



HISTORY NEWSLETTER



November 2015

Dear Parent,

Every half term the History department will be issuing a newsletter to keep you and your child informed about what is going on in the History department and how you can support your child with their GCSE studies.

What is my child studying this term?

Year 11 are currently preparing for their Controlled Assessment (CA). The CA is worth 25% of their final GCSE grade so it is really important that they work hard to achieve the best possible mark.

GCSE History B (Modern World) pupils are studying US Civil Rights.

GCSE History A (SHP) pupils are studying the Welsh castles of Edward I. These pupils will be visiting Conwy Castle in November.

Mock Exams!

Year 11 mock exams take place on Tuesday 1st December, 1pm. Pupils should revise the following topics:

History B (Modern World)	History A (SHP) (Crime & Punishment)
Germany, 1918-1939 <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Weimar Germany▪ Hitler's rise to power▪ Life in Nazi Germany The Vietnam War	Aspects of Crime & Punishment: <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ The Middle Ages, c.1100-1500.▪ Crime & Punishment in Industrial Britain, 1750-1900.





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How can I support my child?

The History department is running EPS sessions every Thursday from 3-4pm. There are Controlled Assessment catch-up sessions and revision sessions.

Date	Revision	Controlled Assessment Catch-up
26/11	Middle Ages C&P (VS) P02 Causes - Cold War (JP) P06	Mrs Dunne P16
3/12	Prisons (SD) P16	Mrs Serna P02
10/12	Cuban Missile Crisis (PDS) P07	Mrs Denton P02
17/12	C19th Policing (SD) P16	Mr Swain P07



History Department Website Launched!

We have just re-launched our History website aimed at GCSE and A Level History Students. It is packed full of revision tips, revision materials including videos and audio clips.



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Check it out here: penketh-history.wikispaces.com