

SUBJECT: Teaching, Learning & Curriculum Principles

History
2019 - 2021



History at The Westwood Academy is about understanding the past through key events that helped shape our country and the world. Through history students gain an appreciation of continuity and change and an understanding of causation. In addition to this The Westwood Academy have developed a literacy programme that runs discreetly through the history lessons but which ensures all pupil's develops their literacy skills whilst learning about history.

YEAR GROUP	SCHEME or QUALIFICATIONS	AUTUMN TOPICS	SPRING TOPICS	SUMMER TOPICS	ASSESSMENT
7	Power and Democracy.	History Skills. Medieval Britain including the Norman Conquest.	Medieval Britain. The Tudors.	The Tudors.	Tolland Man – History Skills, Second Order Concepts. Why did William win the Battle of Hastings? – Causation. The Princes in the tower – Source Analysis. GCSE style exam.
8	Empire, Slavery, Power and Democracy.	Empire India, Africa and China.	Slavery and Civil Rights in America.	Chartists, Suffragettes, and the right to vote.	What the British Empire a force for Good – Evaluation. Middle passage – Source Analysis. Emily Davison - Source Analysis and Evaluation. GCSE style exam.
9	Crime and Punishment (Jack the Ripper) 20 th Century AQA – Britain Health and the People c1000 to present day.	Titanic Jack the Ripper.	World War One The rise of Fascism and Communism World War Two.	World War Two Britain Health and the People c1000 – 1750.	Jack the Ripper - Source Analysis. Why did World War One begin? – Causation. Why did Germany lose World War One? – Evaluation. GCSE style exam (Year 9 topics).
10	AQA – Britain Health and the People c1000 to present day, Germany 1890 – 1945: Democracy to Dictatorship.	Britain Health and the People c1000 – 1750.	Britain Health and the People 1750 to present day, Germany 1890 – 1945: Democracy to Dictatorship.	Germany 1890 – 1945: Democracy to Dictatorship.	A selection of exam questions – completed in lesson. GCSE style mock exam in January using past materials. GCSE style mock exam in July using past materials.
11	AQA – Conflict and Diplomacy between East and West 1945 – 1972, Norman England c1066 – c1100.	Conflict and Diplomacy 1945 – 1972.	Norman England c1066 – c1100 including the Historic Environments study (site changes each year). Revision.	Examinations.	A selection of exam questions – completed in lesson GCSE style mock exam in December using past materials. GCSE style mock exam in April using past materials. Summer 2-hour exam on Britain: Health and the People and Norman England. 2-hour exam on Germany 1890 – 1945: Democracy to Dictatorship and Conflict and Diplomacy between East and West 1945 – 1972.