



Curriculum Overview: **HISTORY**

Exam Board: **OCR B**

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What is History *really* all about?

- What is History? Chronology
- Introduction to Second Order Concepts
- Introduction to sources and interpretations

Early Medieval Life

- Early Britons
- Anglo-Saxon migration and impact on Britain
- Viking migration and impact on Britain

Medieval Societies

- Claimants to the Throne
- Battle of Fulford Gate and Stamford bridge
- Battle of Hastings
- Consolidating Norman power
- Dudley Castle

Medieval Societies

- Black Death
- Magna Carta
- Peasant's Revolt
- The Crusades and religion
- African kingdoms
- Islamic Empire

Tudor England

- End of the Wars of the Roses
- Reformation
- Story of black Tudors
- Edward VI and Lady Jane
- Elizabeth I

Stuart England

- James I
- Gunpowder Plot
- Charles I and Civil War
- Execution and Protectorate
- Restoration
- Impact on Dudley

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The British Empire

- The First British Empire
- Second British Empire
- India under Empire
- Other colonies e.g. Ghana
- Slavery and abolition
- Legacy of Empire

America and the War of Independence

- America before Europeans
- 17th Century settlement
- 13 Colonies
- War of Independence
- Creation of the USA

Industrial Revolution

- How did Britain change between 1750 and 1900?
- Key inventions
- Working conditions
- Living conditions
- Public Health

The fight for Suffrage

- Women in the 19th Century
- Peterloo and the Chartists
- Creation of WSPU
- Emily Davison
- Impact of WWI
- Gaining the vote

World War One

- Causes and outbreak
- Trench warfare and battles
- Role of Commonwealth
- Home Front
- Armistice
- Douglas Haig

America in the 20th Century

- Immigration
- Organised Crime
- Entertainment in the 20s-60s.
- Civil Rights Movement

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Communism in Russia

- Russia before 1900
- Nicholas II
- Communism and Capitalism
- Revolution and Abdication
- Russian Civil War
- Assassination of the Tsar

Interwar Years & the Rise of Dictators

- End of WWI
- Treaty of Versailles
- Reactions to the Treaty
- The Great Depression
- Rise of Hitler

Nazi Germany and the Holocaust

- Introduction to the Nazis
- Establishing the Dictatorship 1933-1934
- Control and Opposition 1934-1939

Nazi Germany and the Holocaust

- Workers 1933-1939
- Women 1933-1939
- Youth 1933-39
- Minority groups 1933-1939
- Jews 1933-1939

Nazi Germany and the Holocaust

- Key events 1939-1945
- Nazi Occupation of Europe
- Collaboration 1939-1945
- Opposition 1939-1945
- The Holocaust

The Second World War

- Causes of WW2
- Key events in WW2, D-Day, Dunkirk, Barbarossa
- End of War and its consequences

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The People's Health 1250 - present

- Medieval Public Health 1250-1500
- Early Modern Public Health 1500-1750

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- Industrial Britain Public Health 1750-1900

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- Modern Britain Public Health 1900-Present
- Consolidation
- Exam Technique

The Elizabethans, 1580-1603

- Elizabeth and her Government
- The Catholic Threat
- Mary Queen of Scots

The Elizabethans, 1580 - 1603

- Daily Lives
- Poverty in England
- Popular Culture
- Witchcraft

The Elizabethans, 1580 - 1603

- The Wider World
- Elizabethan Explorers
- Consolidation
- Exam Technique

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The Making of America, 1789 - 1900

- Expansion 1789-1838
- The West 1839-1860

The Making of America, 1789 - 1900

- Civil War 1860-1865
- Reconstruction 1865-1877
- Settlement and Conflict on the Plains 1861-1877

The Making of America, 1789 - 1900

- American Cultures 1877-1900
- Consolidation
- Exam Technique

History Around Us - Dudley Castle

- Medieval creation
- Tudor development
- Stuart Civil War
- Industrial Ruins
- Modern Zoo

Exam Preparation

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