



Course Content

The term will then begin covering the war on the homefront. We will investigate how the British government prepared the British people for war, especially the threat from aerial attack from the German Luftwaffe. Then we will study some of the major events of WWII. These events will include Dunkirk, Battle of Britain, Germany's war with the USSR, Pearl Harbour, D-Day and the dropping of the atomic bombs by the US on Japan.

During the term the students will do an independent study on the war on the Eastern Front which will conclude with a group PowerPoint presentation on their research. The last area of study will be the Holocaust which will include an infographic poster project on the topic. The term will end with an end of year exam that will cover all areas studied throughout the academic year.

Resources

1. Y9 SHP History Book Textbook (Holder Education) Pp. 62-78
2. Why Remember the First World War (Oxford) Pp.54-64
3. SHP Peace and War Britain (Holder Education) Pp 116-202
4. History KS3 (Collins) Pp.72-130
5. Understanding the Holocaust at KS3: How and why did it happen? (Holder Education) whole book
6. Teacher made resources

Assessment

- Notebook and homework: 10%
- Class participation: 20%
- Quizzes on sections of units: 10%
- Projects on WWII: 30%
- Writing task: 30%