

History



Curriculum Overarching Intent

History students have a rich knowledge and understanding of the past and how it has shaped present day society, enabling them to think critically, sift arguments and weigh evidence to reach well-informed judgements.

Prior Learning

- Changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age, Roman Britain, Anglo-Saxons, Scots and Vikings.
- The achievements of the earliest civilizations.
- Ancient Greece

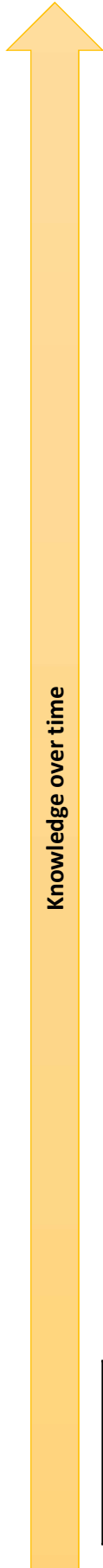
	Vision	Key Concepts and Key Skills
Year 7	To explore change and continuity in Medieval and Early Modern British history and its place in the context of the wider world, looking at themes including power, beliefs, ideas, society, empire, conflict and the economy.	<p>Historical concepts: Change and continuity, cause and consequence, similarity, difference and significance.</p> <p>Source analysis: Analysing and evaluating contemporary historical sources, of an increasing degree of complexity.</p> <p>Interpretations: Analysing and evaluating different interpretations of the past, of an increasing degree of complexity.</p>
Year 8	To explore the African Kingdom of Benin and compare and contrast to medieval England. To explore 18 th and 19 th century British history and its place in the context of the wider world, looking at themes including power, beliefs, ideas, society, empire (including the slave trade), conflict and the economy.	
Year 9	To explore key themes in 20 th century British and World History including the two world wars and their significance and impact, the rise of dictatorships and the Holocaust. Overarching themes include power, beliefs, ideas, society, empire, conflict and the economy.	
Year 10	To explore change and continuity in Medicine in Britain from 1250 to present as well as an in-depth study of injuries and treatments in the British sector of the Western Front. To evaluate significant themes in Weimar and Nazi Germany, exploring the impact of the First World War on Germany, Hitler's rise to power and consolidation of power, and his impact on life in Germany.	
Year 11	To evaluate significant events in the Cold War from 1941 to 1991 and the changing relations between the Superpowers. To analyse Elizabeth I's early reign, including the impact of her religious policies, challenges to her throne and significant aspects of Elizabethan society.	
Year 12	To explore breadth issues of change, continuity, cause and consequence in the early Tudor period (1485-1547). To study in depth of the coming and practice of communism in Russia in the period 1917-1929. To explore change and continuity in advances in African American Civil Rights in the period 1865-1968.	
Year 13	To explore breadth issues of change, continuity, cause and consequence in the mid to late Tudor period (1547-1603). To study in depth of the coming and practice of communism	

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Our Curriculum Progression Model is:

Readiness for their next step...



<p>Year 13 Module 1 Tudors: Edward VI & Mary I NEA: African American Civil Rights Russia: Economy and Society</p>			<p>Year 13 Module 2 Tudors: Elizabeth I NEA: African American Civil Rights Russia: Stalinism, Politics and Control</p>			<p>Year 13 Module 3 Tudors: Elizabeth I Russia: The Great Patriotic War and Stalin's Dictatorship</p>		
<p>Year 12 Module 1 Tudors: Henry VII Russia: Dissent and Revolution</p>			<p>Year 12 Module 2 Tudors: Henry VIII Russia: Bolshevik Consolidation</p>			<p>Year 12 Module 3 Tudors: Henry VIII NEA: African American Civil Rights Russia: Stalin's Rise to Power</p>		
<p>Year 11 Module 1 Superpower Relations and the Cold War 1941-1991</p>			<p>Year 11 Module 2 Early Elizabethan England 1558-1588</p>			<p>Year 11 Module 3 Early Elizabethan England 1558-1588</p>		
<p>Year 10 Module 1 Medicine in Britain c1250-present and the British Sector of the Western Front 1914-18</p>			<p>Year 10 Module 2 Medicine in Britain c1250-present, <i>and</i> Weimar and Nazi Germany 1918-39</p>			<p>Year 10 Module 3 Weimar and Nazi Germany 1918-39 and Superpower Relations and the Cold War</p>		
<p>Year 9 Module 1 The First World War and its Impact</p>			<p>Year 9 Module 2 20th Century Dictators The Holocaust</p>			<p>Year 9 Module 3 The Second World War The Cold War</p>		
<p>Year 8 Module 1 Medieval Benin Slavery and the Atlantic Slave Trade</p>			<p>Year 8 Module 2 The Georgians British Empire</p>			<p>Year 8 Module 3 Enlightenment Industrial Revolution</p>		
<p>Year 7 Module 1 Anglo-Saxon England Norman Conquest</p>			<p>Year 7 Module 2 Islamic World Medieval England</p>			<p>Year 7 Module 3 Tudors and Stuarts: Religion, Exploration and Civil War</p>		

