Year 8 History

THE JOURNEY OF LEARNING

Year 8 Summer Preparation

Complete glossary of keywords for Y9

Complete biographies of key people you will learn about in Y9

The Titanic: A class system

Introduction to the 20th Century: A century of change – Inventions and technology

Year 8 Summer Term 2

Introduction to the 20th Century: The suffragette movement.

End of Year Assessment

Introduction to the 20th Century: Chronology of key events

Introduction to the 20th Century: Key individuals – who had the biggest impact?

Year 8 Summer Term 1

Big Write: DIRT time

Extended Write: A Narrative account of how working men got the vote.

Industrial Revolution: Killer people – Jack the Ripper

Industrial Revolution: Worst Jobs

Industrial Revolution: How did working men get the vote?

Industrial Revolution: Killer Diseases

Big Write: DIRT time

Extended Write: Source enquiry into life in mills during the Industrial Revolution

Industrial Revolution: Life in the mills

Industrial Revolution: What was life like in towns/cities?

Industrial Revolution: What powered the Industrial Revolution? Key inventions and technology of the Industrial Revolution

Industrial Revolution: What caused the Industrial Revolution

Industrial Revolution: What was the Industrial Revolution?

Year 8 Spring Term 2

Empire: Gandhi, protest, rebellion and the beginning of the end of the empire…

Extended Write: Empire – A force for good? Evaluate

Empire: India – a 'Jewel in the crown'?

Big Write: DIRT time

Mid Year Assessment

Empire: How did the British Empire end?

Empire: How did Britain build an empire that the 'sun never set on' and what did it gain from it?

Empire: What is an Empire? Why did Britain want an empire?

Year 8 Spring Term 1

Big Write: DIRT time

Civil Rights: Martin Luther King and other key individuals in the Civil Rights movement

Civil Rights: Protests and how they were dealt with.

Extended Write: Which individual had the biggest impact on the Civil Rights movement?

Civil Rights: Obama and beyond – What does the picture look like in America today?

Civil Rights: What happened to 'freed' slaves? How did the Civil Rights movement begin?

Year 8 Autumn Term 2

Slavery: The American Civil War (causes and consequences) and the ending of slavery

Slavery: The abolitionist movement

Extended Write: The Abolishment movement (Most important reason Q)

Slavery: How were slaves bought and sold – Life on a plantation

Big Write: DIRT time

Slavery: What impact did slavery have on the North West?

Slavery: Life in Africa – How ere slaves captured and the 'middle passage'

Slavery: The slave triangle – why was the Slave trade so important to Britain?

Year 8 Autumn Term 1

welcome

Visit the local library and read a book related to something you will be learning in Y8

Visit the local library and read a book related to something that you have learned in Y7.

Summer holidays

Develop a thirst for reading

Develop a lifelong love of learning

Closed-Book Assessment/Extended Write | DIRT | Mid or End of Year Assessment | PSHE-Related Topics | Careers-Related Topics | Literacy-Related Topics | Cultural Capital Topics