

Curriculum Mapping History Department

Year 11 –War and British Society c790 to c2010

[GCSE course – OCR History A, Explaining the Modern World]

Big Question	Small Questions	Homework	Teacher Feedback Points	Assessment
<p>Part (A), c 790 to c 1500</p> <p>What were the impacts of the Viking raids on Anglo-Saxon England?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • When and why did Viking raids begin? • Why were the English so appalled by the Vikings? • What were the effects of the Viking raids on Anglo-Saxon society? • What was the significance of the Battle of Maldon? [991 AD] • How did Anglo-Saxon respond to the raids? • Does Alfred deserve to be called “Great”? 	<p>Chart of reactions / consequences of Viking raids</p> <p>Chart of how Alfred responded to Viking raids</p> <p>Does Alfred deserve to be called “Great”?</p>	<p>Quizzing on different elements of Viking raids</p> <p>Tasks on reactions / consequences of Viking raids</p> <p>Tasks on impacts of Viking raids</p>	<p>2 impacts of Viking raids [2018 paper, 4 marks]</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What was the impact of invasion and settlement? • What was the impact of Viking conquest from 991 onwards, especially Cnut? 	What was the overall impact of the Viking raids?		
<p>Part (A)</p> <p>Why were the Normans able to conquer England?</p> <p>How did the Normans change England as a result of the Conquest?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why was there a contested succession in 1066? • What was the significance of the battle of Stamford Bridge? • Why did the Normans win the Battle of Hastings? • How did the Normans consolidate their rule? • How important were Motte & Bailey castles? • What was the significance of the Feudal System? 	<p>Mind map of claimants</p> <p>Chronology / timeline exercise of events of 1066</p> <p>Explain why SB was significant</p> <p>Explain why the Normans won the Battle of Hastings</p> <p>Chart of consequences of Conquest</p>	<p>Explain why Normans won at Hastings</p> <p>Explain impact of Norman Conquest</p> <p>Explain how Normans changed England / effects of Conquest</p>	How significant was the impact of the Norman Conquest? [2018 paper, 14 marks]

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How did Norman control affect different groups of people in English society? 	Why were castles significant?		
<p>Part (A)</p> <p>How far was conflict under Stephen and John the result of the failure of the Feudal System?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How did the Feudal System shape British society in this period? • How secure was the relationship between the monarch and the barons in this period? • How far was the “Anarchy” under Stephen the fault of the King? • How far was the legacy of war the main reason why John was an unsuccessful monarch? • How significant was Magna Carta? 	<p>Exercise from textbook comparing Anarchy with John’s wars</p> <p>Who was most to blame for Anarchy and / or John’s wars?</p> <p>What was the impact on the English people?</p>	<p>Comparison of wars under Stephen and John</p> <p>Who was most to blame for Anarchy – Stephen, Matilda or barons?</p> <p>Why did John face opposition?</p> <p>What was the significance of Magna Carta?</p>	<p>Explain why feudal relationship between Stephen / John and barons broke down [sample paper 8 marks]</p>

