

# HISTORY DEPARTMENT NEWS

## This week in History:

30th March 1856—The Crimean War ended

1st April 1662—Royal Society of London founded by King Charles II

3rd April 1721—Sir Robert Walpole became the first Prime Minister of Britain

## The History department:

The History department is so pleased with the self-discipline, motivation and effort shown by students so far. Some amazing work has been handed in and we are looking forward to receiving more work! Remember if you have any questions regarding your work, email your class teacher.

## Remote learning

As you are aware, your History work is being set on Show My Homework for years 7-13. The work set compliments what you would have been studying in school. We are pleased that students are showing motivation and self-discipline in accessing these activities and completing them.

Please send all completed work to your class teacher to be checked and marked. Your class teacher will be tracking submissions of work and if work has not arrived by the deadline then you will receive a reminder email by your teacher.

## What are students studying this week?

This week students will focus on the following tasks for History:

Year 7 & 8—Diary entry activity and Seneca activities

Year 9—Cold War booklet and questions

Year 10—Crime and Punishment booklet and questions

Year 11—Completing past papers and revision

Year 12—Research and preparation of Internal Assessments

Year 13—Complete paper 1 and revise Paper 2 and complete mock



## Extending your learning further:

We know that some students will complete their History work and would love to explore the subject area further. From next week, we will include an extra challenge for each year group to stretch your knowledge and understanding on SMHW. Below you will find a list of films to explore History further: Film review competition can be found below!

### History Films KS3:

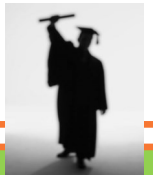
- Year 7—Horrible Histories, Secrets of Great British Castles.
- Year 8—War Horse, World War II in Colour, Darkest Hour, Dunkirk, Sound of Music

### History Films KS4:

- World War II in Colour, Operation Valkyrie, Hitler—a career (rated Teen)

### History Films KS5:

- Hidden Figures, Gandhi, The Help, Selma, 13th, Who killed Malcolm X?
- Mandela—Long walk to freedom, Invictus, District 9, Cry Freedom.
- The Vietnam War, The Coldest Game, The Cuba Libre Story, The Death of Stalin



## Film Review Competition!

Write a review of an historical film and send it to your class teacher, by the **3rd April**.

Best ones will be put in a department display and one will be printed in the next History department newsletter!

## Star student corner:

Some fantastic work being sent to us. Keep it up! Below are just a few examples of star students:

**KS3:** Lillie L, Kylie M, Max B, William B, Rhiannon K, Aidan D, Tom W, Brandon P

**KS4:** Richard G, Will G, Eden N, Sonny B, Fern L, Lucy S, Sophie R, Ollie L, Holly K

**KS5:** Lewis S, Calista M, Emma W, Lily N, Hazel C, Josh D