

Dear Parent/Carer

I write to update you on the current situation of your son/daughter's progress in GCSE History. Students have, this week, concluded their controlled assessment. This constitutes 25% of the final GCSE grade. Henceforth, History lessons will now be devoted to revision. Please find below an outline of the content which will be revisited each week. It is vital that students are prepared for these revision lessons and so I strongly recommend that their own personal revision mirrors this schedule.

Year 11 Revision: The Route to the Exams

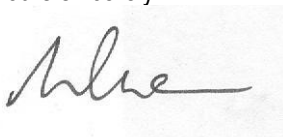
W/C	Topics covered	Topics covered	Topics covered
15 th March (B)		WW1 Home Front (Paper 2 Exam Feedback)	
22 nd March (A)	Liberal Reforms	WW1 Home Front	Votes for Women
Easter Holidays			
17 th April (B)	Origins of the Cold War	Origins of the Cold War	
24 th April (A)	Vietnam	Cuba	Depth Study - 1920s
1 st May (B)	Depth Study - 1930s	Depth Study - b questions	
8 th May (A)	Depth Study - c questions	Depth Study - sources	Paper 1 Recap/Looking through question paper
15 th May (B)	<i>individual working</i>	<i>individual working</i>	
22 nd May (A)	<i>individual working</i>	<i>individual working</i>	<i>individual working</i>
Half Term			

Finally, please can I draw your attention to the host of revision resources on the History department webpage on the Longsands website: http://www.longsands.cambs.sch.uk/staff_departments/department_page.asp?ID=3030 There is also a wealth of revision material which students already have access to in their own personal History folders and revision guides.

The History department looks forward to working with your son/daughter in the run up to the exams and providing him/her with all the support possible. Any support you can offer in ensuring your son/daughter has designated GCSE History revision time at home and checking revision work has been completed would also be much appreciated.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me at the Academy.

Yours sincerely



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