

Jerry Clay Academy

Subject Unit Overview

Subject: History **Year Group**: Year 6 **Term**: Summer 2

Main strands within this History unit

Government	To explain what is meant by the government.
	 Understanding the role of this at specific time periods.
	 Understanding and explaining the impact this has on society today,
	particularly focusing on British history.
	 Identifying and explaining the impact of significant people within the
	government at different time periods.
Communication	 To explain what is meant by communication.
	 To compare different types of communication within historical
	events.
	 To identify how communication has changed and the reasons behind
	these changes.
	 To explain the impact changes to communication have had on
	society today (particularly focusing on British history).
Causation	 To explain what is meant by causation.
	 To understand what the outcome was that arose from causation.
	 To explain the impact causation has on the outcome.
	To explain the impact causation has on society today (particularly)
	focusing on British history).
Religion	To understand what is meant by religion.
	To understand how religion has affected historical events.
	To identify changes to religions throughout history and the reasons
	behind these changes.
	To explain the impact religion has on society today (particularly)
	focusing on British history).
Chronology	To explain what is meant by chronology.
	Identifying when significant time periods arose.
	Ordering and comparing significant events with other historical
	events on the timeline.
	 Using timelines to demonstrate knowledge before and after AD.
	 Explaining the impact of when significant events arose and how they
	have developed over time until today (focusing particularly on British
	history).
Tyrany	To explain what is meant by tyranny.
	To explain the positive and negative impacts this had on society
	at the time.
	To compare changes and explain the impact of these. To apply children to have an opinion.
	To enable children to have an opinion. The state of
	To explain the impact tyranny has on society today (particularly
	focusing on British history).



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Core Learning of This Unit:

- To develop awareness of changes to British History which have affected society today (Tudors)
- To develop chronological knowledge surrounding British, local and world History
- To identify changes, contrasts and trends over time and identify similarities and difference between time eras.
- To construct informed responses that involve thoughtful selection and organisation of relevant Historical information.

Prior Learning:

- Children have developed their inquisitive skills to ask and answer questions about Historical events and significant people.
- Children have used a variety of different resources to find out information about Historical events and significant people.

National Curriculum Statements:

- To learn about a local History study in depth to identify how aspects of national history are reflected in and are significant in the locality today.
- Looking at how aspects of History are reflected in and are significant in society today

Key Vocabulary:

Monarch- a king or queen that rules over somewhere Shakespeare- was an English playwright, poet and actor. Era/period- time period Catholic - Member of the Roman Catholic Church who believes the Pope is the head of the church **Protestant -** A Christian who does not follow the Catholic Church **Reformation** A division started by Martin Luther to reform the Catholic Church Heresy- A belief or idea that questions or opposes an existing belief or idea.

Significant People

Henry VIII

Henry VIII ruled for 36 years and was famous for having 6 wives throughout his reign. His desire to annul his first marriage without papal approval led to the creation of a separate Church of England.