



Humanities Faculty

S1 History Course



What will I be learning?

In S1, you will study History either 1 period a week for the year or 3 periods a week for a term. You will study the following topics:

- **Time and evidence:** you will learn about the importance of historical sources and key words.
- **Life in Medieval Scotland:** you will learn about the native groups living in Scotland before it became a nation, and what life was like for Scots living during this time.
- **The Great War:** you will learn about the causes of this conflict and how it impacted those involved both on the Western Front and at home.

How will I be assessed?

You will have 2 assessed pieces of work per topic in S1 History. These activities usually cover a few parts of a topic and will be completed during class time with access to notes.

These tasks help you demonstrate your understanding of the topic to your teacher. Your work will be graded at bronze, silver or gold level and you will be given success criteria to show you what is required to meet each standard.

Once completed and marked, you will be given feedback, so you know how to improve your result on the next task.

Don't worry if you need additional support to complete your assessments - your teacher will organise this for you!

What does homework look like?

You will receive at least one piece of homework per topic.

The homework for History may be in the form of a multiple-choice quiz on Satchel One.

Other written pieces of homework will be given out in class and uploaded onto Satchel One.

See your teacher in class if you need help accessing Satchel One, or if you would prefer to complete the homework on paper instead.