

What will I learn in History at Penwortham Priory Academy?



Historic Environment: Study of a location from Elizabethan England



What was the relationship between Elizabeth and Catholic Europe?

What were the main developments in Elizabethan society?

How did trade and empire affect England?

What problems did Elizabeth I face as monarch?

How did the work of Pasteur revolutionise medicine?

YEAR 11

How significant was the Renaissance?

How dangerous was Medieval medicine?

How did Appeasement contribute to WW2?

How did Elizabeth I and Parliament rule together?

How has public health changed from c.1750 – present?

How significant were Hippocrates and Galen?

How did the actions of Adolf Hitler lead to WW2?

Why had the League of Nations failed by the end of the 1930s?

How has protest changed in the 20th century?

How successful was the New Deal?

How did WW2 affect US society?

Did the 1960s lead to changes for women?

Was the Treaty of Versailles a 'fair' peace?

How successful was the League of Nations in the 1920s?

YEAR 10

What caused the Troubles in Northern Ireland?

How were the Windrush Generation treated in Britain?

To what extent did US society change in the 1920s?

How successful was the civil rights movement?

What were the terms of the Treaty of Versailles?

How satisfied were the 'Big Three' after Versailles?

How did African-Americans campaign for their rights after 1945?

Why did the Cold War last so long?

How and why did the Nazis implement the Final Solution?

Why did the Nazis persecute Jews and other minorities?

How did Adolf Hitler become the Chancellor of Germany?

What factors allowed women to win the right to vote?

How did the British Empire fragment after 1945?

What was the impact of the use of nuclear weapons against Japan in 1945?

How significant was Kristallnacht in the treatment of the Jews?

How did Hitler control the lives of the German people?

How did women campaign for the right to vote?

Why did women in Britain want the right to vote?

How did the Great War start?

What was it like to live and fight in the trenches?

How did the Great War end?

How successful was the League of Nations at promoting peace?

YEAR 9

Who were the significant figures of the Industrial Revolution?

Was Saltaire a 'model' village?

Why did so many men die at the Somme?

How harsh was the Treaty of Versailles?

What were living conditions like in Industrial towns and cities?

How did society change between 1750 and 1900?

How did the slave trade affect Lancashire?

Where did the Transatlantic slave trade come from?

What impact did the Great Plague and Great Fire of London have?

How was the monarchy restored in 1660?

What does the Jack the Ripper case tell us about the lives of the poor?

What was it like to work during the Industrial Revolution?

How and why was slavery abolished in the British Empire?

What were the main changes in Restoration society?

YEAR 8

What was the impact of the Black Death?

How and why did Henry VIII split from Rome?

Why was James I obsessed with witches?

What happened to the Pendle Witches?

Why did Charles I fall out with Parliament?

Why was the execution of Charles I a significant event?

When did Parliament first start to meet?

How successful was the Peasants Revolt?

How did religion in England change after 1500?

Who was Matthew Hopkins?

What happened to witches in Salem?

Who won the English Civil War?

Why is the Magna Carta so significant?

How did the Feudal System change life in England?

Who won the Battle of Hastings?

What has been the legacy of the Roman Empire?

How did the Roman Empire grow and develop?

What is History?

What was the impact of the murder of Thomas Becket?

How powerful was the Catholic Church in the Middle Ages?

How and why did the Normans build castles after 1066?

Why did William commission the Domesday Book?

Who were the contenders to the throne in 1066?

How successful was the Roman Army?

How do historians use chronology to understand the past?

YEAR 7