

KS3 History

Core textbooks

- *Invasion, Plague and Murder Britain 1066-1509* (Oxford) by Aaron Wilkes
- *Renaissance, Revolution and Reformation Britain 1509-1745* (Oxford) by Aaron Wilkes
- *Industry, Invention and Empire Britain 1745-1901* (Oxford) by Aaron Wilkes
- *Migrants in Britain, c800-present* (Pearson) by Angela Leonard
- *Technology, War and Independence Britain 1901-Present Day* (Oxford) by Aaron Wilkes



Revision Guides

Further resources

- *BBC Bitesize History*

Take it further

To extend and develop your subject knowledge and understanding do look at resources outside of the GCSE curriculum. The resources below are not an exhaustive list. Please do discuss with the History department anything in particular that you are interested in finding out about and we can point you in the right direction.

Topic	Read	Listen	Watch	Explore and visit
Jack the Ripper	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>The Five</i> by Hallie Ruben Hold			<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Jack the Ripper tour – Whitechapel

The Tudors and Stuarts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>The Time Traveller's guide to Elizabethan England</i> by Ian Mortimer • <i>A Very Short Introduction to The Tudors</i> by John Guy • <i>The Time Traveller's Guide to Restoration Britain</i> by Ian Mortimer 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elizabeth's Secret Agents (BBC) • Elizabeth: The Golden Age (2007 film) • Elizabeth: From Prison to Palace (Available on YouTube) • Bloody Queens: Elizabeth and Mary (available on YouTube) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Globe Theatre, London • Hampton Court Palace • National Portrait Gallery • The Golden Hind, London • The Royal Greenwich Museum • Hever Castle • Tower of London • Leeds Castle • Dover Castle
Nazi Germany and the Holocaust	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Tattooist of Auschwitz – Heather Morris • Cilka's Journey - Heather Morris • Three Sisters – Heather Morris • The Librarian of Auschwitz – Antonio Iturbe • The man who broke into Auschwitz – Denis Avey • The Day the Nazi's came – Stephen Matthews • D-Day – Anthony Beevor 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Hitler's Circle of Evil</i> (Netflix) • <i>Hitler: The Rise of Evil</i> (Available on Prime and YouTube) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Imperial War Museum

Windrush	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Black and British: A short, essential history by David Olusoga (1 Oct, 2020) • Small Island by Andrea Levy (2004) • Bloody Foreigners: The Story of Immigration to Britain by Robert Winder (May 2013, first published 2004) • Exploring History Book 1 by Rosemary Rees, Darryl Tomlin, Simon Davis, 2017 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Who Exactly Was on the Windrush? (BBC News 21st June 2019) • Windrush generation: Who are they and why are they facing problems? (BBC News 31 July 2020) • Page BreakGovernment under pressure over treatment of Windrush kids Blog published 16 April 2018 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Sitting in Limbo</i> (2020 BBC) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Migration Museum • The British Library • The Joint Council for the Welfare of Immigrants – Windrush Scandal Explained • The Postal Museum
WW1 & WW2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Two Brothers</i> by Ben Elton • <i>Anne Frank: The Diary of a Young Girl</i> • <i>A Very Short Introduction to WW2</i> by Gerhard L. Weinberg • <i>A Very Short Introduction to Twentieth-Century Britain</i> by Kenneth O. Morgan 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Dunkirk</i> (2017 film) • <i>Band of Brothers</i> (2001 film) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Imperial War Museum

British Empire and Slavery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>A Very Short Introduction to the British Empire</i> by Ashely Jackson • <i>A Very Short Introduction to Nineteenth-Century Britain</i> by Christopher Harvie and H.C.G Matthew • <i>Britain's Slave Empire</i> by James Walvin • <i>Slavery and the British Empire From Africa to America</i> by Kenneth Morgan 			
Industrial Revolution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>A Very Short Introduction to the Industrial Revolution</i> by Robert C. Allen • <i>A Very Short Introduction to Nineteenth-Century Britain</i> by Christopher Harvie and H.C.G Matthew • <i>A Brief History of How the Industrial Revolution Changes the World</i> by Thomas Crump 			
Medieval England	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>A Very Short Introduction to Medieval Britain</i> by John Gillingham and Ralph A. Griffiths • <i>A Very Short Introduction to the Norman Conquest</i> by George Garnett • <i>The Time Travellers Guide to Medieval England</i> by Ian Mortimer 			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Canterbury Cathedral • Dover Castle • Westminster Abbey • Canterbury • Battle of Hastings, Abbey and Battlefield