

CABOOLTURE

STATE HIGH SCHOOL

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MODERN HISTORY

INCOMPATIBLE SUBJECTS	NIL	DEPENDENT SU	JBJECTS	NIL
PRE-REQUISITE SUBJECTS	English – B	POTENTIAL QC	E POINTS	4
COURSE DURATION	TWO YEARS	CONTRIBUTES	TO ATAR	YES
FINANCIAL COMMITMENT	REFER TO FEE SCHEDULE	SUBJECT PATH	WAY	GENERAL
COURSE REQUIREMENTS	This course may be offered	nrough distance education.		
COURSE CONTENT				
UNIT 1			ASSESSMENT	
Sail across the 'new world' and explore the harsh global consequences of imperialism and colonisation during the height of the British Empire.			Formative Exam: Short Response to Historical Sources	
Liberty, equality, fraternity, or c to discover the origins of the pr their lives and grabbed hold of t	otest movement: where ordinar	ry people changed	Assignment: Ir	ndependent Source Investigation
UNIT 2			ASSESSMENT	
Fight the good fight alongside our First Nations freedom fighters in a unit of study			Assignment: Historical Research Essay	
focused on the demolition of the Apartheid System in South Africa and the Tent Embassy in Australia.			Exam: Essay in Response to Historical Sources	
UNIT 3			ASSESSMENT	
Nations have responded to crisis in a variety of ways but two in particular, Germany and China, responded by installing totalitarian dictatorships. Take a journey along the road to power taken by Hitler and Mao Zedong and hear from those who			Assignment: Independent Source Investigation (25%) Assignment: Historical Research Essay (25%)	
resisted the call.			Assignment. ¬	istofical Research Essay (25%)
UNIT 4			ASSESSMENT	
James Bond may have been fictional but the time that inspired him was very much real – the Cold War – where two superpowers fought for supremacy by any means necessary. Discover this world of spies, secrets and subterfuge before delving into a conflict that defined a generation – the Vietnam War.			Assignment: Historical Research Essay (25%) External Exam: Short Response to Historical Sources (25%)	
CAREER PATHWAYS				
Journalism Law Politics Busi Law Content Creator Editing Writer Social			ibrary sistant Environmental Scientist	Urban and Regional Planee Urban and Regional Planee Urban and Reteorologist
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Why Else Should I Study History? https://www.you			outube.com/wat	tch?v=MH-poqMomhk
What Caboolture State High Scl	nool students have to say about	Modern History		
"Modern History is interesting becc society, plus we get to be critical of	use we get to learn about wars and the choices from the past."	d dictators. It is also inter	resting to see how	recent events have impacted our
"You will deepen your understandir society today."	ng of the past and engage with othe	ers while learning about o	critical events and	key figures that contributed to