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# HISTORY

*Course Overview* **2023**



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# AT A GLANCE

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**For Ages:** 12-16

**Course Length:** 2 Weeks

**English Level:** B1+

**Starting Dates:** 10th July, 24th July  
2023

**Location:** Eton College, Windsor

**Course Objectives:** Improve English Language Skills; Develop History Knowledge

At Eton this summer study fascinating eras of history from medieval to early modern, as you learn how to analyse the past as a historian.

Covering history from medieval times to the modern day, this course develops the narrative of how the world has arrived in its present state.

During the course you'll take part in a group project where you will create a short documentary on how future generations will look back on the modern world, and you will develop key 21st-century skills, such as critical thinking, collaboration and problem-solving, required at undergraduate level and beyond.

# SAMPLE TIMETABLE

WEEK ONE

8.45-9.00	Morning Assembly				
9.00-10.30	<b>History Knowledge</b> <i>An Introduction to the Study of History</i>	<b>History Knowledge</b> <i>Medieval History: Sources, Opinions and Facts</i>	<b>History Knowledge</b> <i>Untold Histories: The History of the Voiceless</i>	<b>History Knowledge</b> <i>Early Modern History: A New Internationalism</i>	<b>History Knowledge</b> <i>Shakespeare's England: The Beginning of the Modern</i>
11.00-12.30	<b>Time to Shine Preparation Project:</b> <i>History Documentary Project</i>	<b>Time to Shine Preparation Project:</b> <i>History Documentary Project</i>	<b>Time to Shine Preparation Project:</b> <i>History Documentary Project</i>	<b>Time to Shine Preparation Project:</b> <i>Presentation Preparation: Public Speaking Skills</i>	<b>Week One</b> <i>Time to Shine Ceremony</i>

WEEK TWO

8.45-9.00	Morning Assembly				
9.00-10.30	<b>History Knowledge</b> <i>History and Fake News</i>	<b>History Knowledge</b> <i>The Enlightenment: The Birth of Modern Morality</i>	<b>History Knowledge</b> <i>19th Century: Capitalism and Exploitation</i>	<b>History Knowledge</b> <i>20th Century: Despair and Repair</i>	<b>History Knowledge</b> <i>The Future of History: How it Will Be Recorded</i>
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## Time to Shine

### *Our Place in History: Making a Modern History Documentary*

#### Time to Shine Description

How will future generations look on our modern times? In SBC International at Eton College's 10-hour History *Time to Shine* project, our history students will make a documentary short film about modern history. The short films will be shown in a special history documentary festival, as part of SBC International at Eton College's *Time to Shine* ceremony.

#### What you'll learn

- Gain an understanding of the major eras in history, from medieval history, through early modern history, to modern times.
- Learn about the techniques used by historians to analyze the past.
- Develop a theoretical and practical understanding of the skills needed to study History at university level.
- Take part in our exciting *Our Place in History* Time to Shine project, in which you and your classmates will produce a short history documentary to be shown in the *Time to Shine* ceremony.
- Through fun and engaging lesson activities, develop and apply your 21st century skills.