

History Key Stage 3 Curriculum Overview

	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
Year 7	What do primary sources tell us about life in Anglo Saxon England?	How far did the Black Death change the medieval world?	What was the experience of the Crusades for medieval women?
	Why did William win the Battle of Hastings?	What can we learn about medieval life from Margery Kempe?	Why did migrants come to Britain in the medieval period? What was the significance of the Reformation?
	How far did Anglo Saxon England survive the Norman Conquest?	What do sources tell us about the medieval Islamic world?	
	What can sources tell us about who held power in the medieval period?	Why were the Crusades launched?	
	To what extent did English Kings conquer Scotland and Wales?		
Year 8	Did everyone in Elizabethan England experience a ' golden age'?	Why have historians labelled the French Revolution as a 'turning point'?	What was the legacy of slavery?
	Was Charles I responsible for the English Civil War?	Were the British a force for good in India?	To what extent did working conditions improve over the 19 th century?
	What can sources tell us about the experience of the English Civil War?		
Year 9	Did the Suffragettes help or hinder the fight for women's suffrage?	What was the impact of WWI on Britain and its Empire?	How much did migrant rights change over the later 20 th century?
	How have historians revised the story of women's suffrage?	How can personal stories help us to understand the Holocaust?	Did Britain really have a 'cultural revolution' in the swinging sixties?
	Was the assassination really the main cause of WWI?		



History Key Stage 4 Curriculum Overview

	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
Year 10	 Early Elizabethan England Queen, Government and Religion, 1558-88 Challenges to Elizabeth at Home and Abroad, 1569-88 Elizabethan society in the Age of Exploration, 1558-88 	 American West The Early Settlement of the West, c1835-c1862 Development of the Plains, c1862-c1876 Conflicts and Conquest, c1876-c1895 	 Weimar and Nazi Germany The Weimar Republic, 1918-29 Hitler's Rise to Power, 1919-33
Year 11	 (2024-5) Democracy and Dictatorship The End of WWI & Weimar Republic 1918-1929. Democracy and Dictatorship Hitler's Rise to Power & Life in Nazi Germany, 1929-1945. (2025+) Weimar and Nazi Germany Nazi Control and Dictatorship, 1933-39 Life in Nazi Germany Medicine Through Time Medieval Renaissance 	 (2024-5) Conflict and Tension 1894-1914 Causes of the War Stalemate Ending the War (2025+) Medicine Through Time Renaissance 18-19th centuries Modern 	Exams

KS5	History Key Stage 5 Curriculum Overview			
	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term	
Year 12	Paper 1 - Reform and Challenge, 1851- 1886. Paper 2 - The Regency, 1643-1661.	Paper 1 – Challenges to the Status Quo, 1886- 1914 Paper 2 - The Establishment of Absolutism at Home, 1661-1685.	NEA - The Pursuit of African American civil rights in the USA Paper 2 - Louis XIV and Europe, 1661-1685	
Year 13	Paper 1 - The Great War and its impact, 1914-1939. Paper 2 - Challenges at Home, 1685- 1715.	Paper 1 – Transformation and Change, 1939- 1964 Paper 2 - Challenges in Europe, 1685-1697 France Defeated, 1697-1715	Exams	