

History GCSE



History – February 2022 UPDATE FOR YR11

GCSE History has been impacted by the COVID pandemic in the same way it has impacted all other subject areas. With this in mind the exam board have made certain concessions that students will be made aware of in full. The core of these concessions are outlined below.

The exam board requires students to have been taught and study three of the four topics required. Those three topics for Crestwood students are:

Paper 1, Section A, Option A – America, 1840-1895: Expansion and Consolidation.

Paper 1, Section B, Option C – Conflict and Tension between East and West, 1945-1972.

Paper 2, Section A, Option A – Health and the People: c1000-present day.

Marks for SPaG (spelling and grammar) will not be attached to question 4 of the Health and the People paper – this question will now be out of 16 marks and not 20. SPaG marks **will remain** attached to the question 4 of the compulsory Wider World Depth Study – the Conflict and Tension, Cold War topic.

Total marks will now be out of 124, not 168 – 44 marks for the Cold War topic and 40 each for America – Expansion and Consolidation and the Health and the People topic.

There will be three exams on each of the three topics, each an hour in length.

Any questions please contact me at kread@crestwood-s.dudley.sch.uk

Regards as always,

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