

Year 11 History | Term 5

Key Question: How can I revise for my GCSE exams?

Topic Overview:

In this unit, students will explore how to revise for their GCSE exams. This will comprise the completion of GCSE revision packs for Early Elizabethan England (1558-1588), whilst intervention will be focused on Medicine Through Time (1250-1500), Weimar and Nazi Germany and the Cold War (1941-1991). The Cold War will be addressed in intervention.

	Lesson Exploration	Knowledge & Skills Exploration	NC Link	Key Words
Week 1: Lesson 1	How did Elizabeth cope with early threats to her throne?	Students will explore guided revision activities. They will revise content and skills, completing exam style questions on which they will receive feedback.	KN4: challenges for Britain, Europe and the wider world 1901 to the present day	Marxism Capitalism Tehran Yalta
Week 1: Lesson 2	Why did relations with Spain sour?	Students will explore guided revision activities. They will revise content and skills, completing exam style questions on which they will receive feedback.		Potsdam Stalin Truman Khrushchev JFK Bay of Pigs
Week 2: Lesson 1	Why did exploration and pastimes have a huge impact on Early Elizabethan England?	Students will explore guided revision activities. They will revise content and skills, completing exam style questions on which they will receive feedback.		
Week 2: Lesson 2	Why did the Middle ages and Renaissance have such a huge impact on medicine?	Students will explore guided revision activities. They will revise content and skills, completing exam style questions on which they will receive feedback.		



Week 3: Lesson 1	Why did pax Britannica and the modern age have such a huge impact on medicine?	Students will explore guided revision activities. They will revise content and skills, completing exam style questions on which they will receive feedback.	
Week 3: Lesson 2	How did WW1 revolutionise surgery?	Students will explore guided revision activities. They will revise content and skills, completing exam style questions on which they will receive feedback.	
Week 4: Lesson 1	Why did the abdication of the Kaiser have a huge impact on German history?	Students will explore guided revision activities. They will revise content and skills, completing exam style questions on which they will receive feedback.	
Week 4: Lesson 2	How did Hitler change Germany?	Students will explore guided revision activities. They will revise content and skills, completing exam style questions on which they will receive feedback.	
Week 5: Lesson 1	What exam technique do I need to know for paper 1?	Students will explore guided revision activities. They will revise content and skills, completing exam style questions on which they will receive feedback.	
Week 5: Lesson 2	First Exam	Students will complete	
Week 6: Lesson 1	Other exams, curriculum time no longer applies.		
Week 6: Lesson 2	Other exams, curriculum time no longer applies.		



Literacy Links	Numeracy Links
Students will have to read sources and write answers in paragraphs, thereby enhancing their literacy.	Students will have to put events into chronological order, calculate periods and lifespans as well as utilise roman numerals.