

Advanced Higher History [2015 onwards]

SCQF: Level 7 [32 SCQF credit points]

Recommended Entry: Higher History

Progression: a degree in social subjects or related areas and a diverse range of careers.

Germany: from Democracy to Dictatorship, 1918-1939

This course is very similar in content to the old Advanced Higher. Students get the opportunity to study one area of history in depth. The course covers the creation of the Weimar Republic in Germany at the end of the First World War; the Treaty of Versailles; the economic difficulties of the 1920s including the hyper-inflation of 1923; economic recovery prior to the Wall Street Crash; the rise of Adolf Hitler and the Nazi Party and the creation of dictatorship 1933-1939, e.g. the Night of the Long Knives, the roll of the SS and racial indoctrination, etc.

Assessment: One Examination Paper = 3 hours = 90 marks

- Section A: Extended Response questions [essays] = 50 marks
- Section B: Historical Sources – [document questions] = 40 marks

Project [dissertation] = 50 marks

Total = 140 marks