

# 1. Curriculum Overview



## CURRICULUM OVERVIEW FOR HISTORY

	HALF TERM 1	HALF TERM 2	HALF TERM 3	HALF TERM 4	HALF TERM 5	HALF TERM 6
YEAR 7	<p><b>What is History?</b></p> <p><i>What skills and knowledge do you need as a historian?</i></p>	<p><b>What was Britain's relationship with the wider world 2000 years ago?</b></p> <p><i>The Silk Roads and Roman England</i></p>	<p><b>Why was 1066 so significant?</b></p> <p><i>The Norman Conquest and how it changed England.</i></p>	<p><b>Why was there a Power struggle during the Middle Ages?</b></p> <p><i>The changing relationship between kings and barons, the church and peasants</i></p>	<p><b>How did the Middle East impact Europe?</b></p> <p><i>The growth and impact of Islamic empires, Baghdad's Golden Age and the Crusades.</i></p>	<p><b>How far did the Renaissance change Early Modern thinking?</b></p> <p><i>Important Renaissance people and inventions</i></p>
YEAR 8	<p><b>How far did Elizabeth steady the religious rollercoaster?</b></p> <p><i>Religious problems and Queen Elizabeth's attempts to solve them</i></p>	<p><b>How far was the 17<sup>th</sup> Century world 'Turned Upside Down'?</b></p> <p><i>The Gunpowder Plot, English Civil War and life under Oliver Cromwell</i></p>	<p><b>What similarities were there between life in the 'Old' and 'New' World?</b></p> <p><i>What similarities were there between Native American tribes and Europeans?</i></p>	<p><b>For whom was the Industrial Revolution the 'Dawn of Liberty'?</b></p> <p><i>How did the Industrial Revolution affect people differently?</i></p>	<p><b>How did Imperialism shape the world?</b></p> <p><i>Life in Mughal India</i></p> <p><i>British control of India and its consequences.</i></p>	<p><b>What was Britain's involvement in the Transatlantic Slave Trade?</b></p> <p><i>The Transatlantic Slave Trade and Abolition</i></p>
YEAR 9	<p><b>Why did David Olusoga call the First World War the 'World's War'?</b></p> <p><i>Causes of war, key events and the contributions of all peoples.</i></p>	<p><b>How far was bread responsible for the Russian Revolution?</b></p> <p><i>Long term and short term causes of the Feb Revolution.</i></p>	<p><b>What can sources teach us about the Holocaust?</b></p> <p><i>Experiences of and resistance to the Holocaust</i></p>	<p><b>Why was Nazi Germany defeated?</b></p> <p><i>Significant events of the Second World War.</i></p>	<p><b>Why was Berlin divided?</b></p> <p><i>The spread of Communism and division of Berlin.</i></p>	<p><b>What can sources teach us about the USA?</b></p> <p><i>The Statue of Liberty</i></p> <p><i>Martin Luther King's 'I have a dream' speech</i></p>
YEAR 10	<p><b>America 1920-73- American People and the Boom.</b></p> <p><i>Why was there an economic boom and who benefitted?</i></p>	<p><b>America 1920-73 Bust-The Depression</b></p> <p><i>How the lives of people were affected and how far the New Deal and WWII helped.</i></p>	<p><b>America 1920-73-Post War</b></p> <p><i>1950s Culture and Second Red Scare. Civil Rights, role of Presidents and Feminism</i></p>	<p><b>Elizabethan England 1568-1603</b></p> <p><i>Elizabeth's court and Parliament. How Elizabeth kept control.</i></p>	<p><b>Elizabethan England 1568-1603</b></p> <p><i>How far was the Elizabethan era a 'Golden Age'?</i></p>	<p><b>Elizabethan England 1568-1603</b></p> <p><i>Issues with rebellions</i></p> <p><i>Historic Environment-site study</i></p>
YEAR 11	<p><b>Conflict and Tension in Asia 1950-73</b></p> <p><i>Cold War tensions. The causes, events and consequences of Korean War</i></p>	<p><b>Conflict and Tension in Asia 1950-73</b></p> <p><i>Escalating tension in the Vietnam War. Turning points-My Lai/TET Offensive</i></p>	<p><b>Conflict and Tension in Asia 1950-73</b></p> <p><i>Nixon's War</i></p> <p><i>How and why the war ended</i></p>	<p><b>Power and the People- Medieval and Early Modern</b></p> <p><i>Key events that challenged the monarchy and gave more power to Parliament</i></p>	<p><b>Power and the People- 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> Century events.</b></p> <p><i>Key events that used political methods to gain rights.</i></p>	<p><b>EXAMS</b></p>