

archaic period *(ar-cha-ic-pe-ri-od)*

Definition

n. a historical period characterized by the development of early art, architecture, and culture, typically referring to a phase in ancient Greece from around 800 to 480 BC.

Example Sentence

The **archaic period** in Greece saw the emergence of significant developments in sculpture and pottery.

More Example Sentences

During the **archaic period**, city-states like Athens and Sparta began to form and gain power.

Synonyms

ancient era; early period; classical age

Antonyms

modern era; contemporary period; present day

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