

## Year 7 History Lesson overview

<b><u>What is History?</u></b>	10	Introductory lesson – Chronology and keywords (2 lessons)
		<b>BASELINE ASSESSMENT</b>
		History skills: Ellie’s bag – using evidence to make inferences
		Types of evidence/artefacts
		Why were Castles built?
		Where were Castles built?
		Fantasy Castle – What defences would the ideal Medieval Castle have?
		Goodrich Castle visit
		Goodrich Castle Estate Agents lesson
<b><u>Invaders, Raiders, and Settlers: The story of Britain up to 1066</u></b>	10	Intro lesson – When has Britain been invaded and by whom?
		Why did the Romans invade?
		Why were the Roman Army so successful?
		How did the Romans change daily life in Britain? (2 lessons)
		<b>Why did the Roman Empire collapse? ASSESSMENT</b>
		What was the legacy of the Romans?
		How and why did the Anglo Saxons invade?
		What was life like in Anglo Saxon England?
		How did the Vikings change England?
<b><u>How and why did the Normans conquer England in 1066?</u></b>	6	Who should be king in 1066?
		What happened at the Battle of Fulford Gate?
		What happened at the Battle of Stamford Bridge?
		Why did William win the Battle of Hastings? (2 lessons)
		<b>Why did William win the Battle of Hastings (ASSESSMENT)</b>
<b><u>How did the Normans keep control?</u></b>	3	How did William deal with rebellions?
		What was the Feudal system?
		What was the Domesday book?
<b><u>What was life like in Medieval England?</u></b>	7	What was village life like?
		What was life like in a typical Medieval town?
		What was life like for women in Medieval times?
		How did Medieval people entertain themselves?
		Who treated the sick in Medieval times?
		What was the Black death?
		How far had the Normans changed England? <b>Knowledge quiz ASSESSMENT</b>
<b><u>Meanwhile, elsewhere: What was life like in Medieval West Africa?</u></b>	3	How do Historians find out about African History?
		What was life like in Medieval West Africa?
		What does the life of Mansa Musa reveal about Medieval Mali?
		<b>YEAR 7 EXAM</b>
How powerful was the Church in the Middle Ages?	4	Intro: Why was the Church so important in Medieval England?
		How did the Church use power to control people?
		How did the Church offer hope?
		How did the Church help people?
The Crusades	7	What were the Wars of the Cross?
		Why did people become crusaders?
		What happened during the crusades?
		How did contact with the Islamic world affect life in Europe?
Henry II and Beckett		Why did the King agree to be whipped? (2 lesson source investigation)
		Thomas Becket <b>ASSESSMENT</b>