

TO: Year 11 IGCSE History students

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IGCSE HISTORY EXAM NOTES:

- Write your answers on the lined paper in blue or black pen only. Do not use 'white-out' – instead cross out mistakes with a single line. Leave at least 2 cm on each side for the examiners marking
- Put your name at the top of each page and don't forget to put the question number before each answer. At the end of the exam make sure to put your papers in order!
- Ask for spare paper for planning and notes. Put notes at the back of the exam and clearly marked as 'notes only'. No papers are to leave the exam room.
- Your first exam is a Paper 1 (2 hours) style. In Section A there will be six 19C questions (maybe including Japan and/or Cases of the Great War) and six 20C questions (possibly inc. Treaties, LON, Collapse of Peace and/or The Cold War). You must answer any TWO questions from Section A. In Section B there are two questions on Modern China and you must answer ONE question from this section. Each question has THREE parts in the regular format (FAD, MC, BSA). Do not answer more than two questions in Section A, or more than one question in Section B.
- Your second exam is a Paper 2 (2 hours) – Source questions (Collapse of Soviet Control over Eastern Europe). You must answer ALL questions.
- Your last exam is a Paper 4 (1 hour) on Modern China, from reasons for the Communist victory up to Tiananmen Square.
- You must review ALL topics we have studied since Modern Japan. Study less at your own peril! Studying 19C China is optional.
- Remember to write in the format we have been reviewing – don't forget to check your Exam Guides that I have provided. If you've lost them you can get it replaced via a small donation to the Save the Rainforest Fund. ☺
- Your syllabus is your friend. Go over the areas covered in each topic and make sure to review areas you are unsure about. See me with any questions at least 48 hours before the exam.



Mrs. Ginder liked to subtly call attention to those students who performed poorly on her tests.

Don't be late to the exam room!

Good luck! Mr. K.