

The History Department at King's Park Secondary School aims to:

Provide enjoyment and arouse a lasting interest in History.

Provide an understanding of human development in the perspective of time, including an awareness of:

- Change and continuity;
- Cause and consequence;
- The influence of the environment in shaping human development;
- The impact of change on individuals and societies.

To develop a better understanding of contemporary society by:

- Comparing past societies and their values with the present;



- Studying contemporary problems in their historical setting.

To introduce pupils to their cultural heritage - local, national and international.

To provide a framework for reinforcing and developing basic skills.

To provide a disciplined method of study by encouraging the use of evidence and an awareness of the need for evidence.

To develop a tolerant but critical attitude of mind by studying societies which are removed in time and place from our own.

