



CONTENIDOS PRIORIZADOS 2023

Asignatura: **British History**

Curso: **Level 1 B2**

Profesor/a: **Luciana Esposito**

0. **Introduction:** What is History? Historical Eras Divisions: Ancient History, Middle Ages, Modern Times and Contemporary Era. What is Great Britain?
1. **Prehistoric Britain:** The Ice Age. Early Britons. Stonehenge. The British Celts.
2. **Britannia:** The Romans in Britain. Queen Boudicca. Pax Romana. Hadrian's Wall. New Invaders. Roman remains.
3. **The Early Middle Ages:** The Anglo-Saxons. The Celtic Kingdoms.
4. **The Vikings:** The Vikings. The St. Brice's Day Massacre. Edward the Confessor. The Battle of Hastings.
5. **The Normans:** The Normans. Feudalism in Britain. Norman Castles. Knights. Domesday Book. The Marches. The Anarchy.
6. **The Plantagenets - From 1154 to 1295:** The Church in the Middle Ages. Henry II & the Importance of Dynastic politics. The English Common Law. A Family at War. Richard I. Magna Carta. The Provisions of Oxford.
7. **The Plantagenets - From 1295 to 1327:** The Model Parliament. The Statute of Wales. The Hammer of the Scots. The She-Wolf of France.
8. **The Plantagenets - From 1327 to 1422:** Edward III. The Hundred Year War. The Statute of Pleading. The Plague and The Statute of Labourers. The Black Prince. The Peasants' Revolt. Henry IV, the Usurper. The Battle of Agincourt.
9. **The War of the Roses:** Lancaster vs York. The Two Kings. Richard III. The Battle of Bosworth.
10. **The Tudors - From 1489 to 1547:** The First Modern King. The Role of Women in the Tudor Society. Henry VIII. The King's Great Matter. The Act of Supremacy. Catholicism vs Protestantism. The Dissolution of the Monasteries. Anne Boleyn's Downfall. The King's Beloved Sister. The Death of a Tyrant. Henry VIII's Six Wives.
11. **The Tudors - From 1547 to 1558:** Edward VI. Lady Jane Grey. Mary I.
12. **The Golden Age:** Elizabeth I. Mary, Queen of Scots. The Spanish Armada. William Shakespeare. Playhouses. The History of English Language
13. **The Stuarts:** James I. The Divine Right of Kings. The Gunpowder plot. The Puritans.
14. **The English Civil War:** Charles I and the Eleven-Year Tyranny. Cavaliers vs. Roundheads. Oliver Cromwell. The Commonwealth.
15. **The Restoration:** Charles II. The Great Fire of London. James II. The Glorious Revolution. The Bill of Rights. The Act of Union.