

History

Mission Statement

We are giving students the skills and knowledge they need to engage fully with the world around them, access further study and the world of work.

Year 9

Module Title	Module Overview
The Holocaust	<p>Students will study:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• What reasons were given for anti-Semitism?• What was the Holocaust and who was involved?• How did the Nazis treat German Jews before WWII?• How did the Nazis treat Jews in the early stages of WWII?• What was life like in the ghettos?• What was the 'Final Solution'?• What was life like in the camps?• How effective was resistance to the Holocaust?• How have people interpreted the Holocaust? <p>Skills on which students will be assessed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Description• Explanation• Evaluation of the usefulness of sources• Investigation using sources• Evaluation of arguments• Essay writing
The American Civil Rights Movement	<p>Students will study:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• How and why did the American CRM develop in the 1950s?• How and why did the American CRM change in the 1950s?• To what extent has the American CRM been successful? <p>Skills on which students will be assessed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Comparison of different time periods• Evaluating the usefulness of sources• Explanation• Evaluation of arguments• Essay writing
'The World Turned Upside Down The English Civil War' 1642-1650	<p>Students will study:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The causes of the English Civil War• The New Model Army and the conflict• The 'World Upside down': The Levellers and the Diggers• Matthew Hopkins and the Witchcraft trials• The execution of Charles I• Interpretations of Oliver Cromwell

	<p>Skills on which students will be assessed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explanation • Factual recall • Source analysis • Comparison
<p>The Vietnam War</p>	<p>Students will study:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How and why did America get involved in the Vietnam War? • Why did the US lose the Vietnam War? • How and why did many Americans oppose the Vietnam War? <p>Skills on which students will be assessed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explanation of historical importance • Evaluation of arguments • Recall of content knowledge • Narrative accounts • Essay writing