

## GCSE History bulletin, April 2018

## **Digital Resources**

A wide range of free digital resources are available on the **Eduqas resources website**.

#### Resources include:

- Germany in Transition, 1919-1939
- The USA: A Nation of Contrasts, 1910-1929
- The Development of Germany, 1919-1991

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### **Key Dates For This Term**

- 4 June AM Component 1 papers
- 8 June PM Component 2 papers

Details of all key dates for the academic year are on the relevant subject pages of the Eduqas website.

# Administration of the GCSE History examinations from Summer 2018 onwards

GCSE History is made up of two components. Each component has two separate papers which will be sat on the same day in the same examination period am/pm.

• 4th June 2018 (am)

Component 1 British Study in Depth – 1 hour Component 1 Non-British Study in Depth – 1hour

Both of the above papers will be sat in the same examination period. The British Study in Depth paper is to be given out to the candidates first. Once the 1 hour time period has elapsed for this paper, collect in the paper.



Candidates must remain under examination conditions whilst the Non-British Study in Depth paper is given out. Once the 1 hour time period has elapsed for this paper, collect in the paper. Keep both sets of papers separate as they will be sent to different examiners for marking. There should not be a period of more than 20 minutes between candidates finishing the first paper and starting the second paper.

• 8th June 2018 (pm)

GCSE History Component 2 – Period Study – 45 minutes GCSE History Component 2 – Thematic Study – 1 hour 15 minutes

Both of the above papers will be sat in the same examination period. The Period Study paper is to be given out to the candidates first. Once the 45 minutes time period has elapsed for this paper, collect in the paper.

Candidates must remain under examination conditions whilst the Thematic Study paper is given out. Once the 1hour 15 minutes time period has elapsed for this paper, collect in the paper. Keep both sets of papers separate as they will be sent to different examiners for marking. There should not be a period of more than 20 minutes between candidates finishing the first paper and starting the second paper.

#### **Next Bulletin**

The next issue will be sent out in September. In the meantime, if you have any questions, please get in touch.

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