

Year 8 History

Learning Programme 5

The LORIC skill focus for this LP is: COMMUNICATION.

The Moral Virtues focus for this LP are: COURAGE and HUMILITY.

Courage - Acting with bravery and overcoming fears.

Humility - Having a modest view of oneself.

What will I be learning about in this Learning Programme?

The causes and impact of the First World War and the impact of the war on Britain and the wider world.

Where have I seen this learning before?

Students have previously looked at the impact of major wars throughout the world in LP5 in year 7.

What could I use it for?

Students will be able to use the skills used and gathered in year 9 LP5 and GCSE examinations in year 11.

Literacy:

- Capital letters must be used at the start of sentences and for the first letter of proper nouns
- Full stops must be used at the end of a sentence
- Question marks must be used at the end of a question
- Apostrophes should only be used for possession or omission
- Days of the week and months must be spelled correctly
- Key words must be spelled correctly

In LP5.1, I will know: 12/05/25 - (WK 1)

Key Vocabulary

Homework

how to evaluate the causes of the First World War;
how to justify the number of reasons behind the start of the First World War.

First World War

Learn 5 key words from the Knowledge Organiser.

In LP5.2, I will know: 19/05/25 - (WK 2)

Key Vocabulary

Homework

how to measure the impact of the Assassination of Franz Ferdinand and how this led to WW1 starting.

Franz Ferdinand

Historical skills Homework LP5/2.

LP5 RLW, I will: 02/06/25 - (WK 1)

review my learning, recalling and applying key knowledge, and focus on closing any gaps in my knowledge.

Recruitment

Learn 5 Historical Hotspots from the Knowledge Organiser.

In LP5.3, I will know: 09/05/25 - (WK 2)

Key Vocabulary

Homework

how to develop an understanding of the importance of recruitment in the First World War;
how to assess how well equipped the British soldiers were for the First World War.

Pals Battalion

Meanwhile, Elsewhere LP5/4.

Extended Task.

In LP5.4, I will know: 16/06/25 - (WK 1)

Key Vocabulary

Homework

how to use prior knowledge to complete the assessment and reach end or exceed of year target.

Trenches

Learn 10 Key words from the knowledge organiser.

In LP5.5, I will know: 23/06/25 - (WK 2)

Key Vocabulary

Homework

how to respond to my written feedback and complete response tasks;
how to examine the conditions of the trenches during the First World War.

Gallipoli

Learning Postcard LP5/6.

In LP5.6, I will know: 30/06/25 - (WK 1)

Key Vocabulary

Homework

how to establish why the Gallipoli Campaign in WW1 was important.

Armistice

Learn the key dates from the knowledge organiser.

Extended Task.

In LP5.7, I will know: 07/06/25 - (WK 2)

Key Vocabulary

Homework

how to discover what the experience of World War One was like for Soldiers from across the Empire;
how to establish the vital role of women in WW1.

Treaty of Versailles

Revise from Knowledge Organiser for end of Year quiz.

Resources to support learning:

Knowledge organiser, <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize>, Historical skills task sheets, History homework drop-in 3pm.

FEET Award Challenge for this Learning Programme:

Create a booklet about local Ellesmere Port soldiers during the First World War.

PRT Task 1

PRT Task 2