

# History

Course Detail GCSE History

Exam Board Edexcel

## ASSESSMENT

The course is assessed through three examinations:

**Paper 1** Thematic Study and the historic environment

(1 hour 45 minutes) worth 30% of the final grade.

**Paper 2** Period Study and British in depth study.

(1 hour 45 minutes) worth 40% of the final grade .

**Paper 3** Modern Depth Study (1 hour 20 minutes) worth 30% of the final grade.



## WHAT YOU WILL STUDY:

**Paper 1: Medicine in Britain c.1250 to the present day. British Sector of the Western**

**Front 1914-18: Injuries, treatment and the trenches.**

**Paper 2: Early Elizabethan England 1558-1588 (British Depth Study)**

**Superpower relations and the Cold War (1941-1991) (Period Study)**

**Paper 3: Weimar and Nazi Germany 1918-1939 (Modern Depth Study)**

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## WHO SHOULD DO IT?

Anyone with an interest in History. The subject is considered useful in careers such as law, journalism, police,

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

This is a GCSE subject and is open to all students. There are no minimum requirements. However, it is best suited to students who can think critically, learn in detail and express themselves clearly in writing. Students also need to be prepared to read and review work regularly.