

Students will sit one 45-minute exam in which they will answer the following types of questions:

- Section A is knowledge based. Students will be given multiple choice questions and closed questions. There will also be a chronology task.
- Section B is based on analysing historical sources and interpretations.
- Section C is extended writing. Students will need to:
 - Describe two characteristics of something;
 - Explain one reason for a historical event taking place
 - Give an argument as to whether they agree or disagree with a set statement.

Main topics to be covered in the exam:

- The Tudors (Autumn 1) (criticisms of the Catholic Church and Martin Luther, reasons for Henry VIII breaking with Rome, religious changes during the reigns of Edward VI, Mary I and Elizabeth I, challenges Elizabeth I faced during her reign, life in Elizabethan England and Elizabethan exploration)
- England: A World Turned Upside Down 1603-1707 (religious challenge faced by James I, causes of the English Civil War, events of the English Civil War, Witchcraft in 1600s, Charles I's execution, the Interregnum, Restoration of the English Monarchy)

Resources to help students revise and prepare

Knowledge Organiser (Pages 40-43)

Exercise book

BBC Bitesize