



History Second Order Concepts that underpin every unit of work: Cause & Consequence, Similarities & Differences, Chronology, Evidence, Interpretations, Change & Continuity, Diversity, Significance.

	Term 1 (Autumn)		Term 2 (Spring)		Term 3 (Summer)	
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic	Uneasy Peace: The Interwar Years Cause and Consequence, Chronology	Nazi Germany • Change & Continuity	• Cause & Consequ • Evidence	d War 2 Jence	The HolocaustSignificance,Diversity &Interpretation	The Cold War • Cause & Consequence Significance
Key Questions	Did Europe achieve peace? • Treaty of Versailles • League of Nations • Dictatorship • Stalin's Russia • Rise of Hitler • Appeasement	How did Hitler change Germany? • Creating a dictatorship • Life for Children • Life for women • Persecution • Life for workers • Road to War	What made WW2 a total war? Total War Dunkirk Propaganda Battle of Britain Blitz Spirit Allies & Axis	What made WW2 a 'Total War'? • The Pacific War • Singapore & Okinawa • Enigma • D-Day • Victory in Europe • Manhattan Project	How & why did the Holocaust happen? • Antisemitism • Persecution • Ghettos • Final Solution • Resistance • Responsibility	What was the Cold War? • United Nations • East V West • Cold War in Europe • Crisis of the Cold War • Greenham Common • Detente

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All pupils will sit an assessment and several knowledge tests in Year 9.

	Assessment Autumn Term		Knowledge Tests	Revision Resources Kennet Resources Year 9 Knowledge Organisers	
			Spring Term		
Style of Assessment	Part A: A series of short answer questions	Part B: Four written questions	Each knowledge test consists of 10 multiple- choice questions	 Learning Habits External Resources BBC Bitesize Treaty of Versailles & League 	
Topics Assessed	The Treaty of VersaillesThe League of Nations		Core knowledge taught until that point in the academic year	of Nations You can also find revision material on Frog	

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