

# What makes a good historian?



Sense of curiosity about the past



Asks questions



Ability to think, reflect, debate, discuss and evaluate the past



Enthusiasm and appreciation for historical facts



Thinks critically about clues



Follows lines of enquiry with interest



Respects evidence and use it to compare and investigate



Uses primary and secondary sources to explore the past



Questions evidence



Excellent knowledge and understanding of people, events and contexts from a range of historical periods.