



Year 9 Curriculum

History



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	The Great War	Suffrage	Uneasy Peace: The Interwar Years	The Holocaust	Total War: WW2 & Its Consequences	The Cold War
Key Concepts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cause & Consequence, Interpretations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cause & Consequence Using evidence 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cause & Consequence, Chronology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Significance, Diversity & Interpretations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cause & Consequence Evidence Diversity 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cause & Consequence, Chronology
Key Questions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Why was WW1 a 'new' type of war? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> How did British women win the right to vote? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What mistakes led to WW2? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> How could the Holocaust Happen 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What made WW2 a 'total' war? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> When was the Cold War most dangerous?
Key Content	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The European Alliance System Impact of Militarism, Nationalism and Imperialism. Changes to warfare Empire and WW1: Who fought for Britain? The Somme 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Life of women in 1900 The fight to vote Methods of the Suffragettes Gaining the vote 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Treaty of Versailles The League of Nations Rise of the Dictators The British policy of appeasement 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is the history of anti-Semitism? Persecution under the Nazis The Final Solution Jewish Resistance Legacy of the Holocaust 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Propaganda Dunkirk Blitz Spirit The Pacific Turning Points The Manhattan Project 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The function of the United Nations The origins of the Cold War NATO and the Warsaw Pact Crisis of the Cold War



Year 9 Assessment

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

	Assessment		Knowledge Tests	Revision Resources
	Autumn Term		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	Kennet Resources <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 9 Knowledge Organisers Learning Habits External Resources <ul style="list-style-type: none"> BBC Bitesize - World War One
Topics Assessed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Long Term Causes of WW1 Experiences of WW1 Reasons for the defeat of Germany in 1918 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Core knowledge taught until that point in the academic year 	You can also find revision material on Frog 