

Key Stage 3 – YEAR 9 HISTORY
Curriculum Map for Students

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Theme	Knowledge and Focus – Significant events in the 20 th Century Skill Focus – Significance, impact and interpretations					
Topic Overview	WWI	Rise of Hitler	The Holocaust	WWII	Significant events in the 20 th and 21 st	The Vietnam War
Focus	Students will look at the long and short term factors that contributed to the outbreak of war. They will then investigate life in the trenches, and key battles during the conflict.	Students will look at the impact of WWI on Germany, including hyperinflation and the Treaty of Versailles. They will then investigate what life was like in Nazi Germany.	Students will understand how the holocaust came to happen. They will appreciate that this wasn't the only genocide that has happened.	Students will look at key turning points in WWII – assessing which was the most significant turning point.	Students will cover events such as the cold war, troubles in Ireland, and the rise of terrorism after 9/11.	Students will begin to cover some GCSE content – gaining a broad overview of the Vietnam War.
Assessment	Student assessments will include; extended writing, source question, knowledge test					
	<p>Assessment one:</p> <p><i>“Explain why WWI was significant”</i></p> <p><i>What can you infer from source B about...</i></p> <p><i>What is the main difference between interpretation one and two about...</i></p> <p>20 knowledge questions</p>	<p>Assessment two:</p> <p><i>‘Explain the importance of Hitler’s tactics on his ability to control Germany’</i></p> <p><i>Give two things you can infer from source B about...</i></p> <p><i>What is the main difference between interpretation one and two about...</i></p> <p>20 knowledge questions</p>	<p>Assessment three:</p> <p><i>Explain why the Holocaust was significant.</i></p> <p><i>Give two things you can infer from source B about...</i></p> <p><i>What is the main difference between interpretation one and two about...</i></p> <p>20 knowledge questions</p>	<p>Assessment four:</p> <p><i>“The Battle of Britain was the biggest turning point in WWII” how far do you agree?</i></p> <p><i>Give three things this source tells you about...</i></p> <p><i>What is the main difference between interpretation one and two about...</i></p> <p>20 knowledge questions</p>	<p>End of year assessment:</p> <p><i>What was the most significant event of the 20th century?</i></p> <p><i>Give three things this source tells you about...</i></p> <p><i>What is the main difference between interpretation one and two about...</i></p> <p>20 knowledge questions</p>	

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