

Induction to Year 12

British Prime Ministers independent learning project

Objective

To sharpen research skills and to be more familiar with two key British Prime Ministers within the period 1918 and 1997.

Task

The period 1918 and 1997 saw many significant Prime Ministers who made an impact on modern British history. In the A Level topic, *Britain Transformed, 1918-97*, you will need to know the key Prime Ministers, their policies and their impact as well as the important political and social developments within their term of office.

To achieve a good understanding of the *Britain Transformed, 1918-97* topic, it would be wise to begin reading around this area whilst embarking upon your Year 12 courses. Therefore, you need to undertake reading around the Prime Ministers –from each box below – and complete for each Prime Minister an introductory notes matrix which accompanies this document. The introductory notes matrix will include the areas which you need to research for Prime Ministers, which are –

- **Key positions and experience before becoming Prime Minister.**
- **Key social developments during the term of office.**
- **Key political developments during the term of office.**
- **The significance of the Prime Minister.**

You should choose your Prime Ministers from the boxes below – one from each box. You need to ensure you note which political party they represented.

David Lloyd George Stanley Baldwin Winston Churchill Margaret Thatcher	Neville Chamberlain Clement Attlee Harold Wilson Edward Heath

The notes are due: