



# HISTORY YEAR PLANNER (LTP) – YEAR 12 RUSSIA



Term	Learning content/skills	Assessment Schedule*	Home Learning Support (How students can extend learning in addition to homework)
Autumn 1	<p><u>Alexander II – 1855-1881</u> Reforms from 1861-66 Changes to the reforms The development of opposition (Populism) Early economic change</p> <p>Introduce Interpretation and Essay skills</p>	<p>Interpretations: Alexander’s Reforms</p> <p>Essay: ‘Alexander II’s reforms weakened the Tsarist Regime.’</p>	<p>Geoffrey Hosking – <i>Russia and the Russians: from earliest time to the present</i></p> <p>Websites: <a href="http://Spartacus-educational.com">Spartacus-educational.com</a> <a href="http://www.historylearningsite.co.uk">www.historylearningsite.co.uk</a> BBC History website</p>
Autumn 2	<p><u>Alexander III – 1881-1894</u> Reactionary policies Russification and Anti-Semitism Economic Developments up to 1905 Development of opposition (Marxism)</p> <p>Further develop interpretation and essay skills</p>	<p>Interpretations: Growth of opposition</p> <p>Essay: ‘Tsarist Authority remained strong from 1855-1894’</p>	<p>Websites: <a href="http://Spartacus-educational.com">Spartacus-educational.com</a> <a href="http://www.historylearningsite.co.uk">www.historylearningsite.co.uk</a> BBC History website</p> <p><i>Other works by leading historians are available – speak to the class teacher.</i></p>
Spring 1	<p><u>Nicholas II 1894-1914</u> Continuity in Government 1894-1905 1905 Revolution The Constitutional Experiment 1906-1914 Economic Developments (Industry and Agriculture – Witte and Stolypin) Social Change in Russia up to 1914</p> <p>Introduce timed/unseen interpretations and essays</p>	<p>Interpretations: 1905 Revolution</p> <p>Essay(s) ‘Russia did not experience significant economic and social change in the period 1881-1914.’ ‘The Tsarist Regime was significantly weakened by events from 1894-1914.’</p>	<p>Orlando Figes - <i>A People’s Tragedy: The Russian Revolution 1891-1924</i></p> <p>Websites: <a href="http://Spartacus-educational.com">Spartacus-educational.com</a> <a href="http://www.historylearningsite.co.uk">www.historylearningsite.co.uk</a> BBC History website</p> <p><i>Other works by leading historians are available – speak to the class teacher.</i></p>
Spring 2	<p><u>War and Revolution 1914-1917</u> The impact of WW1 on Russia February 1917 Revolution The Provisional Government and Soviet Lenin and the rise of the Bolsheviks October 1917 Revolution Bolshevik consolidation of power</p> <p>Exam preparation and Revision</p>	<p>Interpretations The State of Russia in 1914</p> <p>Essays: ‘The Tsarist regime was overthrown in February 1917 because of the lack of political reform in the years 1894-1917.’</p> <p>‘The development of Marxism in Russia was mainly the result of Lenin’s work.’</p>	<p>Websites: <a href="http://Spartacus-educational.com">Spartacus-educational.com</a> <a href="http://www.historylearningsite.co.uk">www.historylearningsite.co.uk</a> BBC History website</p> <p><i>Other works by leading historians are available – speak to the class teacher.</i></p>
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