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Topic: The Crusades

Working Towards	Expected Standard	Reaching Greater Depth	
ES1. Describe key features of the Islamic Golden Age and explain why Baghdad became a centre of learning and culture.			
ES2. Explain the power and influence of the Christian Church in Europe during the medieval period.			
ES3. Identify and explain reasons for the weakening of the Byzantine Empire before the First Crusade judging which was the most important factor.			
ES4. Describe the causes and key events of the First Crusade and assess its outcomes using a criteria of impact on religion and society.			
ES5. Compare the successes and failures of the Second and Third Crusades using historical evidence to support judgements made.			
ES6. Use chronological, conceptual, and disciplinary knowledge to explain the significance of the Crusades for both Christian and Muslim worlds.			
To achieve 'Greater Depth' you will be able to...		GD	
GD1. Evaluate the long-term impact of the Crusades on both Christian and Muslim societies, including cultural, economic, and political consequences.			
GD2. Analyse how religious belief, political ambition, and military strategy influenced the outcomes of the Crusades, using evidence from multiple sources to support your interpretation.			
GD3. Integrate precise chronological, conceptual, and disciplinary knowledge to critically explain causes, events, and consequences of the Crusades, making supported judgements about significance, success and failure, and relative importance.			