

# YEAR 8— HISTORY

Topic YEAR 8 PROJ 1	Powerful Knowledge
<b>Democracy and politics in Britain</b>	What is Democracy/an MP/Prime Minister/elections House of Commons/Lords
<b>Medieval England + Magna Carta</b>	Context – Feudalism Magna Carta – Problems with King John, Barons War & Magna Carta, Simon De Montford and Oxford Provisions
<b>Peasants Revolt</b>	Causes – Poll Tax – Events – Wat Tyler and revolt Impact of peasants' revolt on democracy/power of the king.
<b>Civil War</b>	Revisit – Problems with Charles/Cromwell New Model Army and battles/Execution of Charles Cromwell in power – Military rule/Lord Protector Restoration of Charles II with Parliament
<b>Glorious Revolution</b>	James II problems with heir – Mary and William/Glorious Revolution & Bill of Rights Anne – Act of Union and Act of Settlement – Creation of the UK
<b>Industrial Revolution</b>	What has changed since the Middle Ages? What is the impact of the industrial Revolution on society - voting and emergence of the working class, Chartism as an idea/failures.
<b>Protests and Suffrage</b>	Women's life 1880s – Married Women's Property Act Suffragettes vs Suffragists - differences between them. Extreme methods: Hunger Strikes/Force Feeding/Cat and Mouse Act/Emily Davison Why women got the vote – impact of war - understanding it was not just war that got women the vote.