Year 11 History Curriculum Overview

Rationale: The Year 11 curriculum covers **Paper 3** – Weimar and Nazi Germany, 1918-39. We use the Edexcel exam board. Lessons are geared towards the understanding and completion of exam questions, interpretations, sources and knowledge based questions. History is taught over 5 lessons per fortnight.

Term/Length of Time	Outline	Assessment/Teacher Feedback Opportunities	Homework and Literacy resources	
Autumn 1 Paper 3 - Germany: the Weimar Republic, 1918-29 – 5 weeks Paper 3 - Germany: Hitler's rise to power, 1919-33 – 2 weeks	We begin Paper 3 looking at the formation of the Weimar Republic and its early challenges, including political instability and hyperinflation. We then begin looking at Hitler's rise to power with a focus on the early years of the Nazi Party, the debacle of the Munich Uprising and Hitler's reform of the Nazi Party with a focus on winning elections. This includes source questions, explain why questions and how far do you agree interpretations questions for Germany. Careers information – human rights lawyer	20 mark in-class assessment made of one question currently studied in class and one interleaving question taken from an earlier unit. Skills assessed: Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the key features and characteristics of the periods studied. Explain and analyse historical events and periods studied using secondorder historical concepts. Analyse, evaluate and use sources (contemporary to the period) to make substantiated judgements, in the context of historical events studied.	Consolidation of classwork into revision materials covering Cold War crises. Preparation for in class assessments from Paper 3 — Weimar and Nazi Germany and the Cold War. Revision schedule for December mock exam — Paper 1 on Medicine Through Time. Optional Home learning Complete Kahoot quizzes for of the units taught. Search Mr Bowker KS4 https://kahoot.com/ Complete practice exam questions — see portal or teacher for a list of questions Watch the range of YouTube revision clips on the topics studied — https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=I79TpDe3t2g&t=268s Watch The Nazis a Warning From History Read The Coming of the Third Reich and The Third Reich in Power by Richard J Evans	
Autumn 2 Paper 3 - Germany: Hitler's rise to power, 1919-33 – 1 week Paper 3 - Germany: Nazi control and dictatorship, 1933-39 – 5 weeks	We continue looking at Hitler's rise to power with a focus on the early years of the Nazi Party, the debacle of the Munich Uprising and Hitler's reform of the Nazi Party with a focus on winning elections. This term concludes Hitler's rise to power and how Germany was transformed from a functioning, if struggling democracy, to a dictatorship. This includes source questions, explain why questions and how far do you agree interpretations questions for Germany.	20 mark in-class assessment made of one question currently studied in class and one interleaving question taken from an earlier unit. Skills assessed: Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the key features and characteristics of the periods studied. Explain and analyse historical events and periods studied using secondorder historical concepts. Analyse, evaluate and use sources (contemporary to the period) to make	Consolidation of classwork into revision materials covering Cold War crises. Preparation for in class assessments from Paper 3 – Weimar and Nazi Germany and the Cold War. Revision schedule for December mock exam – Paper 1 on Medicine Through Time. Optional Home learning Complete Kahoot quizzes for of the units taught. Search Mr Bowker KS4 https://kahoot.com/ Complete practice exam questions – see portal or teacher for a list of questions	

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 Spring 1 Paper 3 - Germany: Nazi control and dictatorship, 1933-39 – 1 weeks Paper 3 - Germany: life in Nazi Germany, 1933-39 – 5 weeks 	This term concludes how Germany was transformed from a functioning, if struggling democracy, to a dictatorship. We then begin looking at life in Nazi Germany, beginning with Nazi policies towards women. This includes source questions, explain why questions and how far do you agree interpretations questions for Germany. Careers information – teacher	20 mark in-class assessment made of one question currently studied in class and one interleaving question taken from an earlier unit. Skills assessed: Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the key features and characteristics of the periods studied. Explain and analyse historical events and periods studied using secondorder historical concepts. Analyse, evaluate and use sources (contemporary to the period) to make substantiated judgements, in the context of historical events studied.	Consolidation of classwork into revision materials covering Cold War crises. Preparation for in class assessments from Paper 3 — Weimar and Nazi Germany and the Cold War. Revision schedule for Paper 2 Optional Home learning Complete Kahoot quizzes for of the units taught. Search Mr Bowker KS4 https://kahoot.com/ Preparation for in class assessments from paper 2 and 3 — the Cold War and Germany. Watch The Nazis a Warning From History Read The Coming of the Third Reich and The Third Reich in Power by Richard J Evans
Spring 2 Paper 3 - Germany: life in Nazi Germany, 1933-39 – 5 weeks	This term concludes life in Nazi Germany, looking at employment, youth policy and the persecution of minorities. This includes source questions, explain why questions and how far do you agree interpretations questions for Germany.	20 mark in-class assessment made of one question currently studied in class and one interleaving question taken from an earlier unit. Skills assessed: Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the key features and characteristics of the periods studied. Explain and analyse historical events and periods studied using secondorder historical concepts. Analyse, evaluate and use sources (contemporary to the period) to make substantiated judgements, in the context of historical events studied.	Consolidation of classwork into revision materials for Hitler's rise to power, Nazi control and dictatorship and life in Nazi Germany. Preparation for in class assessments from paper 2 and 3 — the Cold War and Germany. Revision schedule for Paper 2 Optional Home learning Complete Kahoot quizzes for of the units taught. Search Mr Bowker KS4 https://kahoot.com/ Complete practice exam questions — see portal or teacher for a list of questions Watch The Nazis a Warning From History Read The Coming of the Third Reich and The Third Reich in Power by Richard J Evans
Summer 1 Revision	This term is spent revising each of the three papers covered across Y9-11: Paper 1 - Medicine in Britain, c1250—present and The British sector of the Western Front, 1914–18: injuries, treatment and the trenches.	No formal assessments this half-term Skills assessed: Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the key features and characteristics of the periods studied.	Consolidation of classwork into revision materials covering all three papers. Optional Home learning Complete Kahoot quizzes for of the units taught. Search Mr Bowker KS4 https://kahoot.com/

 Paper 2 - Early Elizabethan England, 1558–88 and Superpower relations an the Cold War, 1941–91 Paper 3 - Weimar and Nazi Germany, 1918–39 	•	Explain and analyse historical events and periods studied using secondorder historical concepts. Analyse, evaluate and use sources (contemporary to the period) to make substantiated judgements, in the context of historical events studied.	•	Complete practice exam questions – see portal or teacher for a list of questions Watch The Nazis a Warning From History Read The Coming of the Third Reich and The Third Reich in Power by Richard J Evans
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