



2013 ANCIENT HISTORY PRELIMINARY COURSE OUTLINE

CONTENT	OUTCOMES	DURATION	ASSESSMENT
<p><u>Investigating the Past</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written & archaeological sources • Contributions of science to history <p>Everyday Life <u>Case Study:</u> <u>The Tomb of Tutankhamun</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social & political situation • Excavation of the tomb • Tomb contents • Significance of the discoveries 	<p>P3.2 P3.5</p> <p>P1.1 P3.1 P3.5 P4.1</p>	<p>Term 1</p>	<p>Term 1; Week 8</p> <p>Multi-part question based on the interpretation of a range of sources and own knowledge: 30%</p> <p>Investigating the Past and the Case Study will both be assessed.</p>
<p><u>Ancient Societies, Sites & Sources: Athenian Society of the 5th Century</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Democratic developments • Social structure • Economy <p><u>Historical Investigation</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A topic selected by the student for major research 	<p>P1.1 P4.1</p> <p>P1.1 P3.1 P3.2 P3.3 P3.6</p>	<p>5-6 weeks</p> <p>4 weeks</p>	<p>This unit will be assessed in the End of Course Examination</p> <p>Term 2; Week 6</p> <p>Historical Investigation Research Essay: 30%</p>

<p><u>Case Study: Alexander the Great</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Macedonian Society & Monarchy• Succession of Alexander• Alexander’s Conquests• Legacy of Alexander the Great <p><u>Ancient Societies, Sites & Sources:</u></p> <p><u>The City of Rome</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Overview of Roman Society• Public Buildings & Their Uses• Private Buildings & Their Uses	<p>P3.4 P4.1 P4.2</p> <p><i>P1.1</i> <i>P2.1</i> <i>P3.2</i></p>	<p>Term 3</p>	<p>Term 3; Week 9 End of Course Exam: Two questions: 40%</p>
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