

**ST. MARY'S COLLEGE
FORM ONE HISTORY
COURSE OUTLINE**

TERM ONE

Proposed Date/Week	Unit/Section	Module	Topic
Wk 1/2	01	Introduction to History	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Define the term History. 2. Sources of History. 3. Terms connected to the study of History. 4. Their personal History. 5. Construct a family tree. 6. Group project on the History of St. Mary's College
Wk 3/4	02	The Development of Civilization	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Define the four stages of societal development. 2. Definition and elements of civilization.
Wk 5/6	03	Migration into the Americas	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The migration of man into the Americas from Mongolia across the Bering Strait. 2. The ways in which men adapted to the new environment.
Wk 7/8/9	04	The Mayans	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The origins and location of the Mayans. 2. Examine the Mayan civilization under the following headings: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Political Structure (b) Economic Organisation (c) Social Life (d) Religion (e) Achievements (f) European Contact.

Wk 10/11	05	The Aztecs	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The origins and location of the Aztecs.2. Examine the Aztec civilization under the following headings:<ol style="list-style-type: none">(a) Political Structure(b) Economic organisation(c) Social Life(d) Religion(e) Achievements(f) European Contact
Wk 12/13	06	The Incas	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The origins and location of the Incas.2. Examine the Inca civilization under the following headings:<ol style="list-style-type: none">(a) Political Structure(b) Economic organisation(c) Social Life(d) Religion(e) Achievements(f) European Contact

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Wk 1/2	01	A Geographical Perspective of the Caribbean region	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 6. Geological formation of the islands. 7. Geological differences between the islands. 8. The characteristics of the flora and fauna found in the Caribbean. 9. The wind and ocean currents instrumental in bringing men, plants and animals to the Caribbean. 10.. The climate of the region and its impact on man.
Wk 3/4/5/6	02/03	The Indigenous People of the Caribbean (i) The Tainos (ii) The Kalinagos	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Migration of man into the Americas. 2. Examine the way of life of The indigenous people under the following headings: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Political Structure (b) Economic organisation (c) Social Life (d) Religion (e) Achievements 3. The Legacy of the Indigenous people in Trinidad and Tobago. 4. The interaction between the Indigenous people and the Europeans.
Wk 7/8	04	Africa	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.The impact of African environment on African

			<p>lifestyle.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">2. The link between West Africa and the West Indies3. The kingdoms of Western Sudan.4. The kingdoms Central Sudan and the Forest Empires.5. Art, religion and social life among African nations.6. The impact of European arrival and the beginning of the slave trade.7. The legacy of Africa in Trinidad and Tobago and the Caribbean.
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Wk 1/2	01	India	11.The beginnings of Indian civilization. 12.The role of the Aryans, Hindus and Buddhists in India. 13. . Invasions and dynastic changes. 14.. The Turks and the influence of Islam. 15.Contact with Europeans. 16.Indian legacy in Trinidad
Wk 3/4	02	China	1.The beginnings of Chinese civilization. 2. The development of kingdoms and dynasties. 3. The philosophies of Confucius, Lao Tse and Buddha. 4. The principals of Chinese Law. 5. The great inventions of China. 6. The Mongols. 7. Chinese legacy in Trinidad and Tobago.
Wk 5/6	03	The Middle East	1. Location of the region and the significance of its name. 2. The role of trade in the

			<p>development of the region and the growth of cities.</p> <p>3. The rise of Islam.</p> <p>4. Other religions practiced in the region.</p> <p>5. Middle Eastern legacy in Trinidad and Tobago.</p>
Wk 7/8	04	Europe	<p>2. The rise of the Greek and Roman Empires.</p> <p>3. The Middle Ages.</p> <p>4. The role of the Catholic Church.</p> <p>5. The Renaissance.</p>
Wk 9/10	05	The Age of Exploration	<p>3. Trade links with Asia.</p> <p>4. Problems with the overland routes.</p> <p>5. Navigational improvements in the 15th century.</p> <p>6. Portugal and the search for a sea route.</p>