TOPIC OVERVIEW DOCUMENT

YEAR 7 - History – Roman Empire and Roman Britain

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- You will learn about the development of the Roman Empire and how it impacted the 'Britain' that they live in today. It begins with the development of the Roman Empire, exploring its size and importance before landing on the shores of Britain. From here, the students study the successful invasion of Britain in 43AD under the leadership of Claudius and then focus on the creation of Roman Britain. The course culminates with an in depth analysis and evaluation of how the Romans impacted Britain and whether it was positive for the people**.**

- Your previous studies at KS2 in primary school on ancient civilizations, including the Roman Empire and Roman Britain will support your learning in this topic as it will give you the foundation knowledge to study this topic in greater breadth and depth.

- This study will also come in useful when you study Year 7 – Ruling England, (transition into Anglo-Saxon England) British Empire (acquisition of an Empire as well as growth of an Empire) and Immigration unit. (movement of individuals) Year 11 – Anglo-Saxon and Norman England period study. (context and overview of what Britain was like before the Anglo-Saxons) From a skills and second order concept focus, any unit you complete.

Key Vocabulary (T2)	Key Vocabulary (T3)	Core knowledge	Disciplinary Skills
Conquest, Resistance, Settlement	Empire, Invasion, Cohort	The Roman Army including its composition, training and fighting methods The Roman Empire and its extent and benefit to Rome Roman Britain and how it was conquered as well as the impact on its people	Significance Chronology Evidence

Checkpoint:	What does this assessment look like?	Which disciplinary skills do I need to be successful?
Checkpoint 1: 20 Question Quiz	A 20 question quiz on Quizziz/Weyground containing content on The Roman Army, Empire and Britain	Recall and Retrieval Chronology Significance
Checkpoint 2: Storyboard of Boudicca's rebellion	A completed storyboard on Boudicca's rebellion against the Romans	Chronology Significance Cause and Effect

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Milestone assessment: What does your assessment look like?		
The Romans had a positive impact on Britain'. How far do you agree?	An essay style question that requires a judgement and a balanced argument.	Chronology Significance Cause and Effect Change and Continuity

How can I achieve in this topic?

- Complete all tasks in class
- Complete on missed learning
- Complete tasks in homework booklet
- Use revision support material to prepare you for assessments
- Use excellence models, scaffolds and success criteria