

# Course Overview: Higher History

#### **Course Content**

#### European & the World

- Germany 1815-1939
- An evaluation of the reasons why the Nazis achieved power in 1933
- An evaluation of the reasons why the Nazis were able to stay in power, 1933–39
- Appeasement and the road to war, to 1939
- An evaluation of the reasons for the British policy of appeasement, 1936–38
- An assessment of the success of British foreign policy in containing Fascist aggression, 1935 to March 1938

### **British History**

- Making of Modern Britain 1851- 1951
- An evaluation of the reasons why some women were given the vote in 1918
- An evaluation of the reasons why the Liberals introduced social welfare reforms, 1906–14
- An assessment of the effectiveness of the Liberal social welfare reforms
- An assessment of the effectiveness of the Labour reforms, 1945–51

### **Course Content Continued**

- Scottish History
  - The impact of the Great War, 1914–1928
  - Scots on the Western Front
  - Domestic impact of war: society and culture
  - Domestic impact of war: industry and economy
  - Domestic impact of war: politics

#### **Course Assessment**

#### ONGOING CLASS ASSESSMENT

- Past Paper Practice
- Homework activities
- Class assessments
- Prelim

#### FINAL SQA ASSESSMENT

- Assignment 27% of grade [30 marks]
- Exam Paper 73% of grade [160marks] (2 Papers)

## **Course Timeline**

	June	August	September	October	November	December
Topic	Votes for Women	Rise of the Nazi's	Great War	Great War	Appeasement	Prelim
Assessment		Timed essay	Timed essay	Sources based Questions	Timed essay	

	January	February	March	April	May
Topic	Nazi's in Power	Assignment And Liberal Reforms	Liberals and Labour	Revision and second prelim	Higher exam
Assessment	Timed Essay		Timed essays		