Year 7 HISTORY Curriculum Overview

HALF TERM 1	
Aspect or a theme in British History consolidating or extending knowledge before 1066 Roman Britain and Historical Skills	 Historical dating concepts (timelines, BC, AD, chronology) The Roman Empire c.400AD The Roman Army c.100AD The rebellion of Boudicca in Roman Britain An introduction to historical sources Using sources and interpretations in History (representations of Boudicca)
HALF TERM 2	
The development of church, state and society in Britain 1066-1509 Anglo Saxon England and the reign of Edward the Confessor	 Anglo Saxon Society and the reign of Edward the Confessor The succession crisis of 1066 The contenders to the throne in 1066 The death of Edward the Confessor Events of the Battle of Stamford Bridge
HALF TERM 3	
The development of church, state and society in Britain 1066-1509 The importance of the Battle of Hastings. The Norman conquest	 The events of the Battle of Hastings Reasons why Harold Godwinson failed to win the Battle of Hastings Reasons why William Duke of Normandy won the Battle of Hastings England under the Normans – Motte and Bailey Castles
HALF TERM 4	
The development of church, state and society in Britain 1066-1509 England under the Normans. Medieval kingship and religion	 England under the Normans – Oaths and rebellions The Domesday Book The Feudal System The importance of religion in Medieval Britain Henry II and the murder of Thomas Becket
HALF TERM 5	
The development of church, state and society in Britain 1066-1509 King Richard and John	 Medieval kingship - King Richard and John Historical sources on Richard and John The reign of King Richard the Lionheart The Crusades The reign of King John

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The development of church, state and society in Britain 1066-1509

The Black Death, Peasants Revolt and Wars of the Roses

- The Black Death of 1348 and its impact on Britain
- Historical sources on the Black Death
- Beliefs around the causes and treatments for the Black Death
- The Peasants Revolt
- The Wars of the Roses
- King Richard III his reign and the Princes in the Tower