



Curriculum Overview for History - Year 11 (Spring Term)

Half Term 3: Paper 2: Section B - Superpower relations and the Cold War, 1941 - 91. Substantive Knowledge: • Knowledge of The Grand Alliance and the resolutions of the three conferences (Tehran, Yalta and Potsdam) • Knowledge of the Long and Novikov Telegrams • Knowledge of the creation of satellite states and the impact upon relations between America and Russia • Knowledge of the Truman Doctrine and Marshall Plan • Knowledge of the development of Nato and the Warsaw Pact • Knowledge of Cominform and Comecon • Knowledge of the Berlin Blockade and Airlift • Knowledge of the 1956 Hungarian Uprising and Khrushchev's response		- Teachers lead by example. Teachers read from the board but will also encourage pupils to read aloud to the class. - Syllabification of key words. - Pupils will analyse a variety of text sources, gaining inference from these. - Pupils will develop core skills in: description, explanation, analysis, evaluation and judgement making through historical context. - Pupils will be expected to practice exam skills and questions in preparation for GCSEs.
Disciplinary Knowledge: - All lessons will pull upon one of the core skills of the subject: chronology, causation, change and continuity, source/interpretation analysis and judgement making. - These lessons will be formulated mainly around the concept of 'change and continuity'; and so pupils will examine a mixture of literary and archaeological evidence, as well as key events and people, to provide evidence on judgements about this. - This will also include the building of literacy and oracy skills to help pupils build greater confidence in developing answers both verbally and in writing. - Pupils will gain the knowledge and skills associated with the Edexcel GCSE History course		The Grand Alliance, Theodore Roosevelt, Joseph Stalin, Winston Churchill, The Tehran Conference, The Yalta Conference, Harold Truman, Clement Atlee, The Potsdam Conference, Communism/Capitalism, Atomic Bomb, Long/Novikov Telegrams, satellite states, The Truman Doctrine, The Marshall Plan, Cominform, Comecon, Nato, The Berlin Blockade/Airlift, The Warsaw Pact, The Hungarian Uprising, Dwight Eisenhower, Nikita Khrushchev.
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		Homework will be issued weekly for 30-40 minutes and will reinforce learning from the substantive knowledge; whilst also practising key GCSE style questions to assist pupils in preparing for their GCSEs.

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