	Topic title	SUMMARY OF KNOWLEDGE ACQUISTION	APPROXIMATE DURATION (Lessons)	Term 1a								Term1b								Term 2a						Term 2b							Term 3a					Term 3b						
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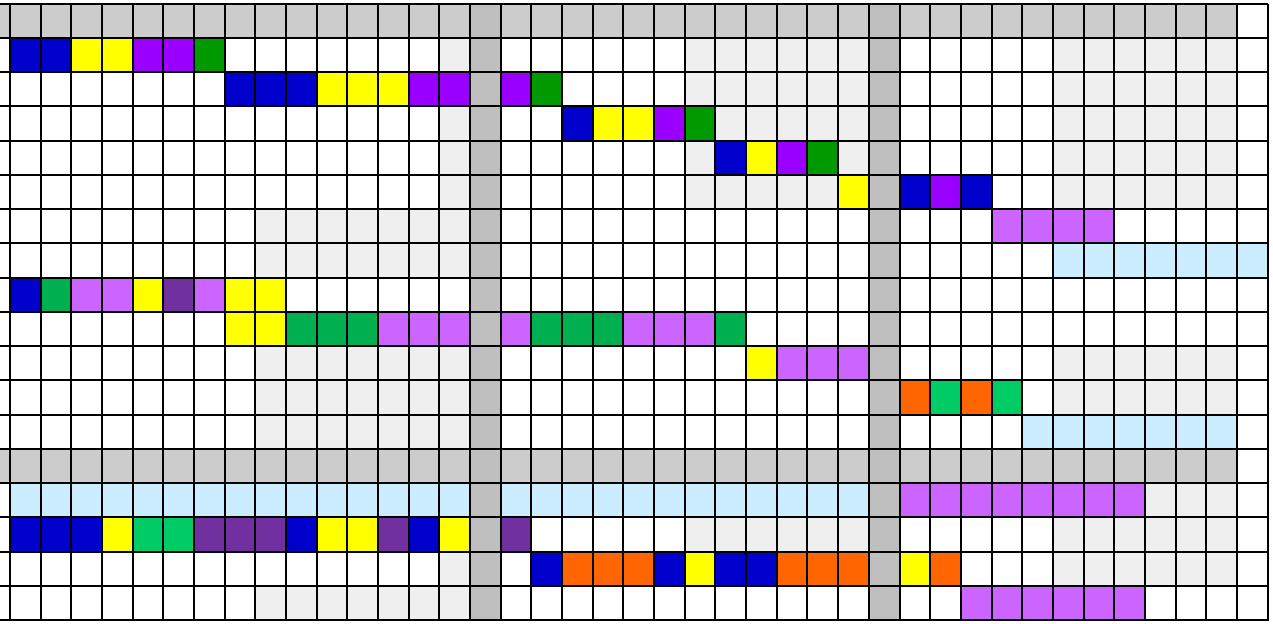
Year 7																																												
1	What is History?	Students learn key historical skills through learning more about the history of the school and the local area	6																																									
2	Were the Romans civilised?	Who were the Romans, what did they do, what was the army like, what were Roman towns like, what was life like in the Roman period, why were the Romans seen as civilised?	16																																									
3	The Normans	Contenders for the throne, who were the Normans, how and why did the Normans conquer England, how did the Nomans keep control,	16																																									
4	Medieval religion	How important was religion, Thomas Beckett, What were the Crusades, what happened, what do they tell us about Medieval religion, the role of knights	14																																									
5	Medieval Life	What were towns like, why were people moving, benefits and problems of towns, the Black death, causes and events, peasants revolt	14																																									
Year 8																																												
1	The Tudors	What were Henry's problems and solutions, who could he marry, break with Rome, monasteries, Church of England	8																																									
2	English Civil war	Causes, events, trial and execution, Oliver Cromwell	14																																									
3	How important was religion?	Gun Powder plot, Great Fire of London, Plague	10																																									
4	Slavery	Slavery and Empire	20																																									
5	Empire	What was it, what were the key inventions, work of women, children, trains, mines, poverty	12																																									
6	Industrial Revolution	tactics did they use, what was the reaction of men, use of propaganda, Emily Wilding Davison	9																																									
Year 9																																												
1	World War One	World War One- causes, events, Home Front, effects	12																																									
2	Revolution	Russian Revolution- causes, events, effects	4																																									
3	World War Two	Causes of World War Two- Post WW1, causes, events,importance, rise of the dictators, life in Nazi Germany	16																																									
4	Nazi Germany	Britain and World War Two: key events, Home Front, impact, end of war	12																																									
5	Holocaust	Holocaust- causes, esculation of hate, anti-semitic laws, Ghettos, Final Solution, heroes of the Holocaust, impact, rememberance	12																																									
6	Cold war	Cold War- What was it, causes, events, assassination of JFK, effects	12																																									
Year 10																																												
1	USA 1920-1929	summary of the 1920s. Immigration; Quotas, Sacco & Vanzetti; Economic Boom - Mass production methods of Ford and the broader effects;	16																																									
2	USA 1929-1939	success/Hoover's failure; FDR's Election and New Deal; Alphabet Agencies; Opposition groups and reasons for opposition. Judgement on	16																																									
3	USA 1945-1975	prosperity change the lives of the American people? Popular Culture; Rock and Roll; Television; Advertising. McCarthyism & fear of	16																																									
4	Korean War 1950-1953	landings; 38th Parallel; Yalu River ; MacArthur; Truman; A-Bomb; Eisenhower; Armistice; Consequences of the Korean War - Korea (N&S);	8																																									
5	Vietnam Wars 1939-1973	Geneva Accords; aims, beliefs and methodology of guerrilla warfare; NLF/VC: how the different presidents became involved in the conflict	20																																									
