

Learning and Assessment Overview



MALANDA
STATE HIGH SCHOOL

Year 12 - 2024

Modern History

	Unit	Start/Length	Topics/Concepts/Skills/Inquiry	Assessment	Checkpoint	Due Date
Term 1	National Experiences in the Modern World: Germany	9 weeks	This unit will investigate national experiences that have emerged in the Modern World. This unit will examine the crises that have confronted nations, their responses, and the different paths nations have taken to fulfil their goals. Topic 1: Germany, 1914-1945 (World War 1 begins – World War II ends) Begin Topic 2.	Examination – essay in response to historical sources	Practice Exam Week 6 Seen sources issued Week 6 29 th February	Week 7 7 th March
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Term 2	National Experiences in the Modern World: Soviet Union	9 weeks	Topic 2: Soviet Union, 1920s -1945 (Russian Civil War ends – World War II ends) Begin Unit 4 –International Experiences in the Modern World	Investigation – independent source investigation	Weekly Tuesday checkpoints Week 2-6	Week 6 23 rd May
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Term 3	International Experiences in the Modern World: Cold War	9 weeks	This unit will investigate international experiences that have emerged in the Modern World. This unit will examine the cultural, economic, ideological, political, religious, military or other challenges that have gone beyond national borders. Topic 1: Cold War, 1945-1991 (Yalta Conference – Soviet Union ends) Begin Topic 2.	Investigation – historical essay based on research	Draft Due Week 3 25 th July	Week 4 01 st August
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Term 4	International Experiences in the Modern World: Australian Engagement with Asia – Australia and the Vietnam War	9 weeks	Topic 2: Australian engagement with Asia since 1945 (World War II in the Pacific ends)	External Assessment – short response to historical sources	Practice Exam Week 1 Term 4	External Exam weeks 4 -7 TBA