

History

Why study this at A Level?

Modern History is a stimulating and academic A Level that is highly regarded by universities and employers alike.

It combines elements of Psychology, Sociology, Religious Studies, Politics and Economics in a single qualification recognised as falling in the top 8 subjects yielding post graduate employment (ahead of Maths and Physics and behind a handful of specialist degrees).

Course Content and Assessment

You will study the Making of Modern Britain, 1951 to 2007. This is a study in depth of the key political, economic, social and international changes which helped to mould Britain in the second half of the 20th century.

In parallel you will study the quest for political stability in Germany, 1871–1991.

This is a study in breadth of change and continuity from the Kaiserreich, to the Nazi Third Reich to the Federal Republic.

Skills obtained

Modern History's emphasis on research, argument, analysis and the evaluation of evidence and opinion provides a training that enables you to hear, be heard and persuade.

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There are few more important attributes than these in the world today - both in professional and personal life.

This is why the subject is held in such high esteem.

Our students have gone on to pursue a number of related university courses including Politics, Law, Economics, Psychology and Sociology

Assessment

2 public examinations and individual coursework assignment.