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According to me history is important in the following ways;

History helps us to know how early man lived. According to past stories early man had to stay naked and he had to feed on fruits and roots.

History helps to get knowledge about the past events. It helps us to know that a leader must be know wise and stronger in order to succeed in what you are doing for example Milton Obote had to fight for independence for Uganda.

History helps us to appreciate the values of other people and their contribution to civilization. Because of history we appreciate the missionaries who came to Uganda for spreading building schools and hospitals in our country for example Mengo Hospital.

History is a source of getting jobs for example teachers of history, lecturers, social workers and lawyers. After getting enough idea about history, you can be able to teach children about past events hence getting a job.

History trains our brains to judge. We can select what is bad and good basing ourselves on what happened in the past. For example long ago man was staying naked but these days man have a dressing cord.

History helps to know the differences and similarities in the different countries of the world and weakness, strength among them. For example we have learned that American people are civilized than African people.

Because of the above reasons, history is very important.