

GCSE History.

Exam Board:	AQA GCSE History 8145
Exam Information:	<p>Paper 1: Understanding the modern world:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Date: 4th June 2018 • Time: 09.00 • Length: 1 hr 45 mins <p>Paper 2 Shaping the nation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Date: 8th June 2018 • Time: 13:00 • Length: 1 hr 45 min
Course Overview:	<p>Paper 1: Understanding the modern world:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Section A Period study = <u>Option 1B Germany, 1890–1945: Democracy and dictatorship.</u> • Section B Wider world depth study = <u>Conflict and tension, 1894–1918.</u> <p>Paper 2 Shaping the nation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Section A Thematic study = <u>Option 2A Britain: Health and the people: c1000 to the present day.</u> • Section B British depth studies including the <i>historic environment</i> = <u>Medieval England - the reign of Edward I, 1272–1307</u> <p>The British depth study includes an historic environment. The study of the historic environment will focus on a particular site in its historical context and should examine the relationship between a specific place and associated historical events and developments. This year it is based on Stoksey castle in Shropshire.</p>
Useful Websites And Revision Resources:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • http://www.historylearningsite.co.uk (all options covered) • http://www.sciencemuseum.org.uk (specifically for Health and the people). • https://www.youtube.com/user/TheBennewmark/playlists (useful videos for health and the people and part of Germany democracy to dictatorship from 1918-1945. • https://www.youtube.com/user/mrallsop (contains a range of videos that touch on most of the GCSE). • http://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/history/gcse/history-8145 (specification of content taught for each paper available on this site).
How Parents Can Help:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Encourage reading about the topics on the specification. • Encourage use of the video clips. • Check 'Show My Homework' and ensure they are completing the tasks teachers have set • Make sure that students have a quiet place to revise and that they have developed a revision timetable. • Encourage students to attend after school sessions. • Read up on Stoksey castle in Shropshire e.g. function of it/ the designer, originator and occupants/ how the design reflects the culture, values, fashions of the people at the time.