



## Course Content

The term will start by continuing with the French Revolution looking at the Declaration of the Rights of the Man and the Reign of Terror. Also, we will cover the consequences of the revolution. After that we will study the Industrial Revolution. We will begin with what were the causes of the Industrial Revolution. Then we will cover the main inventions of revolution that helped change British society from a rural society into a predominantly urban one. We will also study the effects of the Industrial Revolution on British society especially looking at the conditions in the factories and the living standards of the new urban class. We will finish this topic looking at why it happened in Britain at that particular time which will conclude with an essay project that will look to answer this question.

Also, at the end of the term students will preview the causes of WWI which they will study in year 9 and produce a timeline on the build up to the war. The term will conclude with an end of year test on all areas covered in the academic year.

## Resources

1. Y8 SHP History Textbook (Holder Education) pp. 31-87
2. SHP Peace and War Britain (Holder Education) pp 26-50
3. Industry, Invention and Empire Britain 1745-1901 (Oxford) Pp. 78-91
4. Schoolhistoryuk.co.uk
5. Teacher made resources

## Assessment

- Notebook work notes and homework: 10%
- Class work and participation: 20%
- Quizzes on sections of units: 10%
- Project on Industrial Revolution: 30%
- End of term Project build up to WWI: 30%