

GCSE HISTORY

EXAMINING BOARD: CCEA

Course Content:

GCSE History consists of two written papers, and one controlled assessment.

You will study ...

PAPER 1: Study in Depth

- *Section A:* Germany 1918–1941: Weimar and Nazi Germany
- *Section B:* Changing Relationships: Britain, Northern Ireland and Ireland c1965–1985: The Troubles

PAPER 2: Outline Study

- *Section A:* The Cold War, 1945–1991

You will be assessed in the following way ...

- *Paper 1:* Study in Depth (50%)
- *Paper 2:* Outline Study (25%)
- *Controlled Assessment:* (25%)

Candidates are required to complete one controlled assessment based on a topic related to, but not included within, the content of Paper 1 or Paper 2. The assignment will be source-based.

Future Prospects:

History is both enjoyable and provides a context for society today. It is a very well respected academic subject. People who study History go on to pursue a range of careers including Law, Accountancy, Journalism, Management and Teaching. However, it should not be pigeon holed. Rather it should be regarded as a key to unlocking a whole range of potential careers.

