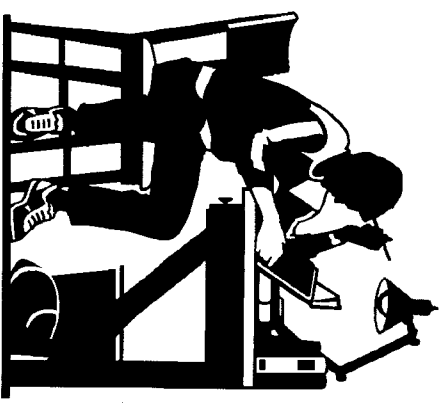


# History vs. Oral Tradition

Recorded history creates a sense of distance, or passage of time.



800 years



Oral history brings the story to its listeners – the passage of time becomes relative to the listener (example: A long time ago means different things to different people). History exists around us.