<p>Part (A)</p> <p>How was war significant in mediaeval society c 1290 to 1450?</p> <p>How did war shape Britain and its relationships with its neighbours (Wales, Scotland, France) in this period?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why did Edward I invade both Wales & Scotland? • How significant were castles to the conquest of Wales? • Why did Edward face rebellions in both Wales & Scotland? • Why did the cost of war escalate under Edward? • How successful was the English conquest of France during the 100 Years' War? • Why was the long bow a revolutionary weapon in this period? • Why was the growing cost of war significant in this period? • What impact did war have on 	<p>Explain how warfare changed in this period</p> <p>Explain the impact of the longbow</p> <p>How did warfare impact upon the emergence of Parliament?</p> <p>Why were Edward's wars significant?</p> <p>Why was the 100 Years' War significant?</p>	<p>Tasks on changing nature of feudal society / impact of war</p> <p>Changing nature of weaponry esp role of longbow</p> <p>Role of Edward's campaigns in creation of Britain (or of Scottish and Welsh identity)</p> <p>What was the impact of war on society in the Middle Ages?</p>	<p>How significant was impact of war on society 1290-1450? [practice paper 1, 14 marks]</p> <p>Explain impact of war on people in mediaeval period [2019 paper, 8 marks]</p>
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	English society c 1290 to 1450?			
<p>Part (B) c 1500 to c 1750</p> <p>How successful were the wars of Elizabeth?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why did Elizabeth go to war with Spain? • Why was the Spanish Armada defeated? • Were the wars with Spain popular? • What was the impact of war on England and Ireland? • Why were Elizabeth's wars significant in the long term for Britain? 	<p>Exercises / Explain why practice questions on causes of war with Spain / causes of Spanish defeat</p> <p>Chart summarising impact of war on Britain</p>	<p>Causes of war with Spain</p> <p>Causes of English victory</p> <p>Long term impacts of Spanish wars</p>	<p>How significant were privateers in causing war with Spain? [practice paper 2, 14 marks]</p> <p>Explain why Elizabeth went to war with Spain [2018 paper, 8 marks]</p> <p>"Rulers of Britain were successful in warfare, 790-1750". HFDYA? [practice paper 2, essay, 24 marks]</p> <p>"British warfare changed little 790-1750". HFDYA? [2019 paper, essay, 24 marks]</p>
<p>What was the impact of warfare between England and Scotland?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why did England go to war with Scotland in the 1500s, and with what results? 	<p>What was the impact of border warfare?</p>	<p>Tasks on impact of Border reivers</p> <p>Tasks on nature of Jacobite Rebellions,</p>	<p>2 impacts of conflict between England and Scotland 1500-1750 [2019 paper, 4 marks]</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What was the impact of border warfare on both England and Scotland? • Why did the age of the “Border Reivers” come to an end? 	<p>Tasks from textbook on Jacobite Rebellions</p> <p>Significance question as assessment</p>	and how these fit into wider pattern of wars	
How did the Civil Wars of 1642-51 impact upon Britain?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What caused the Civil Wars? • Is it fair to refer to the Civil Wars as “Wars of religion”? • Why were the Civil Wars so destructive? • What were the effects of the Civil Wars upon civilian life in Britain? • Why did Parliament win the Civil wars? 	<p>Explain why Civil Wars were so destructive based on sources exercise</p> <p>Explain why parliament won</p>	<p>Summary of impact of civil wars – destructive nature / effect on civilians</p> <p>Why were the Civil Wars so destructive?</p>	2 impacts of Civil Wars [4 marks - sample paper]
What were the effects of the Jacobite Rebellions on	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why did the Jacobite Rebellions take place? • How similar / different were the 15 and the 45? 	Similar / differences of two Jacobite rebellions	Tasks on nature of Jacobite Rebellions, and how these fit into wider pattern of wars	How far were Jacobite rebellions significant? [sample paper 14 marks]

<p>England and Scotland?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why were both rebellions defeated? • How big a threat was the 45? • What were the effects of the defeat of the Jacobite Rebellions on England and Scotland, in both the short and long term? 	<p>What were the results of the failure of the '45?</p>	<p>Tasks on long term effects of Jacobite Rebellions</p>	
<p>Part (C) – c 1750- 2010</p> <p>How did the Seven Years War establish Britain as a major power?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What caused the 7 Years' War? • How was the navy significant to Britain's victory? • What were the crucial events / battles of the 7YW? • How did victory in the 7YW help establish Britain's Empire, especially in India and Canada? 	<p>Factual knowledge / testing on 7YW</p> <p>Significance question from 2019 paper</p> <p>Impact of 7YW eg on Empire, industrialisation</p>	<p>Quizzing on events of 7YW</p> <p>Tasks on long term significance of 7YW</p>	<p>2 reasons for wars 1750-1900 [practice paper 2, 4 marks]</p> <p>How significant was Britain's victory in 7YW? [2019 paper, 14 marks]</p>

