

End of Year exam 2026 revision guidance

What to expect:

- You will be given a full Paper 3: Weimar and Nazi Germany exam (1 hour 30 minutes)
- This includes:
 - Q1. Inference question [4]
 - Q2. Explain why question [12]
 - Q3a. How useful are sources B and C for an enquiry into... [8]
 - Q3b. What is the main difference between Interpretation 1 and 2? [4]
 - Q3c. Why do the interpretations give different views? [4]
 - Q3d. How far do you agree with Interpretation 2 about... [20]

Topics to revise:

1. Challenges facing the Weimar Republic from 1918-23, including: the Armistice, the Dolchstoß theory, the Treaty of Versailles, political uprisings, French invasion of the Ruhr, hyperinflation.
2. The early growth of the Nazi Party, 1920-23.
3. The reasons for growing support of the Nazi Party, 1929-32, including: the Wall St. Crash, high unemployment, Hitler's leadership, strength of the SA, financial support, effective campaigning, weaknesses of the Weimar Republic, Nazi propaganda, etc.

Resources to help with revision:

Your class teacher will soon be distributing the revision guides for Paper 3: Weimar and Nazi Germany

In addition to the revision guide, you may also find the following websites useful:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z9y64j6/revision/3>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z3bp82p/revision/1>

Ways to revise:

Speak with your class teacher about useful revision tips. The following activities will also be useful:

- Creating flash cards for key terms / events then self-quizzing with them
- Creating mindmaