

YEAR 8 SUMMER TERM 2; TITANIC & THE SUFFRAGETTES; HISTORY DEPARTMENT		
Rationale and Context of Unit:	Core curriculum content:	Tier 2 & Tier 3 vocabulary explicitly taught:
 Builds on understanding of the Industrial revolution and discrimination throughout society Change and continuity – social hierarchy and the class system, social history – links to life in industrial Britain Engaging event in world history; links to industrialisation – engineering Similarities and differences between members of society Suffragettes – fight for equality and emancipation – perception and treatment of women in the 19th and 20th centuries – change and continuity Links to gender inequality of the 21st century – lack of equal pay etc. Significance of using the democratic vote and the injustice of not using it NC ref: 4 	 Titanic – evidence of the social structure of society, then and now? How representative the Titanic was of life in Britain regarding the class divide; investigation into who was ultimately to blame – hypothesise Suffragettes; who were they and why they were necessary following on from the Suffragists – the militant movement and the government's reaction to it. Case study: Emily Davison; women and WWI; women gain suffrage Reaching judgements about who was to blame for the disaster Source analysis/interpretations of the Suffragette movement 	Class divide; upper, middle and lower class; social structure; starboard; hull; shipwreck; emancipation Latin emancipates -free from a father'; franchise; suffrage; Suffragists; Suffragettes; force-feeding; internment
Challenge and Support:	Worldwide learning/ links to 21st century:	Cultural capital/ Industry/ Enrichment:
 Reach and Justify opinions on who was to blame Use 'new' vocabulary both verbally and in written form in the correct historical context Source analysis and utility of sources VIP strategy for disadvantaged students Writing frames, sentence stems; Success criteria and mark schemes Use the SEND passports to ensure the correct strategies are used to support students who have SEN Recommended reading: 'Things a Bright Girl can 	 Migration of people trying to build a better life links to Syria etc. Equality and emancipation – still being fought for around the world including in Britain – women still not equal in all aspects of life – consider if they ever will be #metoo Political prisoners – internment 	 Greater understanding of how society works in all aspects including the areas of employment and the class structure Importance of standing up for what you believe in and the power of popular protest and of 'speaking' out against discrimination of all kinds Justification and supporting arguments – life skill Is it still a 'man's world' highlight the importance of this generation making the change



do' by Sally Nichols, 'Make More Noise!: New Stories in Honour of the 100th Anniversary of Women's Suffrage' by Emma Carroll and Kiran Hargrave		
Historical, Social, Moral, Spiritual, Cultural context:	Cross curricular links/ literacy/numeracy:	Common misconceptions:
 Social – class divisions and social hierarchy, expectations; treatment of women in society as 'second class' citizens Moral – moral issues surrounding those that have money and those that don't and how society perceives and treats them accordingly Spiritual – the power of belief, either in oneself or in organisations – standing up for one's convictions 	 Cross curricular with the Geography Department regarding icebergs – size etc. Opportunities to develop numeracy – statistics regarding activities of the Suffragettes; percentages of different classes aboard the Titanic Opportunities to promote reading aloud throughout unit and opportunities for extended writing – narrative account re the Titanic and analytical essay on Suffragettes 	 The Titanic sank in minutes; lack of realisation that most damage was done beneath sea level Underestimate the role of the Suffragists Lack of comprehension regarding the hardship many Suffragettes had to endure Men did support suffrage for women

- Cumulative quizzes
- Narrative account of the events of the Titanic; Explain who was responsible
- Suffragettes Source analysis which includes a utility question

Home learning

- Story, Source, Scholarship Titanic beginning of SOL
- Suffragettes research task middle of SOL
- Create a revision resource to prepare for assessment on the Women's Suffrage Movement end of SOL

Feedback

- All assessments will be feedback 4 and self-assessed
- 'Live' feedback using the iscan

Length of unit (duration indicated in lessons)



