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| Subject: History Year 11 Curriculum Map 2025-26 | | | |
| Terms | **Topics covered** and **core knowledge and skills** | Links to careers | Links to the Knowledge organiser and other additional resources |
| Half term 1 | How did Elizabeth deal with the issue of religion?  To know what the reformation was and its impacts  To explain what the effect of Elizabeth’s religious settlement was  To assess the level of threat from Catholics?  To understand why Catholics were dissatisfied  To plot the level of threat over a period of time  How did Elizabeth deal with the Puritan threat?  To judge if the Puritans were a threat  To explain how Elizabeth dealt with the threat  Why was Mary Queen of Scots a threat to Elizabeth?  To understand why Mary’s arrival in England was a threat  To use sources and scholarship to assess the level of threat  What were Elizabeth’s options regarding Mary Queen of Scots?  To know what Elizabeth could do  To explain her actions and why  Why did Spain invade England?  To know why there were tensions between Spain and England  To understand how other countries influenced the relationship  What was the Spanish Armada?  To know what happened in the battle  To explain why Spain failed  Historical Site Study | Politician  Geographer  Broadcaster  Lecturer  Curator  Stately home tour operator  Travel Writer | <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLeJXSG2T57m2m3_KYT2IhMqof8MUyQdte>  <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zxgvfrd> |
| Half term 2 | Historical Study Site – The Globe Theatre  **Conflict and Tension: Interwar 1919 - 1939**  Who were the big three?  To understand who the Big three were  To explain the key terms that each of the big three wanted  What were the terms of the Treaty of Versailles?  To know about what the Treaty of Versailles said  To understand how the terms impacted Germany  How did Germany react to the Treaty?  To understand why the Germans called the TOV a diktat  To be critically evaluate sources views of the TOV  Was the Treaty fair?  To understand how each of the countries viewed the TOV  To assess if France were the least satisfied with the Treaty  What was the League of Nations?  To know the structure of the LON  To explain some of the limitations of the LON  What were the League’s Commissions?  To know what Commissions the LON was involved in  To judge the successes of the LON in the 1920s  What was the Impact of the Great Depression?  To understand what peace-keeping treaties did Germany sign up to  To evaluate how the Great Depression impacted Germany  Why was there a crisis in Manchuria?  To understand what the Mukden incident was  To evaluate how the LON reacted |  |  |
| Half term 3 | Why was there a Crisis in Abyssinia?  To explain how Mussolini invaded Abyssinia  To use sources to assess the extent of how Abyssinia caused the end of the LON  Why did the League of Nations Fail?  To consider a variety of reasons why the LON failed and support with evidence  To assess the most significant reason for the failure of the LON  What were Hitler’s aims?  To explain what Hitler’s policies were  To understand why Hitler’s policies created animosity  How did other leaders react to Hitler?  To know how world leader’s attitudes to Hitler changed over time  To use sources to understand how Germany presented its actions  What were the consequences of the remilitarisation of Rhineland?  To understand why Hitler wanted the Rhineland  To explain how Hitler was received in the Rhineland  Which countries supported Hitler?  To know how an alliance developed between Germany, Italy and Japan  To explain what appeasement was  How did Hitler achieve Anschluss?  To plot the events leading up to achieving Anschluss  To explain how people reacted to Anschluss  Why was there a crisis in the Sudetenland?  To know why Hitler wanted the Sudetenland  To uses sources to understand Chamberlains decision to give the Sudetenland to Hitler | Politician  Military Historian  Broadcaster  Lawyer  Humans Rights worker | [GCSE History - AQA - BBC Bitesize](https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zxjk4j6)  [aqa\_gcse\_conflict\_and\_tension\_1894\_to\_1918.pdf](file:///C:/Users/aston-otteyc/Downloads/aqa_gcse_conflict_and_tension_1894_to_1918.pdf)  [AQA GCSE History - Conflict and Tension Flashcards | Quizlet](https://quizlet.com/gb/408696711/aqa-gcse-history-conflict-and-tension-flash-cards/) |
| Half term 4 | **Conflict and Tension: Interwar**  What was the Munich Agreement?  To understand why Chamberlain was so pleased with the agreement  To look at a source and assess what its message is about the Munich agreement  Why did Chamberlain follow a policy of appeasement?  To study the strengths and weaknesses of appeasement  To assess the significance of appeasement in the outbreak of WW2    What was the Nazi Soviet Pact?  To know why Germany wanted Poland  To explain what made Russia sign the agreement  What caused the final declaration of war?  To explain the significance of the invasion of Poland  To study Chamberlains speech and assess if there really was nothing he could do  Revision for GCSE |  |  |