

YEAR	TERM 1 (Autumn)	TERM 2 (Spring)	TERM 3 (Summer)
YEAR 7	THE NORMANS: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Life in 1066 • Who should be king in 1066 • The battle of Hastings • Why Harold lost the battle • The feudal system • The Domesday Book • Motte and bailey castles 	THE MEDIEVAL PERIOD: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Life in a medieval village • Life in a medieval Monastery • The death of Thomas Becket • Magna Carta • The Crusades • The Black Death • The Peasants Revolt • Chivalry and heraldry 	VARIOUS TOPICS: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Wild West • Roman Britain
YEAR 8	THE TUDORS: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Life in 1485 • Henry VIII and his VI wives • Cardinal Wolsey • The Dissolution of the Monasteries • The Pilgrimage of Grace • Edward VI and Mary I • Elizabeth I & Mary Queen of Scots 	THE TUDORS AND THE STUARTS: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Spanish Armada • Vagrancy and the poor • James I and the Gunpowder Plot • The causes of the English civil war • Life during the English civil war • Oliver Cromwell • The Plague and The Great Fire of London 	THE INDUSTRIAL REVOLUTION: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The treatment of the poor • Slavery • Inventions and Inventors
YEAR 9	EARLY TWENTIETH CENTURY: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1900 – 1945 • Europe in 1914 • Assassination in Sarajevo • The causes of WWI • Trench life • Gallipoli • The battle of the Somme • The treaty of Versailles 	MID TWENTIETH CENTURY: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The League of Nations • Josef Stalin • America in the 1920's – prohibition and gangsters • Hitler's road to war • The causes of WWII • WWII 	MID TWENTIETH CENTURY: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WWII - the Home Front • Operation Barbarossa: Russia • Pearl Harbour • The Pacific Campaign and Japan • D day - the invasion of Germany • The dropping of the atomic bomb • The Holocaust