

cal BC/AD	cal BP	Radiocarbon years BC/AD	Radiocarbon years BP	Moseley and others*	Archaic periods
AD 2,000		AD 2,000			
1,500	450	1,600	350	Late Horizon	Colonial
1,000	950	930	1,020	Late Intermediate	
500	1,450	AD 380	1,570	Middle Horizon	
AD / BC	1,950	BC 70	2,020	Early Intermediate	
500	2,450	480	2,430	Early Horizon	
1,000	2,950	890	2,840		
1,500	3,450	1,270	3,220	Initial period	
2,000	3,950	1,670	3,620		
2,500	4,450	2,080	4,030	Late Preceramic	
3,000	4,950	2,420	4,370	Preceramic period	Late Archaic period
3,500	5,450	2,730	4,680		
4,000	5,950	3,290	5,240		
4,500	6,450	3,740	5,690		
5,000	6,950	4,160	6,110		
5,500	7,450	4,620	6,570		Middle Archaic period
6,000	7,950	5,190	7,140		
6,500	8,450	5,760	7,710		
7,000	8,950	6,010	7,960		
7,500	9,450	6,440	8,390		
8,000	9,950	6,940	8,890	Lithic period	Early Archaic period
8,500	10,450	7,310	9,260		
9,000	10,950	7,610	9,560		
9,500	11,450	8,120	10,070		
10,000	11,950	8,290	10,240		
10,500	12,450	8,580	10,530		
11,000	12,950	8,950	10,900		
11,500	13,450	9,540	11,490		Paleoindian period
12,000	13,950	9,960	11,910		
12,500	14,450	10,650	12,600		
13,000	14,950	10,500	12,450		
BC 13,500	15,450	BC 10,850	12,800		

\*Sources: Aldenderfer 1989:131; Bawden 1994:393; Billman 2002:371, 378; Burger 1995:230-232; D'Altroy 1992:6; Isbell & McEwan 1991:1; Kembel 2001; Moseley 2001:87