

Access to Higher Education Unit

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Unit Title: The Russian Revolutions of 1917

Graded Unit Reference Number: GA33HIS11

Ungraded Unit Reference Number: UA33HIS11

Module: History

Level: Three (3)

Credit Value: Three (3)

Minimum Guided Learning Hours: 30

Units barred for selection against this unit:

- The Russian Revolution and Stalin's Rise to Power (GA36HIS48 / UA36HIS48)

Learning Outcome (The Learner will):	Assessment Criterion (The Learner can):
1. Understand some of the factors leading to the decline and fall of Tsarist Russia	1.1 Explain the reasons for the conflict between autocracy and its opponents in the early twentieth century
2. Understand the causes and failure of the February Revolution	2.1 Analyse the factors leading to the February Revolution in Petrograd and the reasons for its failure
3. Understand some of the historical background to the October Revolution and of its immediate aftermath	3.1 Explain the reasons for the Bolshevik triumph in October 1917
	3.2 Evaluate the reasons for the crisis in Russia between 1918 and 1921