A Level Ancient History

Exam Board OCR

Year 12

Greek Period Study: Relations between Greek states and between Greek and non-Greek states, 492–404 BC

- The challenge of the Persian Empire 492–479
- Greece in conflict 479–446 BC
- Peace and Conflict 446–431 BC
- The Archidamian War 431–420 BC
- The end of the Peloponnesian War and its aftermath 419–404 BC

Roman Depth Study: Ruling Roman Britain, AD 43-c. 128

- Roman military policy towards Britain: conquest and expansion
- Frontier policy: consolidation and retrenchment, AD 85–c.128
- Resistance to Roman rule
- Roman control
- Effects of Roman rule

Year 13

Greek Depth Study: The Society and Politics of Sparta, 478–404 BC

- Education in Sparta
- The social structure of Sparta
- The political structure of Sparta
- The Spartan military culture and its importance in the society and politics of Sparta
- Other states' views of Sparta and the effect of Spartan system on policy

Roman Period Study: The Julio-Claudian Emperors, 31 BC-AD 68

- Augustus, 31 BC–AD 14
- Tiberius, AD 14–37
- Gaius, AD 37-41
- Claudius, AD 41–54
- Nero, AD 54–68

Please note: the course delivered to the current Year 13s (2017 – 2018), which looks at Politics & Society in Ancient Sparta and Britain in the Roman Empire (Year 12) and Ruling the Roman Empire between 14 and 117AD, and the Greek and Persian Wars (Year 13), is in its final year of delivery, and will be completely replaced by the above course from 2018 – 2019.