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Key texts and websites that you can access to support their knowledge development in this subject include:

	Year 12	Year 13
	Exam Board website: AQA A Level History 7042 – Paper 1C and 2N	
Websites	<p>Tudors: AQA A-Level History: The Tudors YouTube playlist</p> <p>Russia: My Revision Notes Download - Hodder Education The Russian Revolution Timeline – The British Library - The British Library (bl.uk) A-Level Topic Guide: Russia and the USSR / Historical Association (history.org.uk) Learning Academy - YouTube</p>	<p>Tudors: AQA A-Level History: The Tudors YouTube playlist</p> <p>Russia: A-Level Topic Guide: Russia and the USSR / Historical Association (history.org.uk) Learning Academy – YouTube</p>
Key texts and books	<p>Tudors:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> John Guy, Tudor England (1998) Thomas Penn, Winter King (2012) Diarmaid MacCulloch, Thomas Cromwell (2019) Hillary Mantel, Wolf Hall (2009) Fiction C. J. Sansom, Dissolution (2003) Fiction <p>Russia:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> October, China Mieville The People’s Tragedy, Orlando Figes The Russian Revolution, Sheila Fitzpatrick Russia in Revolution, Stephen Smith 	<p>Tudors:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Loades, The Mid-Tudor Crisis, 1545-1565 (1992) Haigh, Elizabeth I (2001) Castor, Elizabeth I: A study in Insecurity (2019) <p>Russia:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stalin, Simon Sebag Montefiore Life in Stalin’s Russia, Kees Boterbloem Stalin’s War, Sean McMeekin Stalin, Robert Service
	Year 10	Year 11
	Exam Board website: Edexcel GCSE History (2016) Pearson qualifications	
Websites	<p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/medicine-through-time/zdcy8xs</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zymqwx</p>	<p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z29rbk7</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zwbysg8</p>
Key texts and books	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two Brothers, Ben Elton A Farewell to Arms, Ernest Hemingway The Butchering Art, Lindsay Fitzharris Alone in Berlin, Hans Fallada Maus, Art Spiegelman Birdsong, Sebastian Faulks Schindler’s Ark, Thomas Kineally 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Cold War; A Very Short Introduction, Robert McMahon Stasiland, Stories from behind the Berlin Wall Black Tudors, Miranda Kauffman Disability and the Tudors, Phillipa Vincent-Connolly Black and British: A Short Essential History, David Olusoga 1984, George Orwell Dissolution, C. J. Sansom

	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9
Websites	<p>BBC Bitesize:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zp6xsbk/articles/zphysk7 https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/ztjrbqt https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zhqcg7h 	<p>BBC Bitesize:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zp74r2p https://www.english-heritage.org.uk/learn/story-of-england/georgians 	<p>BBC Bitesize:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zn29cmn https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/world-war-two-video-resources/zhhff4j
Key texts and books	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Crusade, Elizabeth Laird The Silk Roads: The Extraordinary History that created your world, Peter Frankopan. Adventures in Time: six wives of Henry VIII The Dark Lady, Akala A Skinful of Shadows, Frances Hardinge 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Children of the Benin Kingdom, Dinah Orji Coram Boy, Jamila Gavin Harriet Tubman – a journey to freedom, Sandra A Agard Black and British: A Short Essential History, David Olusoga 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Private Peaceful, Michael Morpurgo Prisoners of Geography, Tim Marshall Animal Farm, George Orwell Archangel, Robert Harris Fatherland, Robert Harris Diary of a Young Girl, Anne Frank