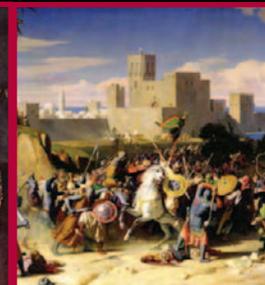


A guide to AS/A Level History support materials and services

We continue to provide a range of support materials and services to help you teach our AS/A Level History specifications.

Our latest support includes *Talking History* updates, exciting new image based resources from English Heritage and unique CPD events.

Here's a brief guide to the support materials and services that are available on our website at www.ocr.org.uk/history



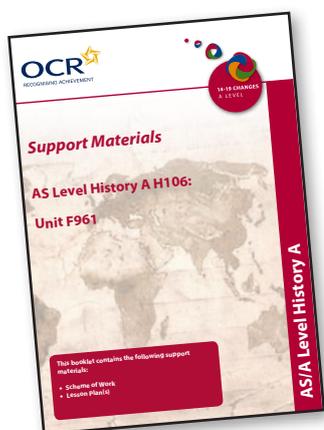
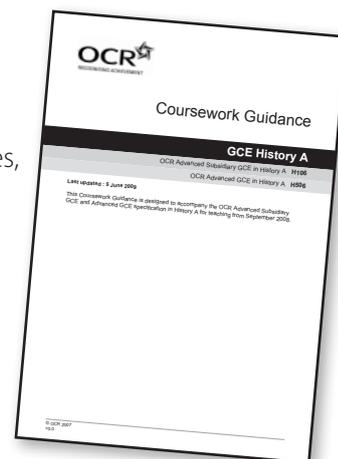
Support materials

Teacher guide

A helpful guide to accompany the specification, this includes guidance on the mark schemes, writing effective essays and assessing students' work.

Coursework guidance

This useful guide provides detailed information on how to manage coursework, including how to use the mark schemes, coursework administration/regulations, resources and frequently asked questions.

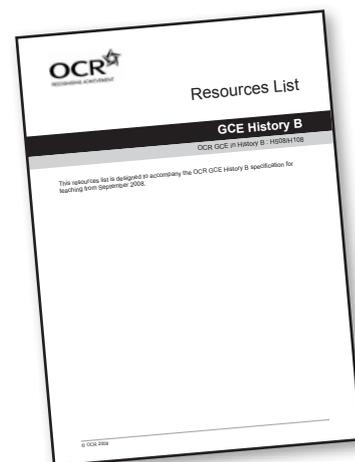


Sample schemes of work and lesson plans

With their practical examples, these useful booklets for each unit provide a starting point for you to enhance and produce your own tailored materials. They have suggestions for teacher hours, teaching and homework activities and possible resources.

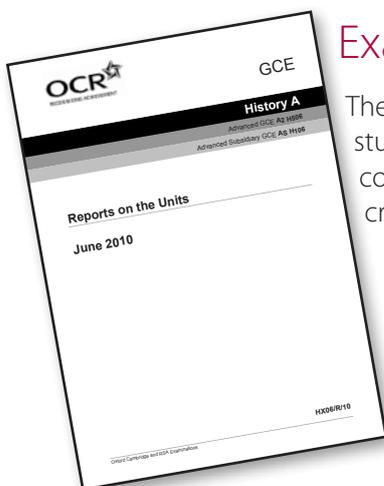
Resource list

This list has been designed to accompany teaching our AS/A Level History specifications.



Past papers

This free resource consists of a range of past papers from recent series, including the January 2010 series, and is ideal for use in the classroom.



Examiner's reports

These reports provide information on candidate performance to help you prepare your students for future examinations. The reports provide an understanding of the specification content, the operation of the scheme of assessment and the application of assessment criteria.

Talking History update

This History update provides you with useful and relevant information and helps to support the OCR History community. Download your copy of *Talking History* at www.ocr.org.uk/talkinghistory



Endorsed publisher resources from Heinemann

These exciting materials, all endorsed by OCR and tailored to our History qualifications, include print and digital resources supporting you and your students.

New online image based resources from the English Heritage Explorer National Monuments Record

These useful resources, mapped to our History suite of qualifications, provide selected images, supported by a teaching idea and associated worksheets, notes or whiteboard downloads.

www.ocr.org.uk/englishheritage

Support services

Coursework consultancy service

This email-based service is available for both A Level History A and B and is managed by our experienced consultants who can provide guidance on coursework at www.ocr.org.uk/consultancyservice



'Start a discussion' on the new OCR History community

Join the History community at www.social.ocr.org.uk where you can share knowledge, views and ideas with your colleagues.

Admin services

Interchange

OCR Interchange is a free, secure website for centres delivering our qualifications, enabling you to carry out day-to-day administrative functions online for speed and efficiency. For more information, visit www.ocr.org.uk

Email updates – sign up for e-alerts at www.ocr.org.uk/2011signup

Training

INSET – ‘Get started’ training

We would like to run the following courses before the end of July if there is sufficient interest:

OCR AS/A Level History A (H506): Get started - guidance for first delivery Course code **OHIL1**

OCR AS/A Level History B (H508): Get started - successful first delivery Course code **OHIL2**

Register your interest now at www.ocreventbooker.org.uk using the course code.

Our 2011-12 INSET programme will be announced in May 2011. Visit www.ocr.org.uk/training for more information.

CPD events – dates still available for this summer

A full range of new and inspirational CPD events have been designed to improve delivery of our AS/A Level History specifications. Our CPD events include guest speakers and hands-on workshops with subject specialists.

Visit www.ocr.org.uk/events to view additional details and book a place.

Find out more

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