Year 9 HISTORY Curriculum Overview

HALF TERM 1	
Ideas, political power, industry and empire: Britain 1745-1901 The British Empire	 What was the British empire – key words Historical cartoons on the nature of the empire The rulers and the ruled Was the British Empire a force for good or evil? Case study – The British in Kenya
HALF TERM 2	
Significant society or issue in world history and its interconnections with other world developments The Slave Trade	 What is slavery? Historical sources The role of Britain and the Triangular Trade The Middle Passage Life on a plantation The abolition of the slave trade
HALF TERM 3	
Ideas, political power, industry and empire: Britain 1745-1901 The Industrial Revolution	 Causes of the Industrial Revolution How Britain changed during the Industrial Revolution Life in the factories Sources on working conditions Inventors and inventions
HALF TERM 4	
Challenges for Britain, Europe and the wider world 1901 to the present day World War One	 The MAIN Causes of World War One The assassination of Archduke Franz Ferdinand Life in the trenches The Battle of the Somme Physical and psychological effects of trench warfare
HALF TERM 5	
Challenges for Britain, Europe and the wider world 1901 to the present day End of World War One The Rise of the Nazi Party in Germany, the Holocaust	 The end of World War One – armistice and the Treaty of Versailles Who was Adolf Hitler? The Great Depression and Nazi seizure of power Life in Nazi Germany The Holocaust

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Significant society or issue in world history and its interconnections with other world developments

The Civil Rights Movement in America

- Timeline of events and key words
- The Jim Crow Laws
- The impact of WW1 and WW2 on Civil Rights
- Brown vs the Board of Education
- The Ku Klux Klan and Emmet Till
- Rosa Parks and the Montgomery Bus Boycott
- The Little Rock 9
- Malcolm X and Martin Luther King