



6TH FORM SUMMER BRIDGING WORK

Welcome to History

Your course

You will be studying Pearson Edexcel Level 3 Advanced GCE in History (9HI0)

In Year 12 you will study route H: Democracies in change: Britain and the USA in the twentieth century

- Paper 1, Option 1H: Britain transformed, 1918–97
- Paper 2, Option 2H.1: The USA, c1920–55: boom, bust and recovery

In Year 13 you will study

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

Details of the specification and course assessment can be found here: [Edexcel AS and A level History 2015 | Pearson qualifications](#)

We encourage you to become familiar with the course specification as soon as you start your course in September.

Summer bridging work

Read through carefully to make sure you understand what you are required to hand in. **You will need to hand in this work during your first lesson in September.**

TASK 1: Britain transformed, 1918–97 bridging work

Create an A4 mind map for each of the following:

- The economic impact of WW1 for Britain
- The social impact of WW1 for Britain
- The political impact of WW1 for Britain

TASK 2: Britain transformed, 1918–97 bridging work

Research the following Prime Ministers and produce a one-sided, detailed handout for each one of them including a picture, their political party, date as PM, their key political ideas and important events that happened during their premiership.

- Andrew Bonar Law
- James Ramsay MacDonald
- Stanley Baldwin
- Neville Chamberlain
- Clement Attlee
- Winston Churchill
- Anthony Eden

- Harold Macmillan
- Alec Douglas Home
- Edward Heath
- Harold Wilson
- James Callaghan
- Margaret Thatcher

TASK 3: The USA, c1920–55: boom, bust and recovery bridging work

Research the following presidents and produce a one-sided, detailed handout for each one of them including a picture, their political party, date as president, their key political ideas and important events that happened during their presidency (just the name of the event there is no need to add any detail e.g. Vietnam war, WW2 etc)

- Woodrow Wilson
- Warren G Harding
- Calvin Coolidge
- Herbert Hoover
- FD Roosevelt
- Harry Truman
- Dwight Eisenhower

TASK 4: The USA, c1920–55: boom, bust and recovery bridging work

We would like you watch one of the following films and write a summary paragraph making links to the issues and topics we discussed on Induction Day for discussion in our first lesson:

- The Grapes of Wrath
- To Kill a Mockingbird
- The Untouchables



Democracies in change: Britain and the USA in the twentieth century

NB This is the textbook we will be using in September for both Year 12 modules. If you are planning on applying to the bursary due to financial difficulties, then the school will be purchasing these on your behalf at the beginning of the academic year.