

# HISTORY

AWARDING BODY OCR



Course Specification link:

<http://www.ocr.org.uk/qualifications/as-a-level-gce-history-a-h105-h505-from-2015/>

## Brief outline of course

The A Level History course is assessed through three written examinations and a piece of coursework.

Year 12 covers a British period study and enquiry that covers Edward VI Mary I and Elizabeth I, this involves analysing sources and writing essays. There is also a Non-British period study which covers African Kingdoms from 1400 to 1800, looking at the Songhay Empire, the Kingdom of Kongo, the Kingdom of Benin, and the Oyo and Dahomey Empires

In Year 13 students will study civil rights in the USA 1865-1992, this course is an interpretations course and looks at the different opinions of historians, this will look at Black rights, Trade Union rights, Indigenous Peoples rights and Women's rights. Students will also produce a piece of coursework with a guided option choice.

## Are you interested in:

- Discussion
- Research
- Controversy
- Thinking
- The Past

## Leading to a career in:

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| • Law       | • Archaeology     |
| • Education | • Architecture    |
| • Media     | • Interior Design |
| • Business  | • Finance         |
| • Politics  | • Journalism      |

## Subject Entry Criteria

GCSE History Grade 5

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