

Queen Margaret College
Year 13 History Programme 2019
Level 8 of the New Zealand Curriculum

Standard Number	Achievement Standard Title	Credits	Internal / External	Proposed assessment date
AS91434,3.1	Research an historical event or place of significance to New Zealanders, using primary and secondary sources	5	Internal	Term 2, Week 3
AS91435, 3.2	Analyse an historical event, or place, of significance to New Zealanders	5	Internal	Term 2, Week 8
AS91436, 3.3	Analyse evidence relating to an historical event of significance to New Zealanders	4	External	End of year examination
AS91437, 3.4	Analyse different perspectives of a contested event of significance to New Zealanders	5	Internal	Term 3, Week 9
AS91438, 3.5	Analyse the causes and consequences of a significant historical event	6	External	End of year examination

Course details

This course has five Achievement Standards. Together they give the opportunity to gain 25 credits towards NCEA Level Three. The content for the course centres on British imperialism - forces of change in multiple contexts and its impact on New Zealand.

We will also shape learning around the theme for 2019 NZ Scholarship examination.

Three Achievement Standards are assessed internally through independent research, communicating a report and an analysis of differing perspectives about a contested event. The analysis of sources and essay Achievement Standards are assessed through the end of year external examination, which is administered by NZQA. The content for the external standard centres on imperialism and analysis of sources. There is also an optional New Zealand Scholarship examination for motivated students to attempt during the NCEA examination period. Special tutorials will be run for students aiming for Scholarship at different times throughout the year.

Homework expectations

Your daughter should be learning at home for a total of at least 15 hours per week, across all subjects.

To achieve at a high level in this subject, students are expected to complete some homework during the week. Homework might include:

- Research for internal assessments
- Completion of unfinished class activities
- Extra readings on Mag.net and submission of practice essays