

History Curriculum overview for Year 9

Term	Autumn 1/Autumn 2/Spring 1		Spring 2/ Summer 1/ Summer 2		
Topic	Russia 1917-1989		America 1920-1974		
	Themes- Revolution, communism, conflict, dictatorship, Civil Rights, propaganda.				
Knowledge	Causes of the Russian Revolution, Lenin and communism, Stalin and the 5 year plans, beginnings of the Cold War, Korean war, Vietnam, espionage, fall of the Berlin Wall, China.		Post WWI 'Boom', changing status of women, inequalities of wealth, the 'Bust', Wall St Crash, effects of the depression, 1930s Popular Culture, the New Deal, WWII, 1950s Popular Culture, JFK and LBJ, Civil Rights, Women's rights.		
	Second order concepts- Change/continuity, significance, cause/consequence, chronology, similarities/differences.				
Skills	Inference, source analysis, interpretation, measuring significance, comparison.				
Key Marked Piece (Summative Assessments in bold)	End of unit assessment: Russia 1917-1941	End of unit assessment: Russia 1941-1989	End of unit assessment: The Boom, The Bust, the New Deal	End of unit assessment: WWII, Civil Rights, Women's rights	PPE: America 1920-1947
Vocabulary	Revolution, communism, Tsar, autocrat, Bolsheviks, centralisation, industrialisation, peasant, opposition, oppression, Cold War, espionage, arms race, propaganda.		Mass production, prosperity, austerity, inequality, immigrant, migrant, economic depression, quota, pump priming, Civil Rights, campaign, protest.		