

## Year 9 History End of KS3 Exam

### Skills being tested

The Year 9 assessments test students' ability to both recall their knowledge of the topics they have studied but also to develop their use of sources and extended writing skills.

The following Assessment Objectives will be assessed:

**AO1: Knowledge & Understanding**

**AO2: Causes & Consequences**

**AO3: Historical Enquiry**

### The structure of the assessment

There are 4 sections to the assessment, and students should complete all of them. The total is out of 40 marks.

#### Section 1 - Global Conflict - 12 marks

- Skills assessed will be AO1 & AO3.
- There will be 2 sources on this topic and you will be expected to use the source detail and your own knowledge to answer the two questions.
- In question 1 you will need to use the source and your own knowledge to explain why the source supports a particular point of view. You will be expected to write one paragraph.
- In question 2 you need to explain why the source is useful to historians studying this topic. You will do this by discussing the Content and Provenance of the source backed up by your own knowledge. You will be expected to write two paragraphs.

#### Section 2 - Gender Conflict - 8 marks

- Skills assessed will be AO2
- In question 3 you will explain two reasons why a particular factor led to change using your own knowledge. You will be expected to write two paragraphs.

### Section 3 - Ideological Conflict - 8 marks

- Skills assessed will be AO2
- In question 4 you are being asked to identify two issues connected to the topic. Each of these issues then needs some explanation using your own knowledge. You will be expected to write one paragraph.
- In Question 5 you are being asked to identify and explain one way in which one event led to another. You will be expected to write one paragraph.

### Section 4 - Racial Conflict - 12 marks

- Skills assessed will be AO1 & AO2.
- In question 6 you are being asked to identify one issue connected to the topic. This issue then needs some explanation using your own knowledge. You will be expected to write one paragraph.
- Question 7 is the '*bullet point*' question. In this question you are given two reasons why an event happened. You need to explain how each of these reasons led to that event and then write a conclusion to decide which one you think is the most important. You will be expected to write three paragraphs.

### What to revise

**Global Conflict** - Causes of the First World War and propaganda and recruitment.

**Gender Conflict** - Reasons why women got the vote including Suffragettes, Suffragists and the First World War.

**Ideological Conflict** - Causes of the Cold War and the impact of the Cuban Missile Crisis

**Racial Conflict** - 1920's Germany, Rise of the Nazis and The Holocaust.

All of the resources that you need are in your Google Classroom account for your History class. Here you can find all of the presentations and resources from every lesson you have had this year.