<p>What was the impact of the Revolutionary and Napoleonic Wars both at home and abroad?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why was the Navy vital to Britain's success in these wars? • Why was Napoleon eventually defeated? • Why were events in Russia and in the Peninsula significant? • Why do we still remember Trafalgar and Waterloo? • What was the relationship between industrialisation and British success? • Did most people in Britain support these wars? • How significant were these wars in establishing Britain's dominant status in the 1800s? 	<p>Revision / quizzing</p> <p>Explain role of different elements in causing Napoleon's defeat eg Peninsular, Russian campaign, Waterloo</p> <p>Long term significance of wars</p>	<p>Quizzing on events of Rev / Nap Wars</p> <p>Tasks on long term significance of Rev / Nap wars</p> <p>Key events – Trafalgar, Peninsular, Waterloo</p> <p>Role of Navy</p>	<p>2 effects of wars 1793-1815 [practice paper 1, 4 marks]</p>
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<p>How were 19th century imperial conflicts in the Crimea and in the 2nd Boer War significant for Britain?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why did Britain go to war in the Crimea? • Why was the reporting of the war significant? • Why do we remember the Charge of the Light Brigade? • What were the long term effects of the Crimean War? • Why did Britain go to war (again) in South Africa? • What methods were used to ensure British victory? • How far was the war supported by the people of Britain? • Why was the Boer War significant in helping create social reform in Britain? 	<p>Quizzing key elements</p> <p>Causes / consequences of wars</p> <p>Were these wars supported?</p> <p>What were the long term impacts on Britain?</p>	<p>Quizzing on events of Crimea / South Africa</p> <p>Long term impacts of war</p> <p>Why did Boer war have significance for Britain in terms of social change / reform?</p>	
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<p>What impact did WW1 and WW2 have on civilians in Britain?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is meant by “total war”? • Why did these wars affect civilians more than previous ones had done? • How did WW1 and WW2 contribute to the growing power of the British state? • How far did people in Britain support these wars? • How effective was British propaganda in WW1 and WW2? • How did recruitment and conscription impact on Britain in WW1? • Why was food rationed in both wars? • How did WW1 bring civilians into the front line? • Why was this true on a far bigger scale in WW2? 	<p>Chart summarising impact on civilians of both world wars</p> <p>Task on propaganda / effectiveness of propaganda</p> <p>How far were either / both wars supported?</p>	<p>How did both WW1 and WW2 have an impact on civilian society / the Home Front?</p> <p>How far were 19th / 20th century wars agents of change in Britain?</p> <p>How important was British government propaganda during these wars?</p> <p>Did the wars of the 19th / 20th century have popular support?</p>	<p>Explain why most people supported wars 1900-82 [practice paper 2, 8 marks]</p>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How did both WW1 and WW2 impact upon the role of women? 			
<p>How have post 1945 conflicts impacted upon people in Britain?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Did most people in Britain support the Cold War? • Why did some people march against nuclear weapons? • Why did “the Troubles” emerge in Ulster at the end of the 1960s? • How far did these events affect people in mainland Britain? • What was the attitude of most people in Britain towards the Troubles? • Why did Britain take part in the war with Iraq 2003? 	<p>Chart summarising attitudes towards these wars</p> <p>Chart summarising impact of these wars</p> <p>Assessment / essay questions</p>	<p>Impact of government propaganda</p> <p>How far did these conflicts enjoy popular support?</p> <p>What impact did these wars have on society in Britain?</p>	<p>Explain why there was support for the Cold War [practice paper 1, 8 marks]</p> <p>“Between 1500 and 2010, wars were supported by the population”. HFDYA? [sample paper essay, 24 marks]</p> <p>“Biggest impact of war 1500-1750 was economic”. HFDYA? [practice paper 1 essay, 24 marks]</p> <p>“War had more of an impact on governments than people 1500-2010”. HFDYA?</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Why was there significant opposition to this war?• How have people in Britain been affected by the “war on terror”?			[2018 paper essay question, 24 marks]
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