

## Summer Transition Work

Welcome to Arnewood Sixth! You are about to embark on a busy and important two years of sixth form study.

Sixth form life is very different. You are going to feel much more independent, empowered and responsible for your own learning. The expectation is that this journey is down to you. You need to commit and relish in the challenge of sixth form life; ambition, belief and commitment are essential for your success.

Below is a transition activity designed for you to complete over the late spring into summer in preparation for your chosen course. By completing the task, you will be better prepared for the start of your course. Your A level teachers will check the work in September. Your commitment starts now!

<b>Subject</b>	<b>History – The Early Tudors 1485-1558 / The Cold War in Asia 1945-1993</b>	
Key Question	<b>Was Henry VII ever really secure as King of England? What was the Cold War?</b>	
Resource List	<p><b>OCR A level History Specification</b> (we study options Y106, Y222 and Y319)</p> <p>Henry VII <b>Winter King</b> documentary</p> <p>Henry VII <b>The Paranoid King</b> Animation</p> <p>Cold War History</p> <p>Crash Course on World History – The Cold War</p>	<p><a href="https://www.ocr.org.uk/Images/170128-specification-accredited-a-level-gce-history-a-h505.pdf">https://www.ocr.org.uk/Images/170128-specification-accredited-a-level-gce-history-a-h505.pdf</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aBpSRQ6wVPU">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aBpSRQ6wVPU</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMI64zAC3Yo">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMI64zAC3Yo</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.history.com/topics/cold-war/cold-war-history">https://www.history.com/topics/cold-war/cold-war-history</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y9HjvHZfCU">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y9HjvHZfCU</a></p>

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	<p>Tudor Dynasty <b>Timeline</b></p> <p>BBC History Tudors <b>Podcast</b></p>	<p><a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/how-the-tudor-dynasty-shaped-modern-britain/zrhdbdm">https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/how-the-tudor-dynasty-shaped-modern-britain/zrhdbdm</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.historyextra.com/period/tudor/everything-you-wanted-to-know-tudors-podcast-tracy-borman/">https://www.historyextra.com/period/tudor/everything-you-wanted-to-know-tudors-podcast-tracy-borman/</a></p>
<p>Your Task</p>	<p><b>There are 4 parts to your Transition task:</b></p> <p><b>Task 1:</b> Access and read the OCR A level History specification using the link above. We study options Y106, Y222 and Y319. Look up these three components to see what topics we study. We also complete a Topic Based Essay for coursework in Year 13.</p> <p><b>Task 2:</b> You will need to learn all about the first Tudor King, Henry VII, the father of the great Henry VIII. To begin with do the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Watch the Henry VII Winter King documentary via the link in the resource list above.</li> <li>• Then create a timeline of his life using the internet.</li> <li>• Find definitions for the following key terms and create a glossary – see the table below.</li> </ul> <p><b>Task 3:</b> You need to understand what the Cold War was and why it started. In order to do this you will need to watch the YouTube clip on the Cold War. You can also refer to the Cold War website above.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In your own words write down what the Cold War was. (100 words)</li> <li>• Write brief notes on what caused the Cold War.</li> <li>• If you want to discover more about the Vietnam War we recommend watching the series ‘The Vietnam War’ by Ken Burns and Lynn Novick.</li> </ul> <p><b>Task 4:</b> Complete a research project on one of the key terms or key individuals listed below. This should be as detailed as possible and can be presented as a information booklet, a PowerPoint or Key Note presentation or whatever format you choose.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Richard III and the Princes in the Tower</li> <li>• The Battle of Bosworth and the Tudor Rose</li> <li>• Perkin Warbeck</li> <li>• Tudor foods and entertainment</li> <li>• Thomas Wolsey</li> </ul>	

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Additional resources	Please see the attached PDF for you to complete.

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## A Level History Summer Transition Work – Additional Resource

### Glossary

Find definitions for the following key terms connected to the Tudors to create a glossary:

Key term	Definition
Usurper	
Pretender	
Divine right	
Autocratic	
Claimant	
Chivalry	
Dynasty	
Dynastic marriage	
Pope	
Inheritance	
Nobility	
Patronage	
Faction	
Great chain of being	

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