

## **A Level History revision strategies**

### **Mindmaps**

Each section in the textbook is based around a question e.g 'What was the impact of confessions, trials and executions in the years 1590-91?'. Put these questions inside a mindmap and around the outside write down anything you know about the topic in green. Then use your textbook and notes and write down anything extra in red. The red pen will show what you *don't* know. This is something to revise.

For Britain and USA you could do a mindmap for each of the Prime Ministers and Presidents and around the outside write down any key events that happened during their time in charge, including developments in society, economics, politics and culture.

### **Flashcards**

Use flash cards to write short questions on one side and the answers on the other. Test yourself on these questions and used [spaced learning](#) to ensure you are revising efficiently.

### **Timelines**

Timelines are a good way to understand the chronology of the periods studied. It would be worth ensuring you know the order of Prime Ministers and Presidents!

### **Kahoot**

You could make Kahoots for each of the topics that we could share in class. Alternatively, search on Kahoot as there are already some quizzes for the units that we study.

### **Planning answers**

You could use the textbook to make a list of examination questions and plan what you would include in them. You don't need to write them out in full but plan exactly what you would include. To stretch yourself, write the conclusion and include some criteria in your judgement.

### **Gathering stats**

Specific knowledge is key. For each topic write down some key statistics on a post it note and stick it to your revision cards. Learn the statistics and try to include them in any plans you produce.

*For further guidance- speak to Mrs Rix via the school*