## **Key Stage 5 Curriculum Map - History**

A-level history continues to develop the skills students need to be successful in history. These are extended argument and reasoning, the ability to infer and compare and draw balanced conclusions from conflicting accounts. In addition, the ambitious content develops students' understanding of the key concepts which have helped form England and have a wider appreciation of the events of recent history and the impact these have had and continue to have on the world.

		AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
Year 12	Topic	Tudors - Henry VII - Consolidation and challenges. Government.	Tudors - Henry VII Foreign Policy and discontent.	Tudors - Henry VIII and his ministers.	Tudors - Henry VIII; foreign policy and religion	Personal Study - preparation and writing	Personal Study - completing draft
		Cold War - Origins of	Cold War - Warsaw	Cold War -	Cold War - Cuban	Cold War - Vietnam -	Tudors - Revision
		the Cold War. Developing tensions.	Pact and NATO	Containment in Asia inc. Korea, China and Vietnam.	missile crisis	conflict develops.	Cold War - Revision
	Assessment	Developing essay skills	Knowledge Tests Extract and source skills development.	Trial Exam	Knowledge Tests Essay development.	Knowledge Tests	Trial Exam Essay development - coursework synoptic assessment.
		AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
Year 13	Topic	Tudors - Edward; problems of succession; religious change.	Tudors - Mary; problems of succession; religious change.	Tudors - Elizabeth I. Settlement and ministers.	Tudors - Elizabeth I; foreign policy and religious changes.	Exams	
		Cold War - Solving Vietnam.	Cold War - SALT and Detente.	Cold War - New personalities including Gorbachev. Africa and the Caribbean.	Cold War - The collapse of communism in Eastern Europe.		
	Assessment	Knowledge Tests Essays and sources.	Knowledge Tests Essays and extracts.	Trial Exam	Knowledge Tests Essays.		