

KS3 HISTORY CURRICULUM

Year	Year 7 (2 lessons a week)	Year 8 (1.5 lessons a week)	Year 9 (2 lessons a week)
Half term 1	The Roman Empire <i>Key skill: knowledge and understanding;</i> introduction to history skills	Religious change in Tudor England <i>Key skill: historical interpretation</i>	Suffragettes (Varied skills) World War One <i>Key skill: historical interpretation</i>
Half term 2	Medieval Power <i>Key skill: change and continuity</i>	Tudor England <i>Key skill: historical interpretation</i> Stuarts <i>Key skill: using sources</i>	World War One <i>Key skill: historical interpretation</i>
Half term 3	Islamic Civilisation <i>Key skill: using sources</i>	Stuarts <i>Key skill: using sources</i> The Trans-Atlantic Slave Trade <i>Key skill: explaining change</i>	The USA in the 1920s and 1930s <i>Key skill: using sources</i>
Half term 4	Medieval Life <i>Key skill: knowledge and understanding</i>	The Trans-Atlantic Slave Trade <i>Key skill: explaining factors involved in change</i> The Caribbean after the end of slavery <i>Key skill: change and continuity</i>	Independence for India and Partition <i>Key skill: explaining significance</i> Interwar Germany <i>Key skill: historical enquiries</i>
Half term 5	Exploration & Aztecs <i>Key skill: using sources</i> Native Americans <i>Key skill: knowledge and understanding</i>	The Caribbean after the end of slavery <i>Key skill: change and continuity</i> The Industrial Revolution <i>Key skill: cause and consequence</i>	Interwar Germany and Holocaust <i>Key skill: historical enquiries</i> World War Two <i>Key skill: identifying and explaining turning points</i>
Half term 6	Native Americans <i>Key skill: knowledge and understanding</i> <i>Revision and KS3 Assessment</i> Ancient China <i>Key skill: using sources</i>	The Industrial Revolution <i>Key skill: cause and consequence</i> <i>Revision and KS3 Assessment</i>	World War Two <i>Key skill: identifying and explaining turning points</i> Post SWW world, e.g. the Civil Rights Movement in America or Vietnam (Varied skills)

Timings will change as the calendar changes each year