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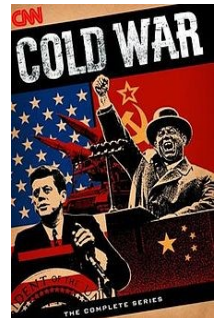
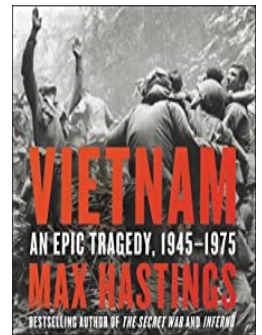
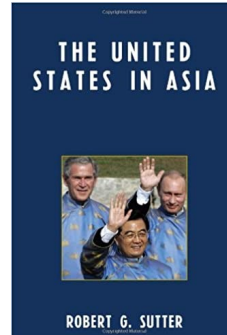
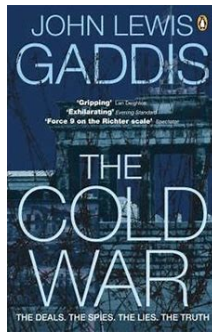
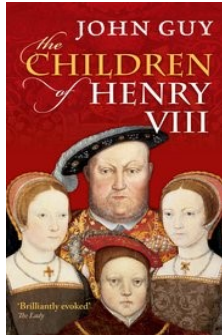
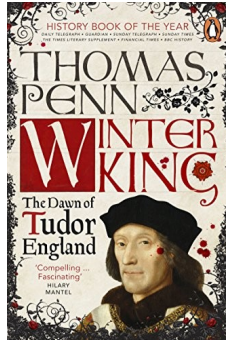
Year 11 Historians,

If you are pursuing History at A Level, you will find that there is an expectation that you keep up to date with current historical debate and that you read around the subject. This is the ideal time to keep yourself busy by developing your subject knowledge. Below are some ideas to get you started.

Some of the books listed are on the reading lists of OCR which is our exam board. Don't feel the need to buy all or buy new—google the books, pick one that appeals to you. You can often pick up cheaper second hand versions online. You can also read parts of the books for free on amazon preview or google books.

Click the links all the way at the bottom to find out more about the year 12 course .

All the best, Miss Brunskill and Miss Folorunsho.



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[BBC You're Dead to Me – Greg Jenner](#)

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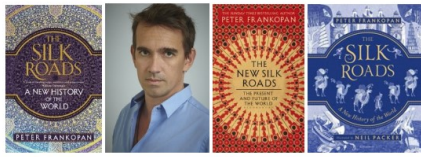
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Schools History Project Essay Competition

in association with Professor Peter Frankopan, No More Marking and Hodder Education



"If 1066 is said to be the most important date in English history, what is the equivalent in another country?"

<http://www.schoolhistoryproject.co.uk/schools-history-project-essay-competition-in-association-with-professor-peter-frankopan-and-no-more-marking/>

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The Historical Association Historical Fiction Prize and the Joan Blyth Memorial Prize

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