



DRAYTON MANOR HIGH SCHOOL

YEAR 10 & 11 COURSES

Subject History

Course Level GCSE

Examining Body Edexcel

What will I be studying?

Paper 1

- Crime and punishment in Britain, c1000–present and Whitechapel,
- c1870–c1900: crime, policing and the inner city

Paper 2

- Anglo-Saxon and Norman England, c1060–88
- Superpower relations and the Cold War, 1941–91

Paper 3

- Weimar and Nazi Germany, 1918–39

What skills will I develop?

- Understanding key concepts in history such as continuity and change
- Interpreting history through analysis and evaluation
- Carrying out historical enquiries using a range of sources
- Organisation skills to enable clear communication and understanding

How will the course be structured?

Year 10

- Paper 1 – Crime and Punishment
- Paper 2 – Anglo-Saxon and Norman England
- Paper 2 – Superpower Relations and the Cold War

Year 11

- Paper 3 – Weimar and Nazi Germany
- Revision and examination practice

How will I be assessed?

Paper 1

Written examination, 1 hour and 15 minutes
30% of total mark

Paper 2

Written examination, 1 hour and 45 minutes
40% of total mark

Paper 3

Written examination, 1 hour and 15 minutes
30% of total mark

If you have any further questions about taking this course, who should you speak to?

1. Your History Teacher
2. Head of Humanities – Mr Endacott