

## Topic Lists

Year 8 History

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| Autumn Term | <b><u>Tudor England: A Religious Rollercoaster</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• What England was like in 1509</li><li>• The European Reformation</li><li>• Henry VIII and his 'Great Matter'</li><li>• The Dissolution of the Monasteries</li><li>• Edward VI and Lady Jane Grey</li><li>• Bloody Mary</li><li>• Elizabeth I and her 'Middle Way'</li></ul> |
| Spring Term | <b><u>Exploration, Empire, and Exploitation</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The Age of Discovery</li><li>• European Colonisation of the Americas</li><li>• Experiences of Native Americans under European Settlers</li><li>• The Transatlantic Slave Trade</li><li>• Slavery on the Plantations</li></ul>  |
| Summer Term | <b><u>Continuation of Empire topic</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The growth of the British Empire: Case Studies</li><li>• Britain in India</li><li>• Britain in Australia</li><li>• Evaluation of the Unit and consideration of Key Questions</li></ul>  |

*Please note that the order of delivery is continuously reviewed and may be altered if we feel that this would be appropriate; we aim to cover all of the topics listed above at some point in the academic year.*