

Subject	History
Curriculum intent	<p>The History department aims to increase students' cultural capital through a stimulating curriculum igniting a passion and thirst for learning. We aim to generate curiosity of the past in which our learners become critical and reflective thinkers, who can employ their learned skills in historical enquiry.</p> <p>Our department aims to develop students who can interpret the way the past has been explained and construct their own interpretations, developing independent thinking. Our history curriculum helps students comprehend the diversity of human experience in Britain and the wider world throughout different ages, and aids understanding of how history has shaped the world we live in today.</p>
Key Stage 3	<p>Year 7</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The Norman Conquest ● Power of Medieval Kings ● Religious rollercoaster (The Tudors) <p>Year 8</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Monarchy - Republic - Monarchy (Stuart Britain) ● The British Empire ● The Industrial Revolution <p>Year 9</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● WWI ● WWII ● Brave New World? (post-war study)
Key Stage 4	<p>GCSE History (AQA)</p> <p>Paper 1: Understanding the modern world Section A -- America 1920 - 1973: opportunity and inequality Section B -- Conflict and tension between East and West, 1945 - 1972</p> <p>Paper 2: Shaping the nation Section A -- Health and the people, 1000 to the present day Section B -- Norman England, 1066 - 1100</p> <p>Each section has a 1 hour exam, and is worth 25% of the overall GCSE.</p>
Key Stage 5	<p>A Level History (AQA)</p> <p>Unit 1: Breadth study. 40% of the A Level, 2hr 30 exam Stuart Britain and the Crisis of Monarchy, 1603 - 1702</p> <p>Unit 2: Depth study. 40% of the A Level, 2hr 30 exam Democracy and Nazism: Germany, 1918 - 1945</p> <p>Unit 3: Historical Investigation (NEA). 20% of the A Level, independent research and extended essay</p>

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