



Age Related Milestones: History

Year 9 AO	Meeting (You can demonstrate these skills most of the time)	Exceeding (You can demonstrate these skills most of the time)
AO1 Knowledge and understanding of the key features and characteristics of the period studied.	Analyse different people, events and places of the past, explain links, and come to a summary judgement. Understand national and international chronology of events.	Analyse and evaluate different people, events and places of the past and justify judgements. Analyse the links between features of the past. Show confident and extensive understanding of national and international chronology of events.
AO2 historical concepts: 1. Change and continuity/ Similarity and Difference	Analyse the cause and effect of change and continuity and similarity and difference across a specific timeline	Analyse and reach a judgement on the cause and effect of change and continuity across a specific timeline
AO2 2. Cause and consequence	Analyse and explain the links between different causes or consequences of an event. Start to evaluate the most significant	Analyse and reach a judgement on causes and consequences of events, making links between reasons. Evaluate the most significant cause/consequence.
AO2 4. Significance	Use criteria to analyse the reason a feature, event or person in the past is significant.	Analyse and reach a judgement on the significance of events, people and features of the past, using criteria to argue.
AO3 Analyse, evaluate and use sources	Explain and analyse source usefulness or reliability. Explain what the source suggests as well as says.	Analyse and reach judgements on reliability / usefulness and validity using evidence from sources to support analysis of different interpretations of the past.
AO4 Analyse, evaluate and make substantiated judgements about interpretations	Identify criteria for making a judgment on reliability of an interpretation.	Make complex inferences. Critically analyse interpretations based on provenance.