

Elm Court School

Humanities Curriculum Overview



Year 7:	Year 8:	Year 9:	Year 10:	Year 11:
<p>Cross curricular learning with the themes of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Initial Assessment Period followed by Environmental Regions • Norman Conquest/Bayeux Tapestry • What are the different religions? • Great Britain & Maps • The Great Fire of London • My local community 	<p>Cross curricular learning with the themes of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Weather & Climate • Religious Celebrations • China • The Slave Trade • Places of Worship • The life of a Victorian child 	<p>Cross curricular learning with the themes of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tourism • Religious Figures • Female Suffrage • Rites of Passage • Rivers and Coasts • WW2 & the Holocaust 	<p>Students begin studying for either a GCSE in Citizenship and have the option of studying GCSE Geography, History and RE</p> <p>Areas studied include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community action and active citizenship • Being a citizen in the UK: Democracy & Identity • Fairness and justice • GCSE Controlled Assessment Task 	<p>Students continue studies working towards a GCSE in Citizenship and chosen option of studying GCSE Geography, History and RE</p> <p>Areas studied include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Global issues and making a difference • GCSE Controlled Assessment Task • GCSE Revision sessions

How you can support your child in Humanities:

Encourage your child to watch parts of the local and national news in order for them to understand what is happening in the world around them and how it might affect them. If they have thoughts they wish to discuss, write them down in their daily planner where it can be discussed in class. Talk to your child about on-going changes to the area around them in terms of building developments – new houses, flats, offices, schools and shops for example. Talk to your child about the issues of the day and encourage them to express their views.

Please keep in touch with the Humanities section should you feel your child is struggling or needs more challenge – let us know. Emails can be sent to: humanities@elmcourt.lambeth.sch.uk .