Subject: History

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Structure of the exam:

- 1 exam
- 55 minutes
- 49 marks in total

Topics to be covered in the exam:

The British Empire

- Why did Britain want an empire?
- How did the British Empire develop?
- What was the impact of the British Empire in India?
- Should Britain be proud of its empire?

WW1

- Causes of WW1 – MAIN causes and assassination
- Trench warfare
- Key battles – including the Battle of the Somme

Rise of dictators

- Treaty of Versailles
- Democracy and dictatorship
- Rise of Hitler
- Rise of Stalin
- Causes of WW2

WW2

- Blitzkrieg
- Dunkirk evacuation
- Battle of Britain
- D-Day
- End of the war and dropping of the atomic bomb

The Holocaust

- The History of antisemitism and causes of the Holocaust
- Increasing persecution in Nazi Germany
- Kristallnacht
- Jewish ghettos
- Resistance and opposition
- The Final Solution

Types of question in the exam paper:

- 5 Multiple choice questions (5 marks)
- 5 Short answer questions (5 marks)
- 1 Chronology question (5 marks)
- 6 Source and interpretation questions (14 marks)
- 1 Extended writing question (20 marks)

Essential subject revision:

Type of revision	Resources needed	Time required
Key facts sheet	A3 key facts sheet (1x A4 side for each topic) This will be set as homework w/b 01/06	60 minutes

Additional subject revision:

Type of revision	Resources needed	Time required
Recapping content Recapping content using BBC bitesize.	The British Empire: The British Empire - KS3 History - BBC Bitesize WW1: World War One - KS3 History - BBC Bitesize WW2 and the Holocaust: World War Two and the Holocaust - KS3 History - BBC Bitesize	30 minutes
Self-quizzing	Mind maps, flash cards	30 minutes