## **Year 8 Long Term Scheme of Learning 2024-25**



**Subject: History** 

Date	Exams/ Assess	Unit(s)
2/9/24		Global History: The British Empire: geography and roots of the Commonwealth Glory, God & Gold – why did Britain want an empire? The importance of trade
9/9/24		
16/9/24		How did Britain gain its empire
23/9/24		What was the Transatlantic Trade and how is it linked to the empire? Why was the transatlantic trade abolished? What was the impact of the empire? Core Assessment 1: Why are there such differing interpretations of the British Empire?
30/09/24		
7/10/24		
14/10/24		
21/10/24		
4/11/24		Decolonisation – What do historians say about the end of the empire?
11/11/24		
18/11/24		Core Assessment 2: Empire and Transatlantic Trade Local History: The Industrial Revolution and the North West – why then and there? Why did Samuel Greg build a cotton mill in the middle of nowhere? (Cotton/canals/railways/Liverpool/Manchester)
25/11/24		
2/12/24		
9/12/24		
16/12/24		
6/1/25		Impact of industrialisation on the North West – towns  Impact of industrialisation on child workers  Impact of industrialisation on wider society - Social Protest – from Peterloo to the Representation of the People Act.
13/1/25		
20/1/25		
27/1/25		
3/2/25		
10/2/25		
24/2/25		Core Assessment 3: How useful are sources for learning about life in the Industrial Period  Improvements in the 1800s – was the Victorian Age a Great time to be alive?
3/3/25		
10/3/25		
17/3/25		
24/3/25		
31/3/25		
21/4/25		National history – the Making of the UK  Wales – the ring of iron and Welsh nationalism  Scotland – What happened to the Stone of Destiny  Ireland – plantations and their impact
28/4/25		
5/5/25		
12/5/25		
19/5/25		Core assessment 4: all content
2/6/25		Global history:  Meanwhile Elsewhere project – a series of studies from non European civilisations –  The significance of silk  China and the Song Dynasty  Suleiman the Magnificent and the Ottoman Empire  What was life like in Hangzhou and Baghdad?
9/6/25		
16/6/25		
23/6/25		
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