

BGE 3rd Year

Department: Social Subjects

BGE Course: Modern Studies

Brief Description of Course:

Pupils will cover 5 key units of study over S3

- The causes and responses to Terrorism in the 21st century
- The role of the media in Scotland
- Life in the United States of America
- Introduction to skills

Assessment Strategies:

There will be tasks designed to build up pupils ability to engage in extended writing

You are assessed on your day to day learning in the class through classwork, group and paired tasks and class discussions. Homework will also be assessed. There will be formal 'end of unit' assessments at the end of each topic

Pupil Commitment:

You should enjoy learning about the world around you just now. It is expected that pupils taking Modern Studies in S3 would have a good knowledge of current affairs. This is vital to developing a deep understanding.