

<u>History</u> - Year 8

Michaelmas 1	African Kingdoms				
(3/9/24-	Enquiry Question: To what extent did Africa have kingdoms as great as European				
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25/1024)	kingdoms?				
	Content:				
	Kingdom of Mali				
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	Kingdom of Songhay				
	Kingdom of Benin				
	Kingdom of Asante				
	Assessment: "The Kingdom of Mali is the only great kingdom of Africa. The rest are				
	just myths". How far do you agree with this view? Explain your answer.				
	Historical skills- interpretations, source analysis, inference, analytical narrative,				
	causation				
Michaelmas 1	Transatlantic Slave Trade and why did it end (Unit 1)				
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(4/10/24-	Enquiry Question: What can sources reveal about slavery?				
20/12/24)					
	Content:				
	Transatlantic Slave Trade				
	Middle Passage				
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	Life on a plantation				
	Abolition of slavery				
	Assessment: How useful is a source for an enquiry into the experiences of slaves				
	during the Middle Passage (8)				
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	What was the Civil Rights Movement in the USA? (Unit 2)				
	Enquiry Question: Why did African Americans need civil rights in the USA in the				
	1960s?				
	Content:				
	Jim Crow Laws and the KKK				
	Emmet Till				
	Rosa Parks				
	Dr Martin Luther King Jr				
	Malcolm X				
	President Kennedy				
	Assessment: Explain why the Civil Rights Act was passed in 1964 (12)				
	Historical skills- source analysis, inference, analytical narrative, change and				
	continuity, cause and consequence, interpretations,				
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Lent 1	<u>The Industrial Revolution</u>				
	Enquiry Question: How did the Industrial Revolution impact Britain?				
	Content:				
	Britain Pre 1750				
	Factories				
	Women				
	Men				
	Children				
	Public Health				
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	Assessment: "The Industrial Revolution only had a positive impact on Britain". How far do you agree? Explain your answer using interpretation 1 and your own knowledge. (16+ 4SPaG) Historical skills- interpretations, source analysis, inference, change and continuity, cause and consequence.					
Lent 2	The First World War (1914-18)					
	Enquiry Question: Why did Britain go to war in 1914?					
	Content: Militarism (arms race) Alliances Imperialism (empire) Nationalism Assassination					
	Assessment: Write a narrative account analysing the key events leading to the outbreak of the First World War. (8) You may include the following in your answer: -Alliance system - Nationalism You must also use information of your own.					
	Historical skills- significance, cause and consequence, interpretations, source analysis, inference, change and continuity.					
Trinity 1	The Second World War (1939-45)					
	Enquiry Question: Why did Britain have another World War 21 years later? Content: Treaty of Versailles Weimar Germany Wall Street Crash					
	Fascism and Nationalism Hitler and the Nazis					
	Assessment: Study interpretations 1 and 2. What is the main difference for why WW2 broke out in 1939? (4) Why do interpretations give different views.					
	Historical skills- cause and consequence, change and continuity, interpretations, source analysis, inference and significance.					
Trinity 2	The Holocaust					
	Enquiry Question: How did anti-Semitism become genocide in Nazi-occupied Europe?					
	Content German Jewish life before the Nazis Anti- Semitism before the Holocaust					
	Nazi racial belief and policy Jewish resistance Final solution					
	Assessment: Explain the importance of the Nuremburg Laws for increasing anti- Semitism and later becoming genocide. (16)					
	Historical skills- cause and consequence, change and continuity, interpretations, source analysis, inference and significance.					