



The A Level History curriculum is designed to build upon the knowledge and skills developed at Key Stage 3 and 4. Students will cover a range of English and European history to develop and extend their understanding of the past. We aim to expose all learners to a wide range of reading material, including both sources and the work of Historians to **empower** them with knowledge and understanding which will enable them to be active citizens in the wider world. The topics cover around 500 years of history, which allows students to experience a wide spectrum of historical periods. Our goal is to prepare students for further study at degree level. It is our determined aim that students of History at St Margaret’s will learn those valuable lessons from the past - they will be bold, erudite and active citizens who will make wise and empathetic decisions throughout their lives.

	Term 1a	Term 1b	Term 2a	Term 2b	Term 3a	Term 3b
Year 12	<p><u>ME) British Period Studies: England 1485–1547</u></p> <p>The government of Henry VII and threats to his rule.</p> <p><u>PK) Early developments in German Nationalism 1789-1848</u></p> <p>The impact of the French Revolution through to the 1848 Revolution</p>	<p><u>ME) British Period Studies: England 1485–1547</u></p> <p>Henry VII’s foreign policy.</p> <p><u>PK)The subversion of German Nationalism 1849-1888</u></p> <p>The restoration of conservative power to the ascension of Kaiser Wilhelm II</p>	<p><u>ME) British Period Studies: England 1485–1547</u></p> <p>Henry VIII and Wolsey.</p> <p><u>PK) Militaristic developments in German Nationalism 1889-1919</u></p> <p>German nationalism and imperialism.</p>	<p><u>ME) British Period Studies: England 1485–1547</u></p> <p>The reign of Henry VIII after 1529.</p> <p><u>PK) German Nationalism 1789-1919</u></p> <p>Period overview- How did nationalism change over time?</p>	<p><u>ME) Enquiry Topic: Mid Tudor Crises 1547–1558</u></p> <p>The stability of the monarchy.</p> <p><u>PK) German Nationalism 1789-1919</u></p> <p>Exam skills and Revision</p>	<p><u>ME) Enquiry Topic: Mid Tudor Crises 1547–1558</u></p> <p>Religious changes.</p> <p><u>PK) German Nationalism 1789-1919</u></p> <p>Examination preparation and feedback.</p>
Year 13	<p><u>ME) Enquiry Topic: Mid Tudor Crises 1547–1558</u></p> <p>Rebellion and unrest.</p> <p><u>PK) Germany 1919-63</u></p> <p>The Weimar Republic 1919-33</p>	<p><u>ME) Y100</u></p> <p>Coursework Preparation.</p> <p><u>PK) Germany 1919-63</u></p> <p>The Nazi dictatorship,(1933-39)</p>	<p><u>ME) Y100</u></p> <p>Coursework Writing.</p> <p>Coursework Submission.</p> <p><u>PK) Germany 1919-63</u></p> <p>The Second World War, and the division of Germany (1939-49)</p>	<p><u>ME) Revision:</u></p> <p>British Period Studies: England 1485–1547</p> <p>Enquiry Topic: Mid Tudor Crises 1547–1558</p> <p><u>PK) Germany 1919-63</u></p> <p>The Federal and Democratic Republics (1949-63)</p>	<p><u>ME) Revision:</u></p> <p>British Period Studies: England 1485–1547</p> <p>Enquiry Topic: Mid Tudor Crises 1547–1558</p> <p><u>PK) Revision</u></p> <p>The challenge of German Nationalism (1789-1919)</p>	<p><u>Examinations</u></p>