Irish monk, in the year 565.
In which century was this?

2 The first mission to land a man safely on the moon was on 20 July 1969.
In which century was this?

3 King Charles was executed in the early 17th century.
Which range of dates could this event have occurred?

4 Virgin Galactic says it will launch Richard Branson into space on 11 July 2021.
In which century will this event happen?

5 Florence Nightingale died on 13 August 1910. She was 90 years old at the time of her death.
In which century was Florence born?

6 The Vikings first invaded Britain in the year 793 when they raided the monastery at Lindisfarne. They left 273 years later, when they were defeated at the Battle of Stamford Bridge. In which century did the Vikings return north?

7 In the last decade of the 15th century, Christopher Columbus landed in the West Indies in the Caribbean in his search for a new sea route to Asia. In which years could this have occurred?

8 In 1603, Tokugawa Iyeyasu was appointed shogun - the supreme emperor of Japan.
In which century did this new leadership occur?

10 In the early 19th century, trials were held to decide which steam engines would be used on the new Liverpool to Manchester Railway - the world's first inter-city line. Reaching a record speed of 29 miles per hour, Robert Stephenson's *Rocket* won the trials.
In which years might the trials have been conducted?

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| 1 | The 6th century |
| 2 | The 20th century |
| 3 | 1601 to 1649 |
| 4 | The 21st century |
| 5 | The 19th century |
| 6 | The 11th century |
| 7 | 1491 to 1500 |
| 8 | The 17th century |
| 9 | The 18th century |
| 10 | Between 1801 & 1849 |