Home-School Learning Collaboration – History



Topics in this cycle: Ancient Medicine	Taught: Summer 2	Year Group: 9
Key knowledge/concepts to be learnt ('Tell me about')		Websites/blogs/YouTube links and further reading to deepen and consolidate learning
 Prehistoric Medicine Prehistoric causes and cures of disease Factors that affected the development of medicine Source analysis – usefulness 		Medieval Medicine (Influence of Hippocrates and Galen) - https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z3xb3j6/revisi on/1
 Ancient Egyptian Medicine The main features of Egyptian medicine The importance of the River Nile The use of mummification – medicine progress Extended Writing – How far do you agree? The Blocked Channels Theory 		Ancient Egyptian Medicine - https://schoolhistory.co.uk/ancient-world/ancient- egypt/ancient-egyptian-medicine/ Ancient Egyptian Medicine - https://historyforkids.org/ancient-egyptian-medicine/
 Ancient Greek Medicine The work of Hippocrates Extended writing – Significance The main features of Greek medicine How the Cult of Asclepius healed the sick 		Hippocrates - <u>https://schoolhistory.co.uk/early-</u> modern/hippocrates/ Ancient Roman Medicine - <u>https://schoolhistory.co.uk/ancient-world/ancient-</u>
 Ancient Roman Medicine The work of Galen Extended Writing – Similarity/Difference The main features of Roman medicine How public health was improved 		roman-medicine/

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Key Vocabulary and Definitions To Be Learnt		What Will The Assessment Look Like?
Nomadic	People who did not live permanently in one place.	Unit test: 1 hour
Papyrus	An early type of paper made from reeds.	 Short answer questions x 10 Extended writing question: Change/Continuity – To what extent has medicine improved in the Ancient World?
Dissection	The careful cutting of dead bodies to study their insides.	
Embalming	Preserving a body for burial.	
Blocked Channels Theory	The belief that spirits were blocking the body's channels which caused disease.	
Purging	Vomiting or emptying the bowels.	
Theory of the Four Humours	The Ancient Greek idea that the body was made up of 4 liquids (blood, phlegm, yellow bile, and black bile) that needed to be balanced to ensure good health.	Family Learning Opportunities
Clinical Observation	Observing the symptoms of a patient before diagnosis.	 Create a poster about the causes and cures of illness in the Ancient World. Watch a documentary about Egyptian mummification and the use of the pyramids. Research an Ancient individual who has had a significant impact upon the development of medicine.
Asclepion	An Ancient Greek healing temple dedicated to the god of medicine, Asclepius.	
Theory of Opposites	The Ancient Roman idea that you should rebalance the humours with opposites (if a patient had too much blood and was hot and dry, they could be treated with cucumber because it was cold and wet).	
Public Health	The general health and cleanliness of the whole population.	