

Humanities Subject Overview



ROUTE 1 - HUMANITIES

	AUTUMN HALF TERM 1	AUTUMN HALF TERM 2	SPRING HALF TERM 1	SPRING HALF TERM 2	SUMMER HALF TERM 1	SUMMER HALF TERM 2
7	Our World	British Industrial Revolution	Medieval Britain	Sea Odyssey	Africa	Our Land
Year 7	Explore maps. Know about progress along a timeline.	Talk about the lives of people. Know about progress along a timeline.	Talk about the lives of people. Know about progress along a timeline.	Explore maps. Know about wider issues.	Talk about the lives of people. Compare similarities and differences.	Explore maps.
	The Golden Age of Travel	Natural Planet	Natural Disasters	Elizabethan Britain	India	Myths & Legends
Year 8	Compare similarities and differences.	Explore maps. Know about progress along a timeline. Know about wider issues.	Explore maps. Talk about the lives of people. Know about wider issues.	Talk about the lives of people. Compare similarities and differences. Know about progress along a timeline.	Talk about the lives of people. Compare similarities and differences.	Explore non- fiction texts.
<u>.</u>	Encounter creative	Encounter creative	Responding to creative events	Encountering experiences:	Encountering experiences:	Encountering experiences:
Year 9-11 ASDAN Entry Level 1 (Personal Progress)	Inventions from the past	Inventions from the past	Around the World	being part of things Around the World	being part of things Our people and planet	being part of things Our people and planet



Curriculum Overview

- Route 1 Pupils undertake tasks to DISCOVER, EXPLORE and EXPERIENCE knowledge and understanding through themes and opportunities within the context of the topics.
- Bespoke curriculum guided by National Curriculum coverage.
- Topic has links to art, design and technology, music and RE and citizenship.
- A spiralling curriculum allows for key skills to be revisited, gaps in knowledge to be addressed and learning to be embedded.
- Pupils in year 9, year 10 and year 11 have the opportunity to select Humanities as part of their PATHWAY SPECIALIST curriculum. This is completed in 1 year only. (ASDAN Entry Level 1- Personal Progress)
- Route 1 Pupils in year 9, year 10 and year 11 cover aspects of HUMANITIES as part of their ENGLISH and PATHWAY TUTOR curriculum.

Skills and Knowledge Progression Year 7 & Year 8

KNOWLEDGE

- Talk about the lives of the people around them and develop an understanding of their roles in society.
- Compare similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries.
- Explore maps
- Explore non-fiction texts and stories.
- Know that progress along timelines.
- Know about wider issues.
- Awareness of British, local and world history
- The World We Live In, The Royal Family
- The Water Cycle
- Climate Change/ Natural Disasters
- Begin to use historical terms and devise historically valid questions about change and cause

SKILLS

- Explore similarities and differences between things in the past and present.
- Safely use, explore and experiment with a variety of materials, texture, tools and techniques.
- Share their creations, explaining the process they have used together with role playing and stories.
- Draw information from a single map.

SPIRAL

- Show resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge.
- See themselves as a valuable individual.
- Create collaboratively, sharing ideas, resources and skills

Skills, Knowledge Progression and Destinations Year 9, Year 10 and Year 11 KNOWLEDGE

- Develop creativity
- Our environment/ The world we live in

SKILLS

- Community participation
- Self-help and independence
- Self-awareness
- Teamwork
- Explore similarities and differences between things in the past and present.

SPIRAL

- Developing teamwork
- Resilience
- Working effectively with others
- Developing communication



Personal Development

DESTINATION

- ASDAN Entry Level Personal Progress Certificate/Extended Certificate/Diploma
- Duke of Edinburgh Skill/Expedition Preparation



ROUTE 2 - HUMANITIES

	AUTUMN HALF TERM 1	AUTUMN HALF TERM 2	SPRING HALF TERM 1	SPRING HALF TERM 2	SUMMER HALF TERM 1	SUMMER HALF TERM 2
	Our World	British Industrial Revolution	Medieval Britain	Sea Odyssey	Africa	Our Land
Year 7	Explore maps. Know about progress along a timeline. The world we live in.	Talk about the lives of people. Know about progress along a timeline. Awareness of British, local and world history.	Talk about the lives of people. Know about progress along a timeline. Awareness of British, local and world history. Begin to use historical terms.	Explore maps. Know about wider issues. The Water Cycle.	Talk about the lives of people. Compare similarities and differences.	Explore maps. Awareness of British, local and world history. The world we live in.
	The Golden	Natural Planet	Natural Disasters	Elizabethan Britain	India	Myths &
Year 8	Age of Travel Compare similarities and differences. Awareness of British, local and world history. Begin to use historical terms.	Explore maps. Know about progress along a timeline. Know about wider issues. The world we live in. Climate change and natural disasters.	Explore maps. Talk about the lives of people. Know about wider issues. Climate change and natural disasters.	Talk about the lives of people. Compare similarities and differences. Know about progress along a timeline. Awareness of British, local and world history. Begin to use historical terms.	Talk about the lives of people. Compare similarities and differences.	Explore non- fiction texts. Begin to use historical terms.
9-11*	Talking a Role in Society	Talking a Role in Society	Responding to a major tectonic event	Responding to a major tectonic event	Places of Worship	People and Protest
Year	Election system	Supporting society	Natural Hazards	Impact	Features and believers	Reasons and Methods



Curriculum Overview

- Route 2 Pupils undertake tasks to ENHANCE, DEVELOP and DEEPEN knowledge and understanding through themes and opportunities within the context of the topics.
- Bespoke curriculum guided by National Curriculum coverage.
- Topic has links to art, design and technology, music and RE and citizenship.
- A spiralling curriculum allows for key skills to be revisited, gaps in knowledge to be addressed and learning to be embedded.
- Route 2 and Route 3 Pupils in year 9, year 10 and year 11 have the opportunity to select HUMANITIES as part of their PATHWAY SPECIALIST curriculum. This is completed in 1 year only.

