

## Curriculum Map - Y12 - Government and Politics (Edexcel)

Topic name	Term	Skills developed	Prior learning	Next link in curriculum
Introduction in Politics A Level  UK Politics  Democracy and participation political parties, electoral systems, voting behaviour and the media	1 - 3	Judgement	Students are given the opportunity to attend the annual Politico conference in London, the Supreme Court and the Houses of Parliament (Local MP usually accommodates a Q&A session)	UK Government
		Research		Comparisons with
		Argument		American system (studied in Y13)
		Extended writing	KS4 -Power and the People = development of democracy, TUs, political parties, protest groups.	Core political ideas
		Analysis		(Conservatism and Socialism)
		Evaluation	Weimar and Nazi Germany	SOCIALISTI)
		Communication		
		Interpretation	KS3 - Medieval Monarchs, Radical ideas in the ECW, Peterloo.	
The UK Government	1 - 3	Judgement	KS4 Power and the people	UK Politics
The constitution, parliament, Prime Minister and executive, relationships between the branches.		• Research	Magna Carta. P of Oxford, Extension of franchise, Great Reform Act, Women's Rights, Protest Groups-campaigning, development of Labour Party, Chartism, Ideas, ethnic minorities.	US system
		Argument		
		Extended writing		
		Analysis	Weimar Constitution, PR, rise of the Nazis, KW II	
		• Evaluation		
		Communication	Depth study - Elizabethan England	
		Interpretation		
			KS3 Medieval monarchs, Peterloo, Women's Suffrage, Abolition, ECW, Cromwell	