



In Govt and Politics you should...

After each lesson

After each lesson review the key themes and terminology discussed that day and consider how it applies to contemporary Politics. Use the course specification outlined in the revision guide to ensure that you are able to understand and apply the key concepts.

Weekly

Keep up to date on key political developments in British/American politics. Personalise your news app tabs to include UK/US politics. Useful websites:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/politics>

<https://news.sky.com/politics>

Fortnightly

You will be given exam style questions and essays fortnightly. Use the revision guide as well as the supporting material on Google Classroom to produce a sufficiently analytical and thorough response. Examples are key so ensure that you can illustrate your points with relevant and current examples of political developments.

Termly

Complete the mock papers and past paper placed on Google Classroom under timed conditions to test your knowledge without the support of the revision guides, develop your time management as well as your overall exam technique.

Throughout the year

Complete past paper questions with mark schemes are made available on WJEC.

https://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/government-and-politics-as-a-level/#tab_pastpapers

Actively revise using the revision guide. Simply reading through the guide is ineffective. Active revision has been proved to significantly increase the retention of key information linked to the course.

Therefore, you should be using the revision guide to create:

- Mind maps
- Flash cards
- Mnemonics
- Revision clocks
- etc.

You can also access online revision material through useful websites such as:

<https://tutor2u.net>

Additionally, the Crash Course YouTube series is useful for US Politics:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Irk4oY7UxpQ&list=PL8dPuuaLjXtOfse2ncvfffeelTrqvrz8H>



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