Skills and Knowledge Progression Year 7 & Year 8

NOWLEDGE

- Talk about the lives of the people around them and develop an understanding of their roles in society.
- Compare similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries.
- Explore maps
- Explore non-fiction texts and stories.
- Know that progress along timelines.
- Know about wider issues.
- Awareness of British, local and world history
- The World We Live In, The Royal Family
- The Water Cycle
- Climate Change/ Natural Disasters
- Begin to use historical terms and devise historically valid questions about change and cause

SKILLS

- Begin to use appropriate historical terms
- Start to question historical changes
- Become familiar with maps, atlases and globes
- Locate countries
- Locate and begin to use compasses, symbols and keys
- Use fieldwork to make observations, measure, record and present human and physical features

SPIRAL

- Chronologically secure knowledge and understanding of events
- Begin to make connections, contrasts and trends over time
- Revisit vocabulary and key terms
- Exploration of a variety of historical/ geographical sources

Skills, Knowledge Progression and Destinations Year 9, Year 10 and Year 11 KNOWLEDGE

- Places of worship
- Responding to a major tectonic event
- Taking a role in society

SKILLS

- Explore political and social responsibility
- Map reading and knowledge of tectonic plates
- Sourcing and exploring information
- Organising and sharing information

SPIRAL

- Developing teamwork
- Working effectively with others
- Developing communication



- Personal Development
- Chronologically secure knowledge and understanding of events
- Begin to make connections, contrasts and trends over time
- Revisit vocabulary and key terms
- Exploration of a variety of historical/ geographical sources

DESTINATION

- BTEC Entry Level 3 Introductory to Vocational Studies- Award/Certificate/Extended Certificate
- WJEC Awards- Entry /3 Humanities
- BTEC Level Introductory to Vocational Studies
- Award/Certificate/Diploma
- Duke of Edinburgh Skill/Expedition Preparation



ROUTE 3 - HUMANITIES

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	The Golden Age of Travel	Natural Planet	Natural Disasters	Elizabethan Britain	India	Myths & Legends
Year 8	Compare similarities and differences. Awareness of British, local and world history. Begin to use historical terms.	Explore maps. Know about progress along a timeline. Know about wider issues. The world we live in. Climate change and natural disasters.	Explore maps. Talk about the lives of people. Know about wider issues. Climate change and natural disasters.	Talk about the lives of people. Compare similarities and differences. Know about progress along a timeline. Awareness of British, local and world history. Begin to use historical terms.	Talk about the lives of people. Compare similarities and differences.	Explore non- fiction texts. Begin to use historical terms.
9-11*	in the Past Features and	British society in the Past	Responding to a major tectonic event	Responding to a major tectonic event	Places of worship	End of year project
Year 9	characteristics	Historical Sources	Natural Hazards	Impact	Features, believers and the wider community	



Curriculum Overview

- Route 3 Pupils undertake tasks to EMBED, DEMONSTRATE and APPLY knowledge and understanding through themes and opportunities within the context of the topics.
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Skills and Knowledge Progression Year 7 & Year 8

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- Climate Change/ Natural Disasters
- Begin to use historical terms and devise historically valid questions about change and cause

SKILLS

- Appropriate use of historical terms
- Devise historically valid questions about change
- Use maps, atlases and globes
- Locate countries
- Use eight points of a compass, symbols and keys
- Use fieldwork to make observations, measure, record and present human and physical features

SPIRAL

- Chronologically secure knowledge and understanding of events
- Make deeper connections, contrasts and trends over time
- Revisit vocabulary and key terms
- Exploration of a variety of historical/ geographical sources

Skills, Knowledge Progression and Destinations Year 9, Year 10 and Year 11 KNOWLEDGE

- A British society
- Key features and characteristics of British society in the past
- Similarities and differences between past and present society
- Role of women pre and post war
- Holocaust

SKILLS

- Use historical sources to develop knowledge
- Contributing to presentations
- Sourcing and exploring information
- Organising and sharing information

SPIRAL

Developing teamwork



- Resilience
- Working effectively with others
- Developing communication
- Personal Development
- Chronologically secure knowledge and understanding of events
- Begin to make connections, contrasts and trends over time
- Revisit vocabulary and key terms
- Exploration of a variety of historical/ geographical sources

DESTINATION

- BTEC Level Introductory to Vocational Studies
- BTEC Level 1 Awards
- Award/Certificate/Diploma
- WJEC Awards- Entry /3 Humanities
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