

# History

In Years 10 and 11 we follow the OCR Modern World History Syllabus. The course is designed to provide an understanding of International Relations during the 20<sup>th</sup> Century as well as providing an in-depth study on Britain 1900-1918. Topics covered are: The Treaty of Versailles; The League of Nations; Causes of World War Two; America 1917 – 1941; Early Liberal Reforms; Women's Suffrage; Britain during World War One. There is one coursework unit on the First World War.

There are two formal examinations as well as the one piece of coursework. Paper 1 is 2 hours long and concentrates on International Relations. Paper 2 is 1 hour 30 minutes long and is a source work examination on Britain 1900 – 1918.

Through the use of various written and visual sources you will learn how the two World Wars were caused and what their consequences have been on our world today. Using a number of methods, including CD ROMs, DVDs, the Internet and role play, you will come to understand how the relations between the super-powers have affected the rest of the world.

It is hoped that you will develop a personal curiosity about the past and an understanding of how the world we live in has been created by past events. We are sure you will find the course not only fulfilling but also enjoyable, which should ensure your success in the subject.

