



A Level History

Key Components

Examination Units:

1C – The Tudors – 40%

2Q – The American Dream – 40%

NEA - 20%

Key Dates

NEA Deadlines:

1st Draft – 2nd December 2022

2nd Draft – 10th February 2023

3rd and Last Draft – 17th March 2023

Trial Exams: 23rd January-3rd February 2023

Students will sit the two papers – both 2 hours 30 minutes.

Exam Dates:

1C – 24th May (AM)

2Q – 9th June (PM)

Support Available

- Revision sessions – Tuesday (Tudors) and Thursday (USA) after school SF09 – 3.15-4.00
- Take note of the feedback given to you for essays in lessons, at this stage you need to really focus on the requirements of the exam board in your essay techniques.
- Use the revision materials provided to support with revision.
- Use the model answers and structures provided to help you answer questions.
- Access past papers and mark schemes from the AQA website to understand what the examiner is looking for.
- Use the feedback from your trial exams to identify skills or knowledge deficit.
- Use topic checklists provided to direct your revision.
- Make sure you are completing your pre-reading and revising for weekly knowledge quizzes.
- Follow exam timetable provided.
- Use reading lists provided to expand your understanding (those aiming for A* in particular).
- Ask for help and support when you need it.



Suggested Revision Timetable

Week Commencing	The Tudors	The USA
9 th January	Henry VII Consolidation of Power	Truman Post-1945
16 th January	Henry VII Government	Truman Cold War and Containment
23 rd January	Henry VII Foreign Policy	Truman Economy and Division
30 th January	Henry VII Society, Economy and Religion	Truman Civil Rights
6 th February	Henry VIII Character and Aims and Government (Wolsey)	Eisenhower Presidency
13 th February	Henry VIII Foreign Policy	Eisenhower Economy
20 th February	Henry VIII Break with Rome and Reformation (Wolsey out and Cromwell in)	Eisenhower Cold War
27 th February	Henry VIII Changes to Government (Cromwell)	Eisenhower Civil Rights
6 th March	Henry VIII Rebellion and Challenges	JFK 1960 Election
13 th March	Henry VIII Society and Economy	JFK Foreign Challenges – Escalation of Cold War
20 th March	Edward Somerset and Northumberland	JFK Civil Rights
27 th March	Edward Rebellions	JFK USA by 1963
3 rd April	Edward Religious and Economic Reforms	Johnson Great Society and Kennedy Legacy
10 th April	Mary Government	Johnson Vietnam and Allies
17 th April	Mary Religion and Economy	Johnson Civil Rights
24 th April	Elizabeth Religion	Johnson Social Division
1 st May	Elizabeth Government	Nixon Election victory and Conservative policies
8 th May	Elizabeth Foreign Policy	Nixon Foreign Policy
15 th May	Elizabeth Society and Economy	Nixon Watergate
22 nd May	Exam Week!	Ford/Carter Presidency after Watergate
29 th May		Ford/Carter Foreign
5 th June		Exam Week!