

KS5 Curriculum Map – Politics – AQA

KS5 Curriculum Map – Politics –AQA A Level- Year 12

Year 12	Autumn term		Spring term		Summer 1		Summer 2
Topic	Teacher 1 (3 lessons per week)	Teacher 2 (2 lessons per week)	Teacher 1 (3 lessons per week)	Teacher 2 (2 lessons per week)	Teacher 1 (3 lessons per week)	Teacher 2 (2 lessons per week)	Revision: UK and US
	USA and Comparative politics: -Government (Constitutions, Legislative, Executive, Judiciary)	UK politics: -Government (Constitutions, Legislative, Executive, Judiciary)	USA and Comparative politics: -Politics (Democracy, Elections, Parties)	UK politics: -Politics (Democracy, Elections, Parties)	USA and Comparative politics: -Politics (Pressure Groups, Civil Rights and Comparative theory)	UK politics: -Politics (Pressure Groups, the UK and Europe)	
Assessment	Exam Week at end of Autumn term 1 1 paper of: 9 mark questions 25 mark non-source question	9 mark questions 25 mark source question 25 mark non-source question	Exam Week at end of Spring Term 1 2 papers of: 9 mark questions 25 mark source question 25 mark non-source question	9 mark questions 25 mark source question 25 mark non-source question	9 mark questions 25 mark source question 25 mark non-source question	9 mark questions 25 mark source question 25 mark non-source question	Progression Exams - all questions assessed 2 papers of: 9 mark questions 25 mark source question 25 mark non-source question
Link with A Level Skills and AOs	AO1: Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of political institutions, processes, concepts, theories and issues. AO2: Analyse aspects of politics and political information, including in relation to parallels, connections, similarities and differences. AO3: Evaluate aspects of politics and political information, including to construct arguments, make		AO1: Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of political institutions, processes, concepts, theories and issues. AO2: Analyse aspects of politics and political information, including in relation to parallels, connections, similarities and differences. AO3: Evaluate aspects of politics and political information, including to construct		AO1: Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of political institutions, processes, concepts, theories and issues. AO2: Analyse aspects of politics and political information, including in relation to parallels, connections, similarities and differences. AO3: Evaluate aspects of politics and political information, including to construct arguments, make substantiated judgements and draw conclusions.		

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Year 13	Autumn term		Spring term		Summer term
Topic	Teacher 1 (2 lessons)	Teacher 2 (3 lessons)	Teacher 1 (2 lessons)	Teacher 2 (3 lessons)	Revision for all topics (papers 1,2 and 3)
	Comparing the UK and the US	Core Ideologies: Liberalism and Conservatism	Comparing the US/UK Paper 1 and 2 revision	Core Ideologies: Socialism Optional ideology: Feminism	
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