



Park Hall Academy

History

Course Overview

KEY STAGE 3 (Years 7, 8 & 9)

Year 7

BC- 1500

Autumn 1
(Sept- Oct)

What is History?

Autumn 2
(Nov-Dec)

Ancient Civilisations; How developed were Islamic Empires?

Spring 1
(Jan- Feb)

How did the Normans Conquer England?

Spring 2
(Mar- Apr)

What problems did Medieval Kings face?

Summer 1
(May-June)

What was life like for a Medieval peasant?

Summer 2

What was life like for a Medieval peasant?

Year 8

1500- 1900

Autumn 1
(Sept- Oct)

Tudor and Stuarts (Depth Study)

Autumn 2
(Nov-Dec)

Tudor and Stuarts (Depth Study)

Spring 1
(Jan- Feb)

Tudor and Stuarts (Depth Study)

Spring 2
(Mar- Apr)

What was the impact of the Industrial Revolution?

Summer 1
(May-June)

Where and how did Britain rule the world?

Summer 2

What was the Atlantic Slave trade?

Year 9

20TH Century History

Autumn 1
(Sept- Oct)

Enquiry investigation;
Why did so many die on the Titanic?
How did women achieve the right to vote?
Depth Study; The First World War (Centenary optional across key stage 3)

Autumn 2
(Nov-Dec)

What was life like in Nazi Germany?

Spring 1
(Jan- Feb)

How could the Holocaust have happened?



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Spring 2 (Mar- Apr)	Total War Can the dropping of a nuclear bomb ever be justified?
Summer 1 (May-June)	Post 1945 Civil Rights study
Summer 2	The Cold War

KEY STAGE 4 (Years 10 and 11)

Year 10	GCSE History OCR SHP History A: Medicine Through Time with Germany 191-45 Depth Study J415	GCSE History OCR History B Modern World: Aspects of International Relations with Depth Study The USA, Land of Freedom? 1945-75 J418
Autumn 1 (Sept- Oct)	Medicine in the Middle Ages	Were the peace Treaties of 1919-23 fair?
Autumn 2 (Nov-Dec)	The medical renaissance and the growth of modern medicine.	To what extent was the League of Nations a success?
Spring 1 (Jan- Feb)	Medicine in the 19 th and 20 th centuries	Why had international peace collapsed by 1939?
Spring 2 (Mar- Apr)	Revision of Germany 191-45 Depth Study	The USA, Land of Freedom? 1945-75
Summer 1 (May-June)	Revision of Germany 191-45 Depth Study	The USA, Land of Freedom? 1945-75
Summer 2	Controlled Assessment preparation	The USA, Land of Freedom? 1945-75 Controlled Assessment
Year 11	GCSE History; Controlled Assessment and Historical Source Investigation	GCSE History OCR History B: Modern World Controlled Assessment British Depth Study
Autumn 1 (Sept- Oct)	Controlled Assessment	Controlled Assessment
Autumn 2	Controlled Assessment	Controlled Assessment



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(Nov-Dec)	Public Health in Britain 1800-1914	How was British society changed, 1890-1918?
Spring 1 (Jan- Feb)	Public Health in Britain 1800-1914	How was British society changed, 1890-1918?
Spring 2 (Mar- Apr)	Revision and Exam Practice for Paper 1	Revision and Exam Practice for Paper 1
Summer 1 (May-June)	Revision and Exam Practice for Paper 1 and Paper 2	Revision and Exam Practice for Paper 1 and Paper 2
Summer 2	GCSE examinations	GCSE examinations

KEY STAGE 5 (Years 12 and 13)

	For final assessment in 2015	For final assessment in 2016
Year 12	AS History AQA HIS1N HIS2Q	AS History AQA HIS1H HIS2Q
Autumn 1 (Sept- Oct)	Unit 1 : Change and Consolidation Totalitarian Ideology in Theory and Practice, 1848-1914 Unit 2 : Historical Issues: Periods of Change The USA and Vietnam 1961-75	Unit 1 : Change and Consolidation Tsarist Russia 1855-1917 Unit 2 : Historical Issues: Periods of Change The USA and Vietnam 1961-75
Autumn 2 (Nov-Dec)	Unit 1 : Change and Consolidation Totalitarian Ideology in Theory and Practice, 1848-1914 Unit 2 : Historical Issues: Periods of Change The USA and Vietnam 1961-	Unit 1 : Change and Consolidation Tsarist Russia 1855-1917 Unit 2 : Historical Issues: Periods of Change The USA and Vietnam 1961-75



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Spring 1 (Jan- Feb)	Unit 1 : Change and Consolidation Totalitarian Ideology in Theory and Practice, 1848-1914 Unit 2 : Historical Issues: Periods of Change The USA and Vietnam 1961-75	Unit 1 : Change and Consolidation Tsarist Russia 1855-1917 Unit 2 : Historical Issues: Periods of Change The USA and Vietnam 1961-75
Spring 2 (Mar- Apr)	Unit 1 : Change and Consolidation Totalitarian Ideology in Theory and Practice, 1848-1914 Unit 2 : Historical Issues: Periods of Change The USA and Vietnam 1961-75 Revision and Exam Practice	Unit 1 : Change and Consolidation Tsarist Russia 1855-1917 Unit 2 : Historical Issues: Periods of Change The USA and Vietnam 1961-75 Revision and Exam Practice
Summer 1 (May-June)	Revision and Exam Practice	Revision and Exam Practice
Summer 2	AS Examination series Background for A2 History: Unit 3 – The State and the People: Change and Continuity Unit 4 – Historical Enquiry	AS Examination series Background for A2 History: Unit 3 – The State and the People: Change and Continuity Unit 4 – Historical Enquiry
Year 13	A2 History AQA HIS3B HIS4X	A2 History AQA HIS3B HIS4X
Autumn 1	Unit 3 – The State and the	Unit 3 – The State and the



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(Sept- Oct)	People: Change and Continuity The Triumph of Elizabeth I, 1547-1603	People: Change and Continuity The Triumph of Elizabeth I, 1547-1603
	Unit 4 – The Historical Enquiry	Unit 4 – The Historical Enquiry
Autumn 2 (Nov-Dec)	Unit 3 – The State and the People: Change and Continuity The Triumph of Elizabeth I, 1547-1603	Unit 3 – The State and the People: Change and Continuity The Triumph of Elizabeth I, 1547-1603
	Unit 4 – The Historical Enquiry	Unit 4 – The Historical Enquiry
Spring 1 (Jan- Feb)	Unit 3 – The State and the People: Change and Continuity The Triumph of Elizabeth I, 1547-1603	Unit 3 – The State and the People: Change and Continuity The Triumph of Elizabeth I, 1547-1603
	Unit 4 – The Historical Enquiry	Unit 4 – The Historical Enquiry
Spring 2 (Mar- Apr)	Unit 3 – The State and the People: Change and Continuity The Triumph of Elizabeth I, 1547-1603	Unit 3 – The State and the People: Change and Continuity The Triumph of Elizabeth I, 1547-1603
	Unit 4 – The Historical Enquiry	Unit 4 – The Historical Enquiry
Summer 1 (May-June)	Unit 3 – The State and the People: Change and Continuity The Triumph of Elizabeth I, 1547-1603	Unit 3 – The State and the People: Change and Continuity The Triumph of Elizabeth I, 1547-1603
	Revision and Exam Practice	Revision and Exam Practice



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Summer 2

A2 examinations

GCSE examinations