

History KS3 to KS5 Curriculum Map

Year 9

Autumn term	- Intro to History (Initial baseline assessment and end of unit assessment). Building upon the skills gained from the Middle Schools and how these can be applied to the KS3 and KS4 curriculums. Key skills include: Chronology, change and continuity, interpretation and bias, analysing sources and cause and consequence. - Industrial revolution (Living and working conditions) – This focuses on the link between the chronological based experience of History at the feeder schools and links to the context around Jack the Ripper. - Jack the Ripper (Assessment based on GCSE exam style questions) – Focus on crime and technology at the end of the 19th century - Titanic (Oral assessment) – Focus on social class at the beginning of the 20th century
Spring term	- The Suffragettes (Assessment based on GCSE source exam style questions) – Focus on the role of popular pressure in bringing about change. - WW1 (Assessment based on GCSE exam style questions) – Focus on the changing nature of warfare.
Summer term	- WW2 (End of unit assessment including the Holocaust) – Focus on the causes, events and consequences of warfare. Supercurricular (On the Holocaust linked with the R.S department)

Year 10 (GCSE Year 1)

Autumn term	- Medicine in Britain, c1250–present and The British sector of the Western Front, 1914–18: injuries, treatment and the trenches. – This is structured as a chronological history (Medieval/Renaissance/Industrial/Modern) with key themes running through (causes/treatments and care/preventions). There is a separate source based study on medicine on the Western Front.
Spring term	- Medicine in Britain, c1250–present and The British sector of the Western Front, 1914–18: injuries, treatment and the trenches. - Assessment - In class mock and Year 10 March mocks - The reigns of King Richard and King John, 1189-1216 (Key Topic 1 – Life and Government in England, 1189-1216)
Summer term	- The reigns of King Richard and King John, 1189-1216 (Key Topic 2 – Involvement overseas, 1189-1204 & Key Topic 3 – King John's downfall, 1205-1216) - Assessment – In class mock

Year 11 (GCSE Year 2)

Autumn term	- Assessment – In class mock - Year 11 December mocks (Paper 1 and Combined Paper 2) - Weimar and Nazi Germany, 1918–39 (Key Topic 1 – The Weimar Republic 1918-29 & Key Topic 2 – Hitler’s rise to power, 1919-33)
Spring term	- Weimar and Nazi Germany, 1918–39 (Key Topic 3 – Nazi control and dictatorship, 1933-39 & Key Topic 4 – Life in Nazi Germany, 1933-39) - Superpower relations and the Cold War, 1941–91 (Key Topic 1 – The origins of the Cold War, 1941-1958, Key Topic 2 – Cold War crises, 1958-1970 & Key Topic 3 – The end of the Cold War, 1970-1991) - Assessment – In class mock - Year 11 March mocks (Combined Paper 2 and Paper 3)
Summer term	- Superpower relations and the Cold War, 1941–91 (Key Topic 1 – The origins of the Cold War, 1941-1958, Key Topic 2 – Cold War crises, 1958-1970 & Key Topic 3 – The end of the Cold War, 1970-1991) - Assessment – June GCSE exam

Year 12 (A Level Year 1)

Autumn term	- Anglo-Saxon England and the Norman Conquest 1035–1107 - Assessment - A combination of essay and source questions to coincide with each of the key topics. 4 for the essay based questions and 3 for the source based questions - Factual recall tests at the end of each key topic
Spring term	- Completion of Anglo Saxon and the Norman Conquest 1035-1107 enquiry topic (source based) - In class assessment (Paper 1 mock exam) - The Cold War in Asia 1945 – 1993 - Assessment – A combination of comparison and essay based questions to coincide with the key topics. There are 6 key topics so 3 essay questions and 3 comparison questions. - Factual recall tests at the end of each topic - In class assessment (Paper 2 mock exam)
Summer term	- Completion of Cold War in Asia (Topic 5 and 6) - Internal mock examinations on Paper 1 and Paper 2. - Begin research and planning of coursework

Year 13 (A Level Year 2)

Autumn term	- Continue with research, planning and writing of coursework - Civil Rights in the USA 1865 – 1992 – Key topics 1 and 2 - Assessment – A combination of essay and interpretation questions for key topic 1 and 2. - December mock examinations on Paper 1, Paper 2 & Paper 3
Spring term	- Civil Rights in the USA 1865 – 1992 – Key topics 3 and 4 - Assessment – A combination of essay and interpretation questions for key topic 3 and 4. - February mock examinations on Paper 2 and Paper 3 - Revision of Unit 1, 2 and 3
Summer term	- Revision of Unit 1, 2 and 3.