

# History

Entry requirements: Grade A\* to B in History and English language

Exam board: WJEC

Teachers: Miss Haslehurst, Mr Gavin, Mr Kendrick

Link to Specification: [https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/history-as-a-level/#tab\\_overview](https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/history-as-a-level/#tab_overview)

Transition tasks: <https://hwb.gov.wales/classes/72a2d398-91c9-47a7-ba0a-c6a415ce4e10>

Other useful links: <https://www.history.org.uk/>

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What is History?

*History is WHO we are and WHY we are the way we are. History is not just the past. History is the present.*

**History is concerned with;**

- critical evaluation of evidence
- analysis of problems
- understanding and communicating ideas
- the development of empathetic skills



History provides students with a wide range of transferable skills The ability to understand and analyse issues and events to a high level of competence. A talent for clear expression, oral and written. Putting forward arguments and ideas in a concise manner. Gathering, investigating and evaluating material.

To employers, **these skills will be more important** than the actual subject!

There are **many opportunities** here at Eirias to develop these skills from being part of the Historical Association Great Debate, to working with CADW and taking over the running of Plas Mawr.

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