

KS4 Supercurricular

History

Reading

Alongside your textbooks there are a multitude of books to support your journey through the past...

General Histories

E.H. Gombrich – A Little History of the World Yuval Noah Hariri – Sapiens Jared Diamond – Guns, Germs and Steel Peter Frankopan – The Silk Roads Oxford History of England Series Andrew Marr – History of Modern Britain

First World War

Sleepwalkers – Christopher Clark War by Timetable – AJP Taylor The First World War – A Complete History Regeneration Trilogy – Pat Barker The Pity of War – Niall Ferguson The World's War – David Olusoga

Germany 1890-1945

Iron Kingdom: Christopher Clark

Farewell to Berlin – Christopher Isherwood Hitler: Hubris and Nemesis – Ian Kershaw Hitler: A Study in Tyranny – Alan Bullock Hitler and Stalin: Parallel Lives – Alan Bullock

The Rise and Fall of the Third Reich – William Shirer

Final Solution: The Fate of the Jews 1933-1949 – David Cesarini

Medicine

Blood and Guts: A short history of Medicine – Roy Porter
The Greatest Benefit to Mankind: A Medical History of Humanity – Roy Porter
The History of Medicine – a very short introduction – William Bynum
Medicine: The Definitive Illustrated History - DK

Norman England

The Norman Conquest – Marc Morris 1066: A new History of the Norman Conquest – Peter Rex England under the Norman and Angevin Kings – Robert Bartlett The Medieval World Complete – Robert Bartlett

William the Conqueror – David Bates

Watching

General Histories

Crash Course Histories by Jon Green Horrible Histories - CBBC BBC iPlayer – category History Who do you think you are? BBC Civilisations - BBC Timewatch – BBC Battlefield Britain Twentieth Century Battlefields Story of England – Michael Wood History of Britain – Simon Schama

First World War

1917 – Sam Mendes – Film 37 Days – Drama series The World's War – David Olusoga

Germany 1890-1945

The Nazis: A Warning from History – Laurence Rees – BBC Rise of the Nazis - BBC Schindler's List – Steven Spielberg – Film Cabaret – Film and musical

Norman England

The Normans – Robert Bartlett - BBC
Battlefield Britain - Hastings
Filthy Cities: Medieval London – Dan Snow – Channel 4
The Worst Jobs in History – Tony Robinson – Channel 4
Medieval Lives – Terry Jones - BBC

Listening and online

General Histories

The Rest is History – Tom Holland and Dominic Sandbrook – Podcast

In Our Time: History – Melvyn Bragg – BBC

History Today Archive

Historical Association - Podcasts

Russia: The Wild East and Rise and Fall of the Soviets – Martin Sixsmith A History of the World in One Hundred Objects – BBC and British Museum

You're Dead to Me - BBC

Visiting

General Histories

Birmingham Museum and Art Gallery – Reopening April 2022
Palace of Westminster – London
British Museum – London where the world goes to see its national treasures
Imperial War Museum – London, Manchester, Duxford

First World War

Hall of Memory – Centenary Square, Birmingham Imperial War Museum – First World War Galleries Cenotaph, Whitehall – London Battlefields of the Western Front (Year 10 School Residential)

Germany 1890-1945

Imperial War Museum – National Holocaust Exhibition National Holocaust Centre and Museum - Nottinghamshire RAF Museum Cosford Imperial War Museums Berlin – Olympic Stadium/Holocaust Museum

Medicine

Science Museum – London The Wellcome Institute – Euston Road, London Thackray Medical Museum – Leeds Old Operating Theatre – SE London

The Normans

Kenilworth Castle – English Heritage
Warwick Castle – Merlin Entertainment
Worcester Cathedral
Lichfield Cathedral
Tower of London, London
Westminster Abbey, London
Hastings Battlefield, Battle – English Heritage
York: Minster, Walls and Clifford's Tower
Canterbury Cathedral and Dover Castle (EH), Kent
Durham Cathedral and Castle