

Overview of the year: This year we study a range of topics for your GCSE. We look at the history of medicine and healthcare in Britain from the Medieval period to the present day. Students will also learn a period of British History in depth through the study of Elizabethan England. Students will finish the year beginning to study the Interwar years and the conflict and tension that led to the Second World War. This module will be continued in Year 11. Students should finish the year with a broad range of historical knowledge across all time periods since the Medieval period and a strong understanding of how to write successful GCSE History answers.		Ways to consolidate and extend your learning in History: The main resource for learning GCSE History are the textbooks given to you by the school. Pre-reading the textbook before lessons is a great way to help with your learning of the key knowledge required for GCSE. Additionally, online resources such as youtube videos and BBC bitesize can help further your understanding of topics. A wider list of useful resources is available on the school website. Particularly useful places to visit are; The Museum of London; The British Museum; The Hunterian; The Wellcome Collection; The Old Operating Theatre; Hampton Court Palace; Eastbury Manor House; The Globe Theatre; The Golden Hinde; and The Imperial War Museum. Further ideas for trips with your household and documentaries are also available on the school website.		
Half Term	Unit title	Knowledge	Skills	Assessment (all modules will have an assessment under controlled conditions when finished)
1, 2, 3	Thematic Study: Health and the People	A study into the development of healthcare in Britain from 1000 until present day. This includes surgery, cures and prevention, public health, epidemics, and training of medical professionals. Our studies are split into four chronological time periods.	Evaluating usefulness of sources using content and provenance Significance Change and continuity Comparing similarities Argumentative writing	Feedback throughout lessons as part of AfL and CfU. Written feedback on the two assessed written tasks per month. Whole class feedback following each homework and based on the previous lesson's learning (Daily Review) End of Module Assessment
4, 5	Depth Study: Elizabethan England - Court and Parliament	A study into how Elizabeth I managed her royal court and parliament, her religious, economic and social policies and the challenges she faced early in her reign.	Fact checking interpretations Explaining importance Change and continuity Argumentative writing	Feedback throughout lessons as part of AfL and CfU. Written feedback on the two assessed written tasks per month. Whole class feedback following each homework and based on the previous lesson's learning (Daily Review) End of Module Assessment
6	Conflict and Tension Treaties of Paris and the League of Nations	A study into the measures taken at the end of World War One to restrict the power of losing countries. We examine the terms of peace agreements, their causes and their consequences. We also study the creation, and ultimate failure of the League of Nations.	Comprehension of political cartoons Evaluating usefulness of source Explaining change and consequences Argumentative writing	Feedback throughout lessons as part of AfL and CfU. Written feedback on the two assessed written tasks per month. Whole class feedback following each homework and based on the previous lesson's learning (Daily Review) PPE1