



WELCOME TO 6TH FORM HISTORY AT AHS!

We're really looking forward to tackling our NEW Pearson/Edexcel course, and our 3 big, beautiful stories:

Paper 1H:
Britain Transformed 1918-97

Paper 2H.2:
The USA 1955-1992: Conformity and Challenge

Paper 3 Option 33: The Witch Craze in Britain, Europe and North America, c1580–c1750

Here are some useful links to EDEXCEL materials, including the Specification. PTO for some advice on preliminary reading and research

1. Edexcel Spec:

[Edexcel AS and A level History 2015 | Pearson qualifications](#)

2. Really useful topic booklets for each unit:

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3. Really useful resource List:

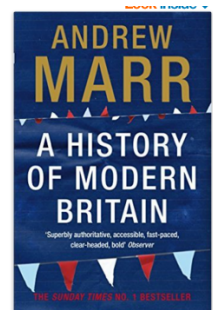
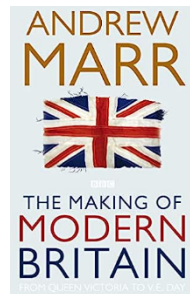
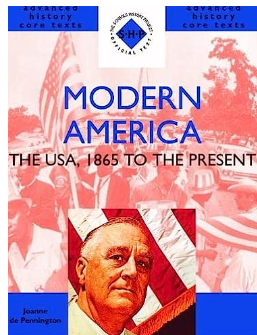
[Resources beyond Pearson](#)

If you have any questions or concerns over the summer please contact **Mr Annat** at iannat@ahs.bucks.sch.uk

The USA 1955-1992: Conformity and Challenge

Here are some ideas for things you might want to do to get your head around 37 years of US History:

1. Watch CrashCourse on YouTube. John Green (yes, that JG) presents fast and furious analysis of key moments in America's past: [US History - YouTube](#)
2. Build a big chart of all the US Presidents and Presidencies – look for party, VP, key events, scandals and First Ladies. Try this link: [Presidents | The White House](#) or this series <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=O-NFky03b7g> or [US Presidents | Miller Center](#)
3. Read a general overview of US History. Try these – but just browse - don't read every page!



Britain Transformed 1918-97

Here are some ideas for things you might want to do to get your head around 79 years of British History:

1. Watch some films! Try these:
 - Brief Encounter* (1945)
 - Look Back in Anger* (1959)
 - Dr No* (1962)
 - Alfie* (1966)
 - Kes* (1969)
 - Life of Brian* (1979)
 - Gregory's Girl* (1981)
 - My Beautiful Laundrette* (1985)
 - Billy Elliott* (2000)
 - Brick Lane* (2007)
2. Build a big chart of UK governments 1918-2007 – look for parties, key figures, election results, key events etc. [This](#) might help
3. Read some introductory texts – just browse!

Great podcasts:

[The Rest Is History on acast](#)
[The 21 Best American History Podcasts | Podcast List on Podchaser](#)

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[History Podcasts - BBC Sounds](#)
[The 15 best history podcasts](#)