



History Curriculum Key Information

Subject	History
Exam Board Followed at KS4	Edexcel
Final Assessment Method at KS4	Three examination papers
What are the core concepts in this subject?	Chronology Historical vocabulary Evidence (interrogation of sources & provenance, inference) Causation and consequence Interpretations Change and continuity Acquisition of knowledge
How is the curriculum in this subject designed to allow pupils to know more, remember more and do more over time?	The Loreto Way for History lesson planning: 1. Do now to revisit existing knowledge, 2. Exploration task (promoting reading as much as possible) 3. Assessment (will be homework in KS4). The Loreto Way for History assessment: tests build towards appropriate end points in each year group towards GCSE assessment in KS4. The Loreto Way for History topic design: • Strong visuals • Scholarship: at least one engagement with opposing historians per topic • At least three primary sources per topic • Meaningful homework (knowledge retrieval in KS3)
How does the curriculum in this subject area prepare students to develop skills for life and prepare them for the world of work?	The following skills for life are developed: • Self- belief • Team work • Communication • Problem solving • Self-management The following careers are addressed in lessons, when appropriate: • Government and Politics • Law • Technology and design • Social policy



	• Marketing and communications • Military • Police • Education • Business management • Economics
Where can parents and carers find out more?	Your child has access to the Loreto Learning Portal via RMUnify.