

# Year 7 History Learning Journey



Year 7

Why was England so smelly? – Sanitation over time

**Social History**  
What makes an event/person or discovery significant?  
  
Chronology, progress, germ theory, Public Health Act



TOPIC 1



The Norman Invasion 1066  
Part 1

War and Peace

What can historical sources tell us about the past?  
Invasion, inheritance, monarchy, Witan, hierarchy, cavalry, shield wall



TOPIC 2



Challenges to the Monarchy  
1100-1400

Could a Medieval monarch do whatever they wanted?



TOPIC 4

How much did England change during the Norman Conquest? Part 2

Power

What were the consequences of the Norman conquest?

Conquest, Rebellion, Motte and Bailey, hierarchy, Feudal, Baron, peasants, taxation, social class

TOPIC 3

Power, Rebellion, Social History

How do Historians explain the causes of events?

trade, taxation, tithes, Church, Pope, Archbishop, hierarchy, Magna Carta, Parliament, democracy, interpretations, silk road, plague, Statute of Labourers, revolt, rebellion



The Connected world

What makes a person/idea/discovery significant – what can it reveal about people from the past?

Renaissance, significant, dissection, invention, Martin Luther, 95 Theses, Protestantism

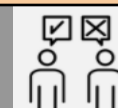


Power

How do Historians reach overall conclusions about the past?

Religious compromise, Spanish Armada, trade, Empire  
  
Power  
Civil War, Divine Right, Parliament Roundhead, Cavalier

TOPIC 6



Was the Elizabethan era really a “Golden Age”?

What was the King’s greatest challenge? – Civil War



Year 8



The Renaissance and Reformation – what was the impact?

TOPIC 5

