

## What are the aims and intentions of this curriculum?

The aim of the Year 11 history curriculum is to cover in depth the two GCSE history modules of Nazi Germany and The Cold War.

Term	Topics	Knowledge and key terms	Skills developed	Assessment
Summer 2	GCSE Nazi Germany	<b>Aim:</b> to cover course content – rise of the Nazi party 1919-33 Rise to power, Versailles, elections, imprisonment, Mein Kampf, SA	Understanding causation, source, analysis, interpretations. GCSE examination writing <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How to write 'infer' answers</li> <li>How to write essays on the usefulness of sources</li> <li>How to write 'interpretation' essays</li> <li>How to write 'Explain why' essays</li> </ol>	<b>Mock Exam</b>
Autumn 1 Imperial War Museum Trip	GCSE Nazi Germany	<b>Aim:</b> to cover course content – Hitler in power 1933-36 Trade unions, women, antisemitism, media and propaganda, censorship	Understanding causation, source, analysis, interpretations GCSE exam writing <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How to write 'infer' answers</li> <li>How to write essays on the usefulness of sources</li> <li>How to write 'interpretation' essays</li> <li>How to write 'Explain why' essays</li> </ol>	<b>Think Pink, Go Green</b>
Autumn 2	GCSE Nazi Germany	<b>Aim:</b> to cover course content – Hitler in power 1936-39 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Police state, legal system, SS, concentration camps, education, Hitler youth, four year plan, army</li> </ul>	Understanding causation, source, analysis, interpretations. GCSE examination writing <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How to write 'infer' answers</li> <li>How to write essays on the usefulness of sources</li> <li>How to write 'interpretation' essays</li> <li>How to write 'Explain why' essays</li> </ol>	<b>Mock Exam</b>
Spring 2	GCSE Cold War	<b>Aim:</b> to cover course content: Cold War <b>up to</b> 1961 Division of Germany, Berlin air lift, nuclear arms race, Korean War, Cuban missile crisis, Berlin Wall.	Writing 'narrative account' type GCSE essays	<b>Think Pink, Go Green</b>
Summer 1	GCSE Cold War	<b>Aim:</b> to cover course content: Cold War <b>after</b> 1961 Détente, Vietnam war, invasion of Afghanistan, Gorbachev and Reagan, collapse of communism	Writing 'narrative account' type GCSE essays	<b>Cumulative Test</b>