

Access to H.E. National Programme Unit



Unit Title:	Studying History: An Introduction		
Graded Unit Code:	GA33HIS35	Ungraded Unit Code:	UA33HIS35
Pathway(s):	Humanities and Social Science		
Module(s):	History		
Level:	3	Credit Value:	3
Valid from:	1 st August 2014	Valid to:	31 st July 2024

The following QAA grade descriptors must be applied if you are delivering the graded version of this unit:

1	Understanding of the subject
2	Application of knowledge
5	Communication and presentation
7	Quality

LEARNING OUTCOMES	ASSESSMENT CRITERIA
The learner will:	The learner can:
1. Understand the key characteristics of historical study	1.1 Explain the key characteristics and aims of historical study
	1.2 Evaluate the extent to which individual or group perspectives can affect interpretations of historical events and issues
2. Understand the nature of a range of historical sources and their limitations	2.1 Explain the difference between primary and secondary historical sources
	2.2 Examine at least two secondary works, analysing them for strengths and weaknesses as historical sources
	2.3 Examine at least two primary sources, assessing their value to the historian