

Dawlish College Year 11 History
Edexcel GCSE History



Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
<p><u>EQ1: How did a Cold War begin after World War 2? [1945-47]</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Context: What was the Cold War? Why did the USA and USSR become enemies in 1945? How had US/Soviet relations broken down by 1947? How did the Truman Doctrine signal the beginning of a Cold War? <p><u>EQ2: How did the Cold War reach crisis point by 1959? [Crises 1947-62]</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> How did the world almost come to war in Berlin? Why did attempts at 'peaceful coexistence' fail in the 1950s? What does the Hungarian Uprising tell us about the Cold War in 1956? Why was the Berlin Wall built? How did the world respond to the Berlin Wall? Why did Kennedy regret the Bay of Pigs invasion? Revision: Cold War crises [Berlin, Hungary, Wall, Bay of Pigs] 	<p><u>EQ3: Back from the Brink: What did the USA and USSR learn from coming to the edge of annihilation?</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> What was the impact of the Cuban Missile Crisis? How did Prague Spring affect the Cold War in 1968? How and Why did tensions reduce in the 1970s? <p><u>EQ4: How had the Cold War 'Fizzled out' by 1991? [1979-91]</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> How did the invasion of Afghanistan signal the beginning of the end? Why do some historians think a second Cold War began in the 1980s? How did Gorbachev's new thinking affect the USA and USSR's relationship? Why was 1989 known as the Year of Miracles? How did the Cold War 'end' in 1991? 	<p><u>EQ1: How did the Civil Rights movement develop between 1954-62?</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Context: What did it mean to be Black after slavery? What does the Story of Emmet Till tell us about the Black experience in the South? How did an 11-year-old girl threaten the traditional American way of life? What impact did Brown vs Topeka have on Education? Why is Rosa Parks so well remembered? <p><u>EQ2: How effective were the peaceful protests of the early 1960s?</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> What can sources teach us about the Sit-ins? How did Black Americans protest for Freedom in the early 1960s? Why was 1963 a turning point year for Martin Luther King and the Civil Rights movement? Skill Lesson: What do Historians think about Martin Luther King? How had Civil Rights progressed by 1965? 	<p><u>EQ3: How and Why did Civil Rights turn violent after 1965?</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> How did the death of Malcolm X trigger a new wave of protesting? Why have historians argued about the Black Panthers? How was the Civil Rights movement affected by the race riots? How had Civil Rights progressed by 1975? <p><u>EQ4: How did America get dragged into the Vietnam War?</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Context: The Vietnam War How did tensions escalate between 1954-56? How did Kennedy try to avoid conflict in Vietnam? Why did Johnson finally agree to send in the Troops in 1964? <p><u>EQ5: Why was Vietnam such a disaster for the USA?</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> How did the USA try to win the Vietnam War? How did the Vietcong try to win the Vietnam War? Why was the Tet Offensive a turning point for the Vietnam War? What did Americans <i>really</i> think about the Vietnam War? 	<p><u>EQ6: How proud can Americans be about the end of the Vietnam War?</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> How did the election of Nixon symbolise change for Vietnam? How did Laos and Cambodia affect the Vietnam War? Why did America enter peace talks in 1973? How did the Vietnam War end in 1975? Revision: The end of the Vietnam War. 	<p>EXAMS</p>