

## KS3 History – Summer Term Curriculum

Day: Mondays | Dates: 13 April – 20 July | Half term break: Week beginning 25 May

Week	Date	Topic	Lesson Focus	Objective
1	13 April	British Empire	What Was the British Empire?	Understand what an empire is and where Britain had colonies.
2	20 April	British Empire	Expansion of the Empire	Explore why Britain expanded its empire around the world.
3	27 April	British Empire	Trade and Wealth	Understand how trade helped Britain grow its empire.
4	11 May	British Empire	Resistance to Empire	Learn about resistance to British rule in different regions.
5	18 May	British Empire	Decline of the Empire	Understand why the British Empire began to break apart.
6	1 June	Transatlantic Slave Trade	What Was the Slave Trade?	Understand what the transatlantic slave trade was and when it took place.
7	8 June	Transatlantic Slave Trade	The Triangular Trade	Learn how the triangular trade system worked

				between Europe, Africa and the Americas.
8	15 June	Transatlantic Slave Trade	The Middle Passage	Understand what enslaved people experienced during the journey across the Atlantic.
9	22 June	Transatlantic Slave Trade	Life on Plantations	Explore what life was like for enslaved people in the Americas.
10	29 June	Transatlantic Slave Trade	Resistance and Rebellion	Learn how enslaved people resisted slavery.
11	6 July	Transatlantic Slave Trade	Abolition Movement	Understand how slavery was challenged and eventually abolished.
12	13 July	Transatlantic Slave Trade	Key Figures in Abolition	Learn about people who campaigned to end slavery.
13	20 July	Transatlantic Slave Trade	Legacy of Slavery	Explore how the slave trade still impacts the world today.