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A Level History

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Why History?

- You learn about other peoples, countries and cultures.
- You will find it easier to understand current affairs.
- You will develop valuable skills.
- You will develop a questioning nature.

Why History here?

- We are experienced and passionate history teachers.
- We have a record of helping our students achieve the top grades.
- We are a growing and popular department (2 full groups in Y12)
- Students achieve outstanding results in History with our 4 year average for A*-B at 63%.

Why do employers and universities *love* history students?

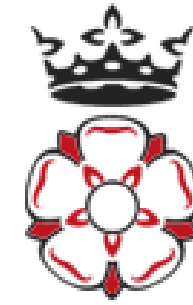
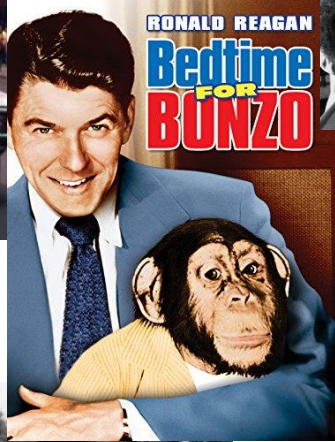
- They can write succinctly and analytically
- They can make judgements based on a range of evidence
- They can make a convincing argument
- They are well informed about the world around them
- They can debate their ideas eloquently
- History students go on to a wide range of professions and careers



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What do we study?

A balanced diet of History-
1485 – 1994!

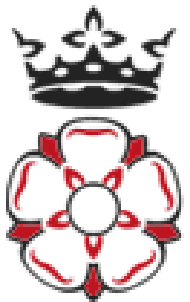


Paper 1, Option 1F: In search of the American Dream: the USA, c1917–96

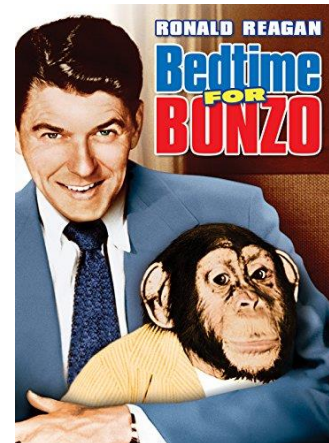
- 1 The changing political environment, 1917–80
- 2 The quest for civil rights, 1917–80
- 3 Society and culture in change, 1917–80
- 4 The changing quality of life, 1917–80.



Historical interpretations: What impact did the Reagan presidency (1981–89) have on the USA in the years 1981–96?



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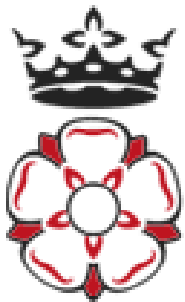
Paper 2, Option 2F.2: South Africa, 1948–94: from apartheid state to 'rainbow nation'

1 The response to apartheid, c1948–59

2 Radicalisation of resistance and the consolidation of National Party power, 1960–68

3 Redefining resistance and challenges to National Party power, 1968–83

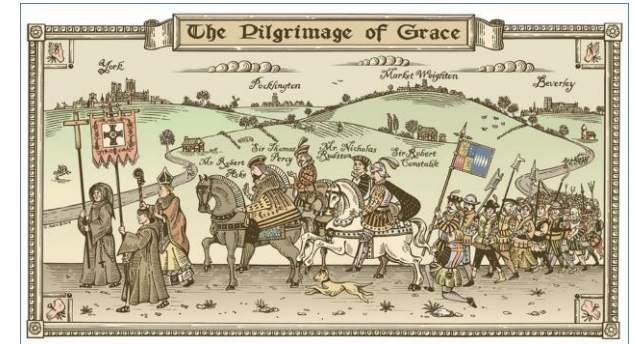
4 The end of apartheid and the creation of the 'rainbow nation', 1984–94



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Paper 3, Option 31: Rebellion and disorder under the Tudors, 1485–1603

- Aspects in breadth: controlling a fractious nation – changes in Tudor government, 1485–1603
- Aspects in depth: challenges to authority
 - 1 Challenging the succession, 1485–1499
 - 2 Challenging religious changes, 1533–37
 - 3 Agrarian discontent: Kett's rebellion 1549
 - 4 Queen takes Queen? The revolt of the northern earls, 1569–70
 - 5 Troublesome Ireland: Tyrone's rebellion, 1594–1603



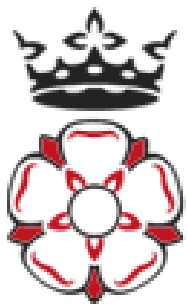
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Course work

3-4,500 word piece of course work to be set on one of the three taught units.

Why will this be useful to you?

- This is an academic piece of work, when you arrive at university you will already be able to write the kind of work they will expect.
- It will improve your reading and writing skills

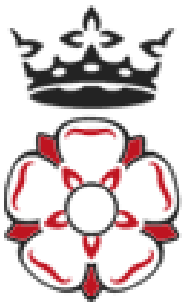


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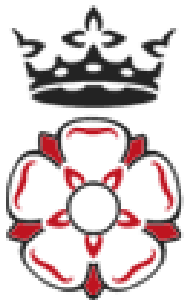
Who should choose History?

- You must have studied History at GCSE.
- You must have achieved a 5 or above in English and in History.
- Are you interested in the past?
- Are you thinking about a facilitating subject that will open doors?



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Any questions?



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