6	Revision	Students review the complete course for Paper 1 - Revision techniques: Mind Maps; Spider Diagrams; Knowledge Quizzes; Flashcards	8																																									
7	Health of the Nation: Medieval Medicine -	story of medicine? Important ideas; Theory of the Four Humours; Arabic Medicine; Galen; Hippocrates; Importance of Church; Supersttition;	15																																									
Year 11																																												
1	Health of the Nation : Early Modern	challenge to medical authority in anatomy, physiology and surgery; the work of Vesalius, Paré, William Harvey; opposition to change.	15																																									
2	Health of the Nation: A Revolution in	disease in Britain: the importance of Pasteur, Robert Koch and microbe hunting; Pasteur and vaccination; Paul Ehrlich and magic bullets;	15																																									
3	Health of the Nation: Modern Medicine	industry; penicillin, its discovery by Fleming, its development; new diseases and treatments, antibiotic resistance; alternative treatments.	15																																									
4	Elizabethan England: Elizabeth's Court &	life, including patronage; key ministers. The difficulties of a female ruler: relations with Parliament; the problem of marriage and thesuccession;	12																																									
5	Elizabethan England: Trouble at home and	Protestantism; the Northern Rebellion; Elizabeth's excommunication; the missionaries; Catholic plots and the threat to the Elizabethan settlement;	12																																									
6	Elizabethan England: Everyday Life	the rise of the gentry; the Elizabethan theatre and its achievements; attitudes to the theatre.The poor: reasons for the increase in poverty;	12																																									

Year 12			
1	The USSR 1917-1991: Lenin	changes to the machinery of government; creation of a one party state; civil war and effects; centralisation of power; Politburo; Central	20
2	The USSR 1917-1991: Stalin	powerbase; elimination of opponents;'Socialism in one country; 'Comrade card index'; Purges; Chistka; show trials; Kirov's murder;Red	30
3	The USSR 1917-1991: Khrushchev	Secretary of the Communist Party'; Presidium; 'The Secret Speech' 1956; prisoner releases;'Anti-Party Group'; Party - Agriculture/Industry; 3 year	15
4	The USSR 1917-1991: Brezhnev; Andropov;	of 1977; Article 6; Congress of silences; stagnation; oligarchy; Dnepropetrovsk mafia; gerontocracy; corruption,; nepotism; Boris the	10
5	The Fall of the USSR: Gorbachev	Economic reform; Long term structural weaknesses; 12th Five Year Plan; superministries; perestroika; joint ventures; state enterprise; co-	10
6	REVISION	Mock exam preparation	9
7	Coursework: Chamberlain and	and position post 1918; interwar diplomatic conferences; interwar diplomatic crises; Defence Requirements Committee; Defence policy	18
1	Establishing and consolidating	formation of the GDR, Who were the SED? System of government, opposition, economy and farming plans, emigration, building of the	18
2	The development of the East German	consumer goods, COMECON,economy, national debt, health and welfare, comsumer goods, economic relations with the West	32
3	Life in East Germany	welfare, repression, control of the Youth movements, propaganda and censorship, popular support, role of the Protestant Church, Western	8
4	Growing crisis and collapse	Eastern bloc reforms, Glasnost, Perestroika, Gorbachev,reform movements, role of the Protestant Church, declining authority of the SED, opening of the Berlin Wall, reunification	8
5	revision and coursework intro		14
Year 13			
1	Coursework: Chamberlain and	Structured course on methodology - research, analysis and presentation of finished piece. Write up time.	54
2	Poverty & Public Health 1780-1939 -	change; Less-eligibility: Poor Law Amendment Act and its impact 1832-1847; Royal Commission; Report; Action; the new system; opposition	45
3	Poverty & Public Health 1780-1939 -	housing conditions; sanitation; miasma; Victorian filth diseases; germ theory; cholera; cholera riots; local solutions; Report on the Towns 1832;	30
4	REVISION	FINAL exam preparation	15