

GCSE History (Eduqas)

✓ **For 2021 only the GCSE has three units, all of which are examined at the end of year 11:**

- Germany in Transition, 1919 – 1939
- Crime and Punishment, 500 – present day
- Development of the USA, 1929 – 2000

✓ **Support with independent revision**

Free of charge revision guides written by the History team, focusing on core information and exam question technique. This will be given to students in lessons across the Spring term. History Department website: www.southamcollegehistory.com

In the run up to PPEs and the summer exams we will publish daily revision resources and activities so there is something new to use on a regular basis (advertised on the Southam College Facebook and Twitter pages).

History Department YouTube channel: search for Southam College History Department for videos that explain the exam papers and tips on how to complete each exam question.

✓ **History department events (*subject to regulations at the time of event*)**

Walking Talking Mock: an opportunity for a guided exam experience in the Spring term. This really helps boost student understanding of the paper and the timings needed.

Pre-Exam Saturdays: the Saturday before each exam we hold intensive revision sessions focused on the structure of the exam / individual questions.

Revision boosters: key content advertised in advance to help students plan priorities and balance their time across subjects. Sessions will be a mix of recorded and live events using Microsoft Teams, plus small group classroom events.

✓ **Other resources**

Progress overview sheets: at the front of student exercise books, they give an overview of topics covered in that unit. These can be used to audit knowledge and create priority lists for revision.

Individual Exam Breakdown sheets: after the November and Spring PPEs all students will receive a colour coded breakdown of their results, compared to their target grade. These can support students to identify key areas for development in both exam content and exam skills.

