

Curriculum Map: Key Stage 3 History

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September	<p>What is History?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What is history? 2. What is the history of our school? [RR] 3. Why is chronology important? 4. What types of evidence do historians use? 5. What is the difference between fact & opinion? 	<p>Did the Renaissance transform Europe?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Why did the Tudors become the rulers of England in 1485? 2. Was Henry VII a good king? 	<p>What did the public think of Hitler before WWII?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Why did Germans dislike the Treaty of Versailles? 2. What were the early challenges to the Weimar Republic? 3. Was there happiness in the 1920s?
	<p>Key piece 1: Evidence: Introduction skills to develop understanding of basic History skills (Baseline)</p> <p>Why was there a Crisis in 1066?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What was Medieval England like in 1066? Black History Month - Why do we know so little about Black individuals in Medieval Europe? [RR] 2. Who were the contenders for the crown in 1066? <p>Key piece 2: Report Writing: Who is the best candidate for the throne?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. What happened at the Battle of Stamford Bridge? 4. Why did William win the Battle of Hastings? 5. Why is the Bayeux tapestry a useful piece of evidence for historians? 	<p>Key piece 1: Writing: Was Henry VII a successful monarch?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Why was there a Reformation? 4. What problems did Henry VIII have by 1530? 5. Why were the monasteries important to many different people in Tudor times? 6. Why did Henry VIII dissolve the monasteries? <p>Key piece 2: Evidence: Why was there a Reformation?</p> <p>Black History Month – Who were the Black Tudors? [RR]</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 7. How did Edward VI change the Church of England? 8. Was Mary bloody or misunderstood? 9. What developments were made during the Renaissance? <p>Working at 1: WA1: Does Mary I deserve to be called 'Bloody Mary'? (source analysis) 18th -29th November</p>	<p>Key piece 1: Writing: Why was the Weimar Republic doomed?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. How did Stresemann help Germany recover? 5. What were the policies of the Nazi Party? Black History Month – What was it like to be black in Nazi Germany? [RR] 6. What were the consequences of the Munich Putsch? 7. How did Hitler consolidate his power? 8. How did Hitler use propaganda to help him control Germany? 9. How did Hitler use terror to help him control Germany? <p>Key piece 2: Evidence: What methods did the Nazis use to maintain control of Germany?</p>
October			
November	<p>Working at 1: WA1: Why did William win the Battle of Hastings: SPAG/reading/writing (source interpretation) 18th-29th November</p>	<p>Was Elizabeth a successful ruler?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What problems did Elizabeth face on becoming Queen of England in 1558? 2. Why didn't Elizabeth marry? [RR] 3. How did Elizabeth deal with the problem of Mary Queen of Scots? 4. Why did the Spanish Armada fail in 1588? 	<p>Working at 1: WA1: How did Hitler become the leader of Germany? (source interpretation) 18th-29th November</p>
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 6. How did William gain control of England? [RR] 7. How did castles develop? 8. How did the Feudal system and Domesday Book keep control? 	<p>Key piece 3: Writing: Newspaper report: Why were the English victorious? (Spanish Armada)</p>	<p>What is the human cost of war?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What is Anti-semitism? 2. How did the experience of the Jews change? 3. What was life like in the Warsaw ghetto?
December			

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January	<p>Were the Crusades truly a religious war?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Why was Jerusalem important? 2. How were the battles fought during the Crusades? 3. Why did people go on a Crusade? 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. How did Elizabeth deal the problem of the poor? 6. How different were the lives of the rich and poor in Elizabethan England? 7. What can we learn from the portraits of Elizabeth? 	<p>Key piece 3: Writing: How useful are sources C & D? (life in the Jewish ghetto)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. What was the final solution? [RR] 5. What was life like in a concentration camp?
February	<p>Key piece 3: Explain: Explain 2 reasons why there was a Crusade</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Who was the most effective leader in the Third Crusade? 5. How significant were the Crusades? 6. What is the legacy left from the Crusades? 	<p>Key piece 4: Evidence: How useful is this portrait? (source analysis)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 8. Why was Elizabethan theatre so popular? <p>Why was the world turned upside down?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Who held power in the 17th Century? 2. Who made up the two armies in the Civil War? 	<p>Key piece 4: Evidence: What are the main differences between the two sources? (Final Solution)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 6. What happened when people found out about the Holocaust? 7. Why is it important to learn about the Holocaust?
March	<p>What was life like in Medieval England?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What were living conditions in medieval towns like? 2. What was medicine like in the medieval period? Women's History Month – What was life like for women in Medieval England? 3. What caused the Black Death? 4. What were the effects of the Black Death? 5. Was the Black death a disaster? 	<p>Key piece 5: Causation: Explain 3 reasons why the English Civil war started?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Why did the Parliamentarians win? Women's History Month – How were women involved in the English Civil War? 4. Why was Charles I executed? 5. Who was Thomas Cromwell? 6. Why did England appoint a king again? 	<p>How did Britain strike back against the Nazis? Women's History Month - What was the role of women in WWII?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Who was Winston Churchill? 2. Dunkirk – Triumph or disaster?
April	<p>Key piece 4: Writing: 'The Crusades were a good thing'. Do you agree?</p> <p>Key piece 5: Explain: Explain 2 effects of the Black death</p> <p>Working at 2: WA2: Examination 16th -27th March</p> <p>Why were Medieval monarchs challenged?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Why was Matilda not made Queen of England? 2. What happened to Thomas Becket? 3. What sort of person was King John? 4. Why was the Magna Carta signed? 	<p>Working at 2: WA2: Examination 16th -27th March</p> <p>How did the Industrial Revolution change the world?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How did Britain change between 1500-1750? 2. What were the living conditions in industrial towns? 3. Why were factories dangerous places to work in? <p>Key piece 6: Evidence: What can we learn from source A and B about child labour?</p>	<p>Key piece 5: Interpretation: 'Dunkirk was a miracle'. Do you agree?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. What happened at the Battle of Britain? 4. What was it like to live during the Blitz? 5. Where the British right to bomb Dresden? 6. What happened in the Battle of the Atlantic? 7. What is D-Day? 8. What happened at Hiroshima? <p>Working at 2: WA2: Examination 16th -27th March</p> <p>Why did the USSR & USA enter a Cold war?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What were the causes of the Cold war? 2. What happened at the Yalta and Potsdam conferences?

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June	Why were Indians called savage? 1. Who were the first settlers of the Americas? 2. Who were the Native Americans? 3. What were the rituals & customs of the Native Americans? 4. Why did the Sioux tribe live in Tipis? 5. Why was the buffalo important to the Sioux tribe? 6. Why was there conflict between the Europeans & Natives? 7. What was the battle of Little Bighorn? 8. Who were the key individuals of the Native Indian tribes? How did Henry VII consolidate powers for the Tudor dynasty? 1. Why did the Tudors become the rulers of England in 1485? 2. How did Henry VII win the Battle of Bosworth? 3. Was Henry VII a good king? 4. What is Henry VII's legacy?	What impact did the British Empire have on its colonies? 1. What was the British Empire? 2. What is slavery? 3. How did the Trade Triangular system work? 4. How were slaves captured & transported? 5. What was life like on the Plantations? 6. Why was slave Trade abolished? 7. What was the Underground Railroad? Key piece 7: Evidence: How useful are sources... for an enquiry about the slave trade? Why was WW1 considered to be the war to end all wars? 1. What were the causes of WWI? 2. How did the Alliance system lead to WWI? 3. Why was Franz Ferdinand assassinated? 4. Why did so many volunteer? 5. What was life like in the trenches? 6. What weapons were used during WWI? 7. How did the war affect the soldiers?	Key piece 6: Explain: Explain the causes of the Cold War How effective was non-violence during the Civil rights movement? 1. Why was there a Civil War in USA? 2. What were the Jim Crow Laws? 3. Is it possible to be separate but equal? 4. What happened in Little Rock? 5. Was the murder of Emmett Till a turning point? 6. Why was Rosa Parks significant? 7. Does Martin Luther King deserve to be called a great man? 8. What was the significance of the Greensboro sit-ins? 9. Who were the important leaders of the civil rights movement?
July	Working at 3: WA3: End of year examination	Working at 3: WA3: End of year examination	Key piece 7: Writing: Source questions – integration/Emmett Till Explain why the bus boycott was successful What happened in the 20th and 21st century? 1. Why was Warrington bombed? 2. What happened on 9/11? 3. What were the consequences of 9/11? 4. Why was there a war in Syria? 5. What happened in the Manchester attack? 6. What is 'fake news'? 7. How did the corona virus change our lives? Working at 3: WA3: End of year examination

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