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Year 8	T1	T2	Т3	T4	Т5	Т6
Content / Topic for Term	Transatlantic slave trade and slavery in Reading	Transatlantic slave trade and slavery in Reading	Civil Rights Movement	WW1	Interwar years	WW2
Key Knowledge for acquisition, recall and application in assessment or exam	 Readings links to the slave trade. To understand the transatlantic slavery. Life on plantations. 	 To understand Reading's role in slavery in the 18th Century through sources. To understand who benefited from slavery in Reading. Learn about the abolition of slavery and Reading's role in this. 	 Civil rights in the USA. Civil rights in South Africa. Civil rights in the UK. Evaluate the impact of Civil rights. 	 Long and short term causes of WW1. Understanding the 'typical experience' on the Western Front. Understanding the 'typical experience' on the Eastern Front. Experiences of colonial and female troops through interpretations. 	 1920s America. Wall Street Crash. Tensions in Europe. Hitler's rise to power. 	 To understand the political landscape in Europe post WW1 and the rise of Hitler. Causes of WW2. Life in Britain during WW2: Evacuation, Blitz, Rationing. Role of international countries during WW2.
Key skills to apply in assessment or exam Title of Knowledge Organiser	A01 A02 (significance) A03 (using material evidence) Transatlantic slave trade	A01 A02 (cause and consequence) A03 (using material evidence) Slavery in Reading	A01 A02 (Causation) Civil Rights Movements	A01 A02 (causation) A04 (using different interpretations of historical events) WW1	A01 A02 (causation)	A01 A02 (cause and consequence) A03 (using material evidence) WW2

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- A01 Key historical knowledge.
- A02 Analysis and explanation of key historical concepts.
- A03 Source inference and usefulness.
- A04 Analyse and evaluation interpretation of historical events.