**GCSE History Content Checklist**

**Paper 1 – Crime and Punishment 1000 - Present**

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| **1000 - 1500 Medieval England** |
| **Content** | **Detail** | **Revised?** |
| Nature of Warfare | Size, Composition, Strategy, Tactics, Weapons. |  |
| Experience of Warfare | Recruitment, Training, Civilians.  |  |
| Battle of Falkirk 1298 | Key events, strategy, reasons for outcome, weapons, tactics, leadership. |  |
| Battle of Agincourt 1415 | Key events, strategy, reasons for outcome, weapons, tactics, leadership. |  |
| **1500 - 1700 Early Modern** |
| **Content** | **Detail** | **Revised?** |
| Nature of Warfare | Size, Composition, Strategy, Tactics, Weapons. |  |
| Experience of Warfare | Recruitment, Training, Civilians.  |  |
| Battle of Naseby 1645 | Key events, strategy, reasons for outcome, weapons, tactics, leadership. |  |
| **1700 - 1900 18th and 19th Century Britain** |
| **Content** | **Detail** | **Revised?** |
| Nature of Warfare | Size, Composition, Strategy, Tactics, Weapons. |  |
| Experience of Warfare | Recruitment, Training, Civilians.  |  |
| Battle of Waterloo 1815 | Key events, strategy, reasons for outcome, weapons, tactics, leadership. |  |
| Battle of Balaclava 1854 | Key events, strategy, reasons for outcome, weapons, tactics, leadership. |  |
| **1900 – Present Modern Britain** |
| **Content** | **Detail** | **Revised?** |
| Nature of Warfare | Size, Composition, Strategy, Tactics, Weapons. |  |
| Experience of Warfare | Recruitment, Training, Civilians.  |  |
| The Western Front and the Battle of the Somme 1916 | Key events, strategy, reasons for outcome, weapons, tactics, leadership. |  |
| The Iraq War 2003 | Key events, strategy, reasons for outcome, weapons, tactics, leadership. |  |
| **Historic Environment - Whitechapel** |
| **Content** | **Detail** | **Revised?** |
| Context of London in WW2 | Situation 1939, why London a target, evacuation, gas masks, air raid shelters |  |
| First Blitz Sept 1940 – May 1941 | Nature of attacks, Black Saturday, South Hallsville, Mickeys shelter, types of bomb. |  |
| Impact of First Blitz on civilians | Morale, shelter life, censorship, propaganda, Balham Tube, Bethnal Green, Baby Blitz |  |
| V1 and V2 attacks June 1944-March 1945 | V1 attacks, V2 attacks. |  |
| Londons Response | Monarchy, Government, Leisure activities, Dig for Victory, Homeguard, Safeguarding art and buildings.  |  |

**Paper 2 – American West 1835-1895**

**American West**

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| **Early Settlement of the West 1835-1862** |
| **Content** | **Detail** | **Revised?** |
| Plains Indians | Society, Survival, Beliefs, US government policy (PIF and Indian Appropriations Act) |  |
| Migration and early settlement | Economy in East, Oregon Trail, Gold Rush, Process and Problems, Donner Party, Mormons, Farming.  |  |
| Conflict and tension | White attitudes, Fort Laramie 1851, Lawlessness in early towns. |  |
| **Development of the Plains 1862-1876** |
| **Content** | **Detail** | **Revised?** |
| Development of settlement in the West | American Civil War, Homestead Act, Pacific Railroad Act, Problems of homesteading, Law and Order |  |
| Ranching and cattle industry | Before and after Civil War, Joseph McCoy, Goodnight-Loving Trail, John Illiff, Cattle barons, Cowboys, Rivalry.  |  |
| Changes in Plains Indians way of life | Railroads, cattle industry, Gold, Reservations, Conflict – Little Crow and Red Clouds wars, Second Fort Laramie Treaty 1868. |  |
| **Conflicts and Conquest 1876-1895** |
| **Content** | **Detail** | **Revised?** |
| Changes in farming, cattle industry and settlement | New technology, Boom and Bust, End of open range, Exodusters, Oklahoma Land Rush |  |
| Conflict and tension | Billy the Kid, Wyatt Earp, Johnson County War, Battle of Little Bighorn, Wounded Knee, Ghost Dance  |  |
| Destruction of Plains Indians way of life | Hunting and extermination of buffalo, Government policy, life on reservations, Dawes Act. |  |

**Paper 3 – Weimar and Nazi Germany**

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| **The Weimar Republic 1918-29** |
| **Content** | **Detail** | **Revised?** |
| Origins of the Republic | Legacy of WWI, German Revolution, Setting up the Republic, Strengths and Weaknesses. |  |
| Early challenges 1919-23 | Treaty of Versailles, Dolschstoss, Challenges from Left and Right (Sparticists and Kapp Putsch), Occupation of the Ruhr, Hyperinflation.  |  |
| Recovery of the Republic 1924-29 | Stresseman – his policies and their impact. |  |
| Changes in society 1924-29 | Living standards, women and culture. |  |
| **Hitler’s Rise to power 1919-33** |
| **Content** | **Detail** | **Revised?** |
| Early development of the Nazi party 1920-22 | Hitlers early career, the NSDAP and development of the SA. |  |
| Munich Putsch and lean years 1923-29 | Reasons, events and consequences of the Munich Putsch. NSDAP party reorganisation and the Bamberg conference.  |  |
| Growth in Nazi support 1929-32 | Wall Street Crash. Support and appeal of the Nazis. |  |
| Hitler becoming Chancellor 1932-33 | Political developments of 1932. Hindenberg, Von Schleicher and Von Papen. |  |
| **Nazi control and dictatorship 1933-39** |
| **Content** | **Detail** | **Revised?** |
| Creation of a dictatorship 1933-34 | Reichstag Fire, Enabling Act, Removing opposition, Night of the Long Knives, Death of Hindenberg. |  |
| The Police State  | SS, SD, Gestapo, Concentration camps, Legal System, Church and religious views. |  |
| Controlling and Influencing attitudes | Goebbels and propaganda. Nazi control of culture, sports and the arts.  |  |
| Opposition, resistance and conformity | Opposition from the church and the Young (Swing Youth and Edelweiss pirates)  |  |
| **Life in Nazi Germany 1933-39** |
| **Content** | **Detail** | **Revised?** |
| Policies towards women | Nazi views towards women and their policies.  |  |
| Policies towards the young | Nazi policies towards young, Nazi Youth Groups, Nazi control of young, Education.  |  |
| Employment and living standards | Nazi policies to reduce unemployment. Invisible unemployment. Changes in living standards. |  |
| The persecution of minorities | Nazi beliefs, anti-Semitism, treatment of minorities, Kristallnacht.  |  |