

## **Year 8 History**

### **Term 2**

#### **Course Content**

In term 2 the focus shifts onto the Middle Ages England (1066 – 1470). This unit includes such topics as the Battle of Hastings, medieval castles, the Black Death, medieval jobs and life during the middle ages. This unit of work will transport the students' imaginations back to a time of Castles, Kings, Knights in shining armour, disgusting jobs and bloody battles! Students will continue to develop historical knowledge as well as historical skills and concepts such as, chronology, causation, using and interpreting sources.

#### **Resources used**

Year 7 History text book (SHP)

Conflict, People & Power – Medieval Britain 1066-1500 (Hodder History)

Making Sense of History 1066-1509 – SHP

History in Progress 1066-1603 (Heinemann)

Invasion, Plague and Murder – Britain 1066-1509 (Oxford)

[activehistory.co.uk](http://activehistory.co.uk)

Teacher created resources

Level criteria for assignments (posted on edmodo)

#### **Assessment**

Assignment and projects – 70%

Final test – 30%