YEAR **13** CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

SUBJECT: **HISTORY & POLITICS**

	Topics being taught	What you will be assessed on	How you can support at home
Autumn Term	**Core Ideologies: Conservatism and Socialism** - To what extent do conservatives agree? - To what extent do Socialists agree?	24-mark question on conservatism and socialism	**Watch** - BBC: Thatcher, A Very British Revolution **Watch** - BBC: Blair and Brown: The New labour Revolution
	OCTOBER 1/2 TERM **Core and Non-Core Ideologies: Liberalism and Feminism** - To what extent do liberals agree? - To what extent do feminists agree?	24-mark question on conservatism and socialism	**Listen** - BBC Sounds: 'In Our Time' on J.S. Mill; 'Keynes versus Hayek'
Spring Term	CHRISTMAS **US Politics** -How democratic is the USA? -- Is the US Supreme Court political?	12-mark and 30-mark questions	**Watch:** - BBC iPlayer - 'Four Hours at the Capitol' **Watch** - Netflix: 'Knock Down the House'
	FEBRUARY 1/2 TERM **US Politics** -How does the US Constitution work in practice? -- How does Congress work?	12-mark and 30-mark questions	**Listen:** - BBC Sounds: 'Americast' **Watch** - All 4: The West Wing
Summer Term	**US Politics & Revision** - Is the Supreme Court judicial or political? - How effectively are rights protected in the US?	External A-Level Exam	**Subscribe to Americast BBC Sounds** **Compare the UK and the US systems through Politics Review articles**
	MAY 1/2 TERM **US Politics & Revision** - What do different liberals believe? - How does liberalism influence politics today?		- **Watch** - Thatcher & Reagan: a very special relationship (BBC) - **Listen** - Presidential podcast - Washington Post

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