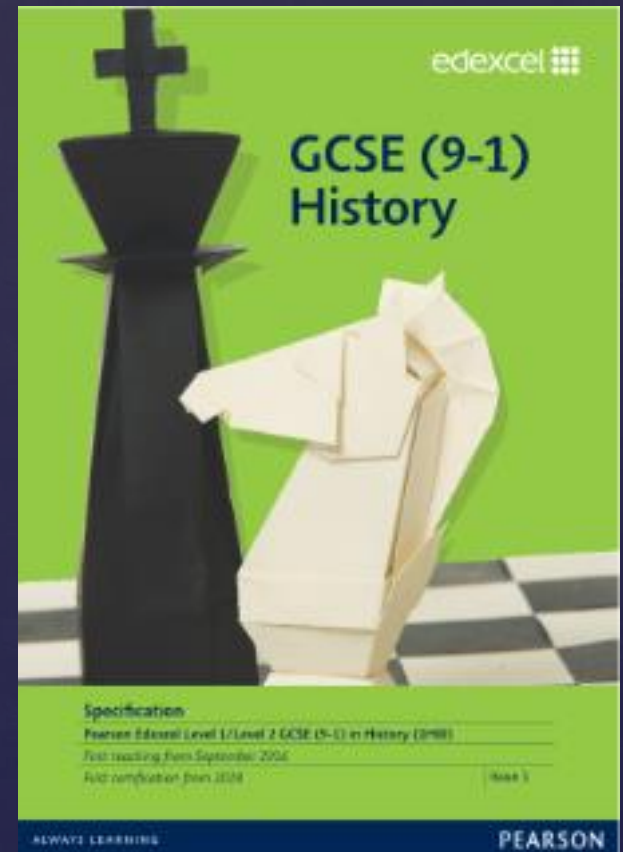


GCSE History- Year Eight Options talk

1: Why Study History-
What is required?

2: GCSE History lowdown:
Year Nine to Eleven.

4: History and your child's
future.



Why Study History?

- To satisfy a curiosity about the past .
- To develop an understanding about how our contemporary world has been shaped by past events and individuals.
- To learn from the past to plan for the future.
- To analyse our heritage in an international context.
- History is a respected academic subject.
- To develop a wide range of skills for life that are valued by colleges and employers.

- Edexcel GCSE History is an intellectually stimulating and content filled course. Subject enthusiasm is required.
- Students require a high level of LITERACY skills to succeed, although these skills are nurtured throughout the course.
- Students must be prepared to answer essay questions and analyse a range of historical sources/ interpretations. There are 8, 12 and 20 mark questions(Including SPAG)

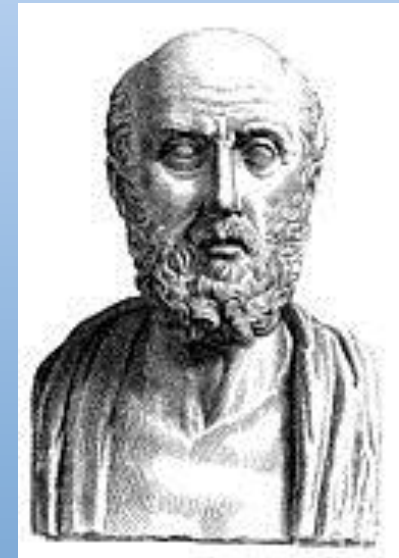


GCSE History : YEAR NINE 2019-20

- Twentieth Century Britain



- Edexcel GCSE Paper One (Thematic study) Medicine Through Time 1250-present & The British Sector of the Western Front during WW1.
Worth 30% of the GCSE assessment.



GCSE History : YEAR TEN 2020-21

- Completion of *Medicine Through Time & The British Sector of the Western Front during WW1*.
- *GCSE Paper Two A (British Depth Study) Early Elizabethan England 1558-88*.
- *GCSE Paper Two B (Period Study) The American West 1835-95. Worth 40% of the GCSE assessment.*



GCSE History : YEAR ELEVEN 2021-22

- Completion of the American West 1835-95.
- GCSE Paper Three (Modern Depth study) Weimar and Nazi Germany 1918-39. This include historical interpretations. 30% of assessment.
- REVISION & three GCSE papers in May/June 2022.



The Benefits of GCSE HISTORY!

- The subject will increase students understanding of a broad range of History, covering a 1000 year period. There is a good balance of depth, thematic and modern options.
- SKILLS FOR LIFE: ANALYSIS, EXPLANATION, COMMUNICATION, DEVELOPING ARGUMENTS, EXPLORING EVIDENCE, UNDERSTANDING DIFFERENT INTERPRETATIONS.



University and Jobs: Historical Opportunities

POPULAR PROFESSIONS FOR HISTORY GRADUATES AFTER SCHOOL/UNIVERSITY:

- Teaching!
- Law
- Journalism/Media
- Politics
- Civil Service
- Museum Work
- Business Leaders
- Marketing/Advertising and MANY, MANY MORE
- Employers value the skills and opportunities afforded by the study of History.



Some Good Company: Famous History Graduates

