

JUNIOR CYCLE HISTORY

STUDY TIPS

While it is recommended to use previous exam questions when studying for your exam, there are other methods to revise what you have studied over the course of your Junior Cycle History course such as YouTube videos, visual organisers, Cornell Notes and many more.

Throughout this revision booklet, there is a collection of different revision materials such as:

Cornell Notes
Knowledge Organisers
Keyword Glossary
Two sets of Revision Questions: Short
Questions (worth 3m-9m)
Long Questions (worth 12m-18m)

Over the next few pages, you will find:
Revision Timetable Example
Specific study tips for the VARK
learning styles
Revision Question Checklist
YouTube Playlist Links
Keyword Quizlet Links

Remember that when studying you should set SMART Goals to help you hit the targets you have set for yourself.

Also make sure to balance your workload with activities such as sport, exercise and meeting with friends for your well-being.

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SPECIFIC

MEASUREARI E

ATTAINABLE

RELEVANT

TIME

Who? What Where?

Use details while keeping the goal clear and succinct. What will you do?



From? To?

Identify
evidence for
when you reach
the goal.
How will you
know?



How?

Make sure you can put the goal into action.

Can you achieve it?



Why? Worthwhile?

The goal should meet personal interests, skills and resources. Is it relatable?



When?

Create a time frame for accomplishing the goal.
What is the deadline?







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JUNIOR CYCLE MISTORY

DIFFERENT LEARNING TECHNIQUES



In any classroom, we have four techniques of learning in which we access knowledge differently:

Visual learning: This type of learning involves using visual aids such as images, diagrams, and videos to understand and retain information.

Auditory learning: Auditory learners prefer to learn through hearing and listening to information, such as lectures, discussions, and podcasts.

Reading/Writing learning: This type of learning involves reading and writing to acquire and process information, such as textbooks, articles, and note-taking.

Kinesthetic learning: This type of learning involves physical activities and hands-on experiences, such as experiments, field trips, and role-playing exercises.

Below are specific study tips for each learning technique to help them revise.

Visual:

Create mind maps, flowcharts, or diagrams to help you understand concepts and information.

Use flashcards with images or diagrams to review information.

Watch educational videos or tutorials to reinforce concepts.

Use colored pens or highlighters to make notes and information stand out.

Use visual aids such as graphs, charts, and diagrams to compare and contrast information.

Auditory:

Record yourself reciting important information and listen to it while on the go. Use mnemonic devices such as acronyms, rhymes, or songs to remember information. Listen to educational podcasts or lectures to reinforce concepts.

Form study groups and discuss key topics with peers.

Record yourself asking and answering questions, then listen to the recording for practice.

Reading/Writing:

Use headings and bullet points to break down information into manageable chunks. Write out summaries and key points in your own words to reinforce understanding. Use sticky notes or bookmarks to mark important pages in textbooks.

Write practice essays or answers to questions to practice application of concepts.

Use color coding to organize and categorize information.

Kinesthetic:

Use flashcards or objects to create interactive guizzes and games.

Take regular breaks to engage in physical activities such as walking or stretching.

Use role-playing exercises to practice applying concepts.

Write notes by hand to help with retention and understanding.

Create physical models or diagrams to understand complex concepts.

WICH CYCLE HISTORY



REVISION TIMETABLE

36	REVISION TIMETABLE				
Week	Chapter	Exam Questions	Completed		
1	The Historian/ The Archaeologist Ancient Ireland				
2	Early Christian Ireland Ancient Rome				
3	The Middle Ages The Renaissance				
4	The Age of Exploration The Reformation				
5	The Irish Plantations The American/French Revolution				
6	The 1798 Rebellion Catholic Emancipation				
7	The Great Famine Sporting, Cultural, and Social Movements				
8	The Rise of Nationalism and Unionism The Struggle for Irish Independence				
9	World War I Life in Communist Russia				
10	Life in Fascist Italy/Nazi Germany World War II				
11	The Holocaust The Cold War				
12	The 1960s Women in 20th Century Ireland				
13	The Troubles in Northern Ireland The European Union/ The United Nations				
14	Patterns of Change				



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REVISION QUESTION CHECKLIST



Chapters To Revise	Short Qs	Long Qs
The Historian		
The Archaeologist		
Ancient Ireland (8,000 BC to AD 400)		
Early Christian Ireland (AD 400 to AD 795)		
Ancient Rome (735 BC to AD 476)		
The Middle Ages in Norman England (AD 476 to 1500)		
The Middle Ages in Norman Ireland (AD 795 to 1500)		
The Renaissance (1450 to 1650)		
The Age of Exploration and Conquest (1400 to 1650)		
The Reformation (1517 to 1650)		
The Irish Plantations (1500 to 1680)		
The American Revolution (1756 to 1783)		
The French Revolution (1756 to 1815)		
The 1798 United Irishmen Rebellion (1796 to 1801)		
Catholic Emancipation (1823 to 1848)		
The Industrial Revolution (1750 to 1900)		
The Great Irish Famine (1845 to 1851)		
Sporting, Cultural and Social Movements in 20th Century Ireland (1880 to 1916)		

"It does not matter how slowly you go as long as you do not stop."



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Chapters To Revise	Short Qs	Long Qs
The Rise of Nationalism and Unionism in Ireland (1884 to 1914)		
The Struggle for Irish Independence (1916 to 1923)		
World War I (1914 to 1918)		
Life in Communist Russia (1917 to 1939)		
Life in Fascist Italy (1920 to 1939)		
Life in Nazi Germany (1929 to 1939)		
World War II (1939 to 1945)		
The Holocaust (1939 to 1945)		
The Cold War (1945 to 1991)		
Ireland in the 1960s		
The US in the 1960s		
Women in 20th Century Ireland (1900 to 2023)		
The Troubles in Northern Ireland (1960 to 2007)		
The European Integration/The United Nations (1945 to 2023)		
Patterns of Change in Medicine		
Patterns of Change in Technology		
Patterns of Change in Crime and Punishment		

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https://tinyurl.com/JCHistory3rdYearYouTube

Quizlet Folders

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