**GCSE History Curriculum Overview**

**Paper 1 Section B - Conflict & Tension - Years 9 -10**

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| **Summer 2** | **Autumn 1** | **Autumn 2** | **Spring 1** |
| **Autumn tracking** | **Spring Tracking** |
| **Unit 1** | **Unit 2** | **Unit 3** |
| **Treaty of Versailles** | **League of Nations** | **Causes of WWII** |
| **End of unit assessment – Full paper on Treaty of Versailles** | **End of unit assessment – Full paper on League of Nations** | **End of unit assessment – Full paper on Causes of WWII** |
| **Knowledge:*** Situation in Europe in 1918
* Big Three’s aims at Versailles
* Disagreements between Big Three
* Terms of the Treaty
* Reaction of Allies to Treaty
* Reaction of Germany to Treaty
* Reasons why Treaty seen as fair
* Reasons why Treaty seen as unfair

**Skills & second order concepts:*** Literacy – reading notes, extended writing
* Reaching judgement and conclusions
* Source analysis – cartoons and written sources
* Understanding provenance
* GCSE question structure
* Cause and consequence
* Usefulness
* Impact
* Significance
* Evaluation
* Long term/short term

**Literacy:**Information sheetsHistorical sourcesExtended writing**Substantive concepts:*** Economic
* Peace Treaties
* Reparations
* Militarism
* Disarmament
* Self determination
* Colonialism
* Peace keeping (League of Nations)
* Diktat
* Resentment/revenge
* Justified/unjustified
* Stability

**Assessment**Full GCSE Paper 1 section BTwo Knowledge assessments (key terms) | **Knowledge:*** Aims of League
* Problems for League at start
* Structure of League
* Peacekeeping successes and failures in 1920s
* Reasons for Japanese invasion of Manchuria
* Events of invasion of Manchuria
* Reasons for Italian invasion of Abyssinia
* Events of invasion of Abyssinia
* Reasons for failure of League

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**Literacy:**Information sheetsHistorical sourcesExtended writing**Substantive concepts:*** Structure
* Disarmament
* Collective security
* Moral condemnation
* Economic sanctions
* Self interest
* Unanimous
* Veto
* Special commissions
* Extremism
* Foreign polciy

**Assessment:**Full GCSE Paper 1 section BTwo Knowledge assessments (key terms) | **Knowledge:*** Foreign policy aims of Hitler
* Hitler’s Actions 1933-35 including Saar retaken
* Hitler’s Actions 1936-37 including Rhineland remilitarised
* Events of Anschluss 1938
* Events in Sudetenland & Munich Agreement 1938
* Arguments for and against Appeasement
* Impact of Nazi Soviet Pact
* Reasons for outbreak of war in 1939

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**Literacy:**Information sheetsHistorical sourcesExtended writing**Substantive concepts:*** Foerien policy
* Grossdeutchland
* Lebensraum
* Communism
* Appeasment
* Rearmament
* Plebiscite
* Remilitarisation
* Anschluss
* Agreement/Pact
* Negotiation
* War
* Invasion

**Assessment:**Full GCSE Paper 1 section BTwo Knowledge assessments (key terms) |