



History

“Men do not learn much from the lessons of history and that is the most important of all the lessons of history.”

Aldous Huxley

Purpose and Vision:

History is studied by all KS3 students at Globe and is an option at both GCSE and A Level. Studying history encourages students to delve in to past events in order to understand how individuals, government, nations and ideas have fought and co-operated to improve the world around us. Asides from developing knowledge students are encouraged to make decisions after weighing up evidence, contribute in a constructive way to discussions, express themselves clearly and develop their literacy, critical thinking and analysis skills.. History also counts towards the English Baccaulaureate (EBacc)

KS3:

History at KS3 is designed to prepare students for the rigors of studying the subject at either GCSE or A level by developing the skills required to succeed at the subject. In addition, KS3 History teaches the students an overview of British History during Year 7 starting with the Vikings and ending with 20th Century Britain. In Year 8, students study a variety of topic relating to World History, including the British Empire, slavery, the First World War, the Second World War and the Holocaust.

KS4:

History at KS4 is taught for three lessons per week, developing both historical understanding and exam skills. The History department is dedicated to engendering a passion for History in the students that take the subject through unpicking the key issues in each of the topics taught and making the subject relevant, regardless of when the event happened. Topics covered at GCSE include Migration, the People and Empire 763-Present Day, America 1920-73, the Cold War and Elizabethan England.

KS5:

History at KS5 prepares students for a variety of destinations; developing analytical skills that can be used in a variety of degrees and careers, encouraging a keen sense of world History that helps develop an awareness of the world around us. History A level students take an active part in the Globe community engaging in debates and discussions preparing them to be leaders in the outside world. Topics studied at A level include Britain 1906-57, Russia 1855-1954 and the Crusades.

Programme of Study:

Year 7											
Autumn 1		Autumn 2		Spring 1		Spring 2		Summer 1		Summer 2	
Vikings and Normans		King John		Tudors and Stuarts		Industrial Revolution		20 th Century Britain		Revision and Suffragettes	
Year 8											
Autumn 1		Autumn 2		Spring 1		Spring 2		Summer 1		Summer 2	
British Empire/Abolition of Slavery		Outbreak of World War One		Rise of Hitler		Persecution of Jews		Persecution of Jews/Events of WW2		Events of WW2 and revision	
Year 9											
Autumn 1		Autumn 2		Spring 1		Spring 2		Summer 1		Summer 2	
Migration Part 1		Migration Part 2		Migration Part 3		Migration Part 4		Migration mop up		Revision and Cold War	
Year 10 –AQA											
Autumn 1		Autumn 2		Spring 1		Spring 2		Summer 1		Summer 2	
Cold War		Cold War		America 1920-73		America 1920-73		America 1920-73		Revision an mop-up	
Year 11-AQA											
Autumn 1		Autumn 2		Spring 1		Spring 2		Summer 1		Summer 2	
End of America 1920-73		Elizabethan England		Elizabethan England		Revision		Revision			
Year 12-AQA											
Autumn 1		Autumn 2		Spring 1		Spring 2		Summer 1		Summer 2	
Preserving Autocracy	The Liberal Crisis 1906-14	Collapse of Autocracy	Impact of War 1914-22	The Russian Revolution	The Search for Stability 1922-1929	Revision	Revision	The Crusades	Preserving Autocracy	The Liberal Crisis 1906-14	Collapse of Autocracy
Year 13-AQA											
Autumn 1		Autumn 2		Spring 1		Spring 2		Summer 1		Summer 2	
Emergence of Communist Dictatorship	The Hungry Thirties 1929-39	Stalin's Dictatorship	The People's War and Peace 1939-51	Stalin's Dictatorship	Never had it so good 1951-57	Revision	Revision	Revision			