

Course Title:		History AS/A2					
Course Code:		S2239BES	Centre:	Sutton	Tutor:	Jean Sansum	
Day:	Tue	Start Date:	14/09/10	Length:	30 wks	Time:	18:30-21:30

Course Content/Syllabus

AS History:

- **Unit 1** – France in Revolution 1774-1815
- **Unit 2** – a Sixties Social Revolution? British Society 1959-1975

Both units include an in depth study of change and continuity.

A2 History:

- **Unit 3** – British State and People, 1865-1915
- **Unit 4** – 100 year historical enquiry based on the European Renaissance. Independent research.

A2 Students must have completed the AS qualification

After completing the course, students should be able to:

- Have an in-depth knowledge of the period
- Have an understanding of how to analyse and evaluate historical sources
- Have the ability to communicate effectively in writing and take the History AS/A2 exams and undertake independent research.

Assessment Methods

Written examination at the end of both courses.

Unit 1: written paper – 1 hour 15 minutes (50% of total AS marks, 25% of total A Level)

Unit 2: written paper – 1 hour 30 minutes (50% of total AS marks, 25% of total A Level marks)

Unit 3: written paper – 1 hour 30 minutes (30% of A level mark).

Unit 4: approximately 3500 word course work enquiry (20% of A level)

Home Study

Both courses will include several weeks that are set aside for independent learning. Periods of guided independent study will be built into the course hours

Entry Requirements

Good literacy skills required, and the ability to research and write essays. A GCSE standard of education is desirable.

English, Maths & IT Entry Requirements

Good literacy skills and the ability to research & write essays. IT skills an advantage.

Please note that you must send the pre-entry assessment form with your enrolment and fee, so that we can identify any additional support needs. The form is in the prospectus or available from www.scola.ac.uk/enrol/form

Exam Fees

Any applicable exam fees are included in the course costs.

Extra Costs (eg course materials & textbooks)

- Two course books to be advised

You are advised not to purchase text-books or equipment until the course is confirmed.

For your first session, please bring:

- Pen and paper
- Folder

Extra Help With Your Learning

For details of additional support, please request the learning support leaflet and indicate your needs on the enrolment form.

Attendance

Regular attendance is required. **All students enrolling on this course must take the accreditation.**

Progression/Further Opportunities:

Achieving a full A2 level History can lead to university study in a variety of topics.