








Key Stage 3 Curriculum Map 2021-22 Term 2

Subject: Social Studies		Year: 8	
Focus/Topic	UAE Links	HPL Links	Home Learning / Guided Reading
The Geography of South Asia <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Learn about some of the main geographic features of South Asia. Examine the impact of the Monsoon season. Express some of the problems that can come from Monsoons. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Look at the effects of the monsoon on Trade in the UAE. 		Resources will be provided on Phoenix Classroom
Ancient Civilizations of South Asia <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Learn about one of the earliest civilizations. Understand the significance of the Indus River. Explain the importance of the Harappan city states built along the Indus River. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Compare these civilizations to the early civilizations of the UAE. 		
Ancient India <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand the development of early Indian Society. Discuss Indian Literature and Historical Epics. Create a timeline of the different eras and dynasties in India's history. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Compare this timeline to the different eras in the history of the region that is now the UAE. 		
The Arrival of Islamic Civilization in India and the Delhi Sultanate <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify the events around the formal arrival of Islamic Civilization into India. Explore the establishment of the Delhi Sultanate. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore the history of Islamic civilization in the UAE and compare it to that of the arrival into India. 		
Mid- Term Assessment			
Origins of Science in South Asia <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify the Origins of Math and Science in South Asia. Explore the influence these origins had on the pre-modern period. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify what impact this influence had on the UAE. 		
Break			
The British in India <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describe the British Empires role in India up to 1947. Explore the Partition of India in 1947 and the effects this has had on the region in the years following 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Compare the history of the British Empire in India to the History of the British in the UAE. 		Resources will be provided on Phoenix Classroom
The Economy and Cities of South Asia <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify the Economic strengths of South Asia. Evaluate the economic power of the modern countries of South Asia. Discuss the role major cities in the region play in the economic make-up of the region. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What was UAE known as before 1971? Who ruled this region in 18th and 19th century? Does East India Company have anything to do with UAE in 18th and 19th century? 		
Term-end Project Identify a city of particular interest to the student and conduct research into the history of the city, why it was built, what influence it has and what economic significance does it hold in the modern world.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify any trade, economic or historical ties between this city and the UAE. 	