Y13A Learning Journey. Subject: History A Level



Exam Requirements: Your A-level in History is structured, and examined, in the following way:

Paper One: AQA Unit 1D – Stuart Britain and the	Paper Two: AQA Unit 2H France in Revolution, 1774-	NEA: Civil Rights Movement – 1865-1968
Crisis of Monarchy, 1603-1702	1815	
A two-and-a-half-hour exam comprising of one compulsory extract question and the completion of two essays from a choice of three.	A two-and-a-half-hour exam comprising of one compulsory source question and the completion of two essays from a choice of three.	A 4500-word essay answering a specific question chosen by you from a choice of three. Knowledge , source analysis and engagement with historiography
	,	will be assessed.

Overview of the Year:

Week Beginning	The focus of your learning or revision this week:		Key assessment pieces or specific homework tasks (including deadlines of any coursework/NEAs)		
	AQA Unit 1D – Stuart Britain and the Crisis of Monarchy, 1603- 1702 NEA: Civil Rights Movement – 1865- 1968 3 hours a week		Paper 1 Paper 2/NEA		Paper 2/NEA
25/09/23 02/10/23 09/10/23 16/10/23	Section 3: From Republic to restored and limited monarchy Including – The Rump Parliament, the Nominated Assembly, Cromwell, the Protectorate and the Major Generals, end of the Interregnum, Charles II and the Restoration, emergence of court and country 'parties', religious division and conflict.	Focus at this point is the NEA and can include; • Independent research on content • Analysis of primary sources • Studying historiography • Planning a draft Writing our final essay	Please be prepared for short knowledge check SMHW quizzes on a regular basis. You will also have to prepare for exam-condition essay questions towards the end of this half term. Completion of essay on this period of study for homework On-going extract-based homework booklet.	Working towards completed by the second seco	Information A page per decade for AO1 completed in the Research Booklet All AO2 and AO3 pages of the Research Booklets completed 1st Draft NEA submitted Final NEA submission e; ch on content sources phy

	Revision for			
	Assessment Week			
	One			
			Half Term	1
30/10/23	Assessment Week One			
06/11/23	Section 4: The	Paper 2: France in Revolution	Please be prepared for short knowledge check SMHW	Please be prepared for short knowledge check SMHW quizzes on a regular basis. You will also have to prepare for exam-condition essay
13/11/23	establishment of constitutional monarchy, 1678-1702 Including – The Exclusion Crisis – aims, method and failure. Feedback from Assessment Week One including Directed Improvement and Reflection Time	Section 4: The Directory and Napoleon's rise to power, 1795-1799 Including – The Aftermath of the Terror, the Establishment of the Directory; Military Campaigns and Expansion Abroad, The establishment of the Consulate	quizzes on a regular basis. You will also have to prepare for exam-condition essay questions towards the end of this half term. Completion of essay on this period of study for homework On-going extract-based homework booklet.	questions towards the end of this half term. Ongoing source-based homework booklet
20/11/23 27/11/23	Section 4: The establishment of constitutional monarchy, 1678-1702	Section 5: The impact of Napoleon's rule on France, 1799-1815 Including Political	Please be prepared for short knowledge check SMHW quizzes on a regular basis. You will also have to prepare for	Please be prepared for short knowledge check SMHW quizzes on a regular basis. You will also have to prepare for exam-condition essay questions towards the end of this half term.
	Including – James II	change, Social change	exam-condition essay questions	Ongoing source-based homework booklet
04/12/23	and his attempts at	Section 5: The impact	towards the end of this half	
11/12/23	absolutism, 1685-	of Napoleon's rule on	term.	
	1688, attempts to restore Catholicism	France, 1799-1815 Legal and administrative change,	Completion of essay on this period of study for homework	
18/12/23	Review of Section 4	Financial and economic		
,,	so far	policies and problems	On-going extract-based homework booklet.	
			Christmas Break	
08/01/24	Section 4: The	Section 6: The impact	Please be prepared for short	Please be prepared for short knowledge check SMHW quizzes on a
	Section 4: The establishment of	of Napoleon's rule on	knowledge check SMHW	regular basis. You will also have to prepare for exam-condition essay
15/01/24	establishment of	Europe, 1799-1815	quizzes on a regular basis. You	questions towards the end of this half term.

	constitutional monarchy, 1678-1702 The Glorious Revolution and its effect on the position and power of monarchy, consolidation of the revolution in the multiple Kingdoms	Including; The army and conquest during the Consulate and Empire, The control of the Grand Empire	will also have to prepare for exam-condition essay questions towards the end of this half term. Completion of essay on this period of study for homework On-going extract-based homework booklet.	Ongoing source-based homework booklet
22/01/24 29/01/24	Section 4: The establishment of constitutional monarchy, 1678-1702 Divisions within the Political Nation – the Tories and the Whigs, religious changes under William III, Government under William and Mary, changing influence of Crown and Parliament.	Section 6: The impact of Napoleon's rule on Europe, 1799-1815 Including; The army and conquest during the Consulate and Empire, The control of the Grand Empire		Please be prepared for short knowledge check SMHW quizzes on a regular basis. You will also have to prepare for exam-condition essay questions towards the end of this half term. Ongoing source-based homework booklet
05/02/24	Section 4: The establishment of constitutional monarchy, 1678-1702 Including – The condition of Britain and its monarchy by 1702 – the Act of Settlement, balance of power between Crown and Parliament.	Section 6: The impact of Napoleon's rule on Europe, 1799-1815 Including; Challenges to the Empire, The collapse of the Empire	Please be prepared for short knowledge check SMHW quizzes on a regular basis. You will also have to prepare for exam-condition essay questions towards the end of this half term. Completion of essay on this period of study for homework On-going extract-based homework booklet.	Please be prepared for short knowledge check SMHW quizzes on a regular basis. You will also have to prepare for exam-condition essay questions towards the end of this half term. Ongoing source-based homework booklet

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19/02/24	Section 4: The	Section 6: The impact		
26/02/24	establishment of constitutional monarchy, 1678-1702 Including – The condition of Britain and its monarchy by 1702 – the Act of Settlement, balance	of Napoleon's rule on Europe, 1799-1815 Including; Challenges to the Empire, The collapse of the Empire	Please be prepared for short knowledge check SMHW quizzes on a regular basis. You will also have to prepare for exam-condition essay questions towards the end of this half term.	Please be prepared for short knowledge check SMHW quizzes on a regular basis. You will also have to prepare for exam-condition essay questions towards the end of this half term. Ongoing source-based homework booklet
04/03/24	of power between Crown and Parliament. Revision for	Revision for	Revision activities	Revision activities
	Assessment Week	Assessment Week Two		
	Two			
11/03/24			Assessment Week Two	
18/03/24	Review of Section 4		Please be prepared for short	Please be prepared for short knowledge check SMHW quizzes on a
	so far		knowledge check SMHW	regular basis. You will also have to prepare for exam-condition essay
25/03/24	Feedback from	Feedback from	quizzes on a regular basis. You	questions towards the end of this half term.
	Assessment Week	Assessment Week Two	will also have to prepare for	
	Two		exam-condition essay questions	Ongoing source-based homework booklet
			towards the end of this half	
			term.	
		1	Easter Break	
15/04/24	Revision of Unit 1D	Revision of Unit 2H	Revision activities	Revision activities
22/04/24	including content and	including content and		
29/04/24	exam skills.	exam skills.		
07/05/24				
13/05/24				Provisional: A-level Exams Start

Exam Practice:	Revision Materials:	l
You can find past papers to help support your revision and develop your exam	You MAY want to use an additional revision guide. This is by no means compulsory	l
technique here:	as you will be provided with all the lesson and revision material you need in class. If	l
	you do still want an additional revision guide, we would recommend –	l
Paper One and Paper Two		l
	Paper One;	l

https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/history/as-and-a-level/history-7041-7042/assessment-resources

My Revision Notes: AQA AS/A-level History: Stuart Britain and the Crisis of Monarchy, 1603-1702

Paper Two;

My Revision Notes: AQA AS/A-level History: France in Revolution, 1774–1815

We do have copies of both of these in department so please ask us if you want to have a look at them first.

Glossaries:

You have been provided with glossaries at the start of the course and have added to and annotated these. Remember to refer to them in your revision.

Advice and Guidance for Revision

Remember that the exam technique in both Paper One and Paper Two for the essay questions is THE SAME! This means you will have/have already lots of practice at these skills.

Your textbooks have lots of examples of extract, source and essay questions in them – use these as part of your revision.

Paper One

You will be provided with revision booklets that cover the whole period of the course in terms of both essay and extract questions. Use these and bring in what you have done to show us. You do not need to write whole essays every time - a plan is useful to test your knowledge or a couple of paragraphs to look at your paragraph technique.

The questions in this paper will be a minimum of 20 years in coverage. This means you are likely to be asked to compare and contrast something or two rulers. Completing theme tables covering the range of the course is a helpful way to revise to prepare for this. For example, religion is a major factor in our course. Make a table and divide it up into decades and put precise examples of how religion features in that decade – it may be religious policy, conflict, or promotion of different religious groups. Do this for each decade and you have a simple comparison resource for revision.

Paper Two

You will be provided with revision resources that cover the whole course and focus on specifics – this is a depth study so you do need to know events, and the significance of them, in detail.