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| **Year 8 - History** | | | | | | |
| **Curriculum intent** | Knowledge of history is key to understanding the world around us and our place within it.  Students will be building on both the key skills and the knowledge they acquired last year. They will be examining the continuing development of the role of the monarchy and its conflict with parliament alongside the continuing importance of religion in early modern Britain. They examine how Britain interacted with the wider world both in the development of the British Empire and the slave trade and how both of these developments affected Britain and the wider world. Students will chart the developing role and power of parliament, how people fought for and achieved greater rights, before completing the year by examining the causes of World War One and how common misconception shave shaped our understanding of the events of the Great War. Throughout the year learners will be building and developing the key literacy and historical skills they were introduced to in year 7. | | | | | |
| **Term** | **Autumn 1** | **Autumn 2** | **Spring 1** | **Spring 2** | **Summer 1** | **Summer 2** |
| **Knowledge** | **Why did we kill our king?**   * Power of parliament * Causes of English Civil War * Causes of the execution of Charles II | **Why did Manchester become known as Cottonopolis?**   * Causes of Industrial Revolution * Changes in Manchester and Britain * Role of cotton and slavery | **How did Britons fight for their rights?**   * History of Rights and voting * Peterloo * Reform Act * Chartists | **Why was the slave trade abolished?**   * Triangular trade * How Britain benefitted from slavery * Abolition of slavery | **Should we destroy our idols?**   * East India Company and Robert Clive * Britain in India * Interpretations | **Was WW1 really a war of lions led by donkeys?**   * Illnesses and treatments in the trenches * Battles of WW1 * Soldiers of WW1 * Historians interpretations of the war |
| **Skills** | Causation  Significance  Inference  Sources  Evaluation  Reaching a judgement  Interpretations | Causation  Consequence  Change and continuity  Inference  Reaching a judgement | Causation  Consequence  Significance | Causation  Significance  Sources | Causation  Consequence  Interpretations | Causation  Significance  Sources  Evaluation  Reaching judgements  Interpretations |
| **Assessments** | KS3 Exam 1 after Topic 1   * Multiple choice questions * Recall questions * Chronology task * Extended piece of writing on the execution of Charles I | KS3 Exam 2 after Topic 2   * Multiple choice questions * Recall questions * Chronology task * Extended piece of writing on why the Industrial Revolution happened | KS3 Exam 3 after Topic 3   * Multiple choice questions * Recall questions * Chronology task * Extended piece of writing on the similarities and differences between groups campaigning for rights | KS3 Exam 4 after Topic 4   * Multiple choice questions * Recall questions * Chronology task * Extended piece of writing on why slavery was abolished | KS3 Exam 5 after Topic 5   * Multiple choice questions * Recall questions * Chronology task * Extended piece of writing on statues | KS3 Exam 6 after Topic 6   * Multiple choice questions * Recall questions * Chronology task * Extended piece of writing on interpretations of WW1 |
| **Enrichment** | Books:  · The Time Traveller's Guide to Restoration Britain ISBN-10: 0099593394  · I Coriander Sally Gardner ISBN-10: 1842555049 | Books: My Story: Mill Girl Sue Reid ISBN-10: 1407103733 Liberty's Dawn: A People's History of the Industrial Revolution by Emma Griffin ISBN-10 : 0300205252 Places of Interest: Museum of Science and Industry Liverpool Road Castlefield Manchester M3 4FP Quarry Bank Mill Styal Rd, Styal, Wilmslow SK9 4LA | Books: Revolution by Jennifer Donnelly ISBN-10: 1408801515 Peterloo: Witness to a Massacre: Graphic Novel ISBN-10: 1780264755 Places of Interest: People’s History Museum Left Bank, Manchester M3 3ER Peterloo Massacre Memorial Windmill St, Manchester M2 3DL Film & Documentaries: Private Life of the Industrial Revolution: Social Change Available on YouTube | Books: Barmy British Empire (Horrible Histories) Terry Deary ISBN-10:1407104217 Sugar in the Blood: A Family's Story of Slavery and Empire: A Family Memoir ISBN-10: 1846270723 Film & Documentaries: Britain's Forgotten Slave Owners Available on iplayer | Books: Indian Mutiny: Hanuman Singh, India, 1857-1858 (My Story) ISBN-10: 0439981085 A Moment Comes by Jennifer Bradbury ISBN-10: 1534439498 Film & Documentaries: BBC Empire Episode 2 - Making Ourselves at Home Documentary - Jeremy Paxman Available on YouTube | Books: Poppy in the Field by Mary Hooper – 9781408827635 Medal for Leroy by Michal Morpurgo – ISBN-10: 0007339682 Place’s of interest: Imperial War Museum North, Trafford Wharf Road, The Quays, Manchester, M17 1TZ Museum of the Manchester Regiment Town Hall, Ashton Under Lyne, OL6 6DL |