

The History Department

Edexcel GCSE History A



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Year 11

Unit 3 War and the Transformation of British Society 1903-28

The thrilling journey of ordinary men and women and their defense and expansion of political rights through protest and conflict.

The events of this era shaped the modern Britain we live in today

1hr 15 min exam in Y11

Unit 4 USA 1914-41

The exciting story of how the USA became the most powerful nation on Earth. Follow the progress of the USA through the gangsters of the 1920's to the heartache of the Great Depression to the triumph of FDR and the New Deal.

Internally assessed coursework

Welcome to Edexcel History

Unit 1

Why did war break out? International Rivalry 1900-14, The Peace Settlement: 1918-28

Why did war break out [again]? 1929-39

Following the most deadly conflict in human history the global nations met at the palace of Versailles and tried to create a lasting world peace. However, in less than 20 years the world was at war again. What happened? This module will look at the aims and mistakes made by various nations in keeping the peace and how the global economic meltdown on 1929 was exploited by ruthless dictators.

1hr 15 min exam

Unit 2: Germany 1918-39 1hr 15 min exam

The aftermath of WW1 left Germany a defeated and confused nation beset with political, economic and social problems. This module looks at the attempts by German leaders to come to terms with defeat and rebuild Germany. It also looks in depth at how these sentiments were exploited by Hitler and the Nazis turning the most advanced nation in Europe into a brutal genocidal dictatorship.

