1. Renaissance:
Renaissance means “rebirth”. It is a time when great changes took place in Europe. It started in the early 14th century. During this period, many changes took place in art, science, medicine, literature and architecture.

2. Greco-Roman art and learning
The art and learning that follow the style of ancient Greece and Rome.

3. Crusades
Crusades were wars between the Christians and the Muslim Turks in Asia Minor from 1096-1270.

4. Humanism
Humanism means ideas of people who were interested in classical learning and writing about human affairs, not just religion.

5. Renaissance art
The art in Renaissance times. Artists of this time are influenced by humanism, they made paintings and sculptures about people’s lives. The art was colourful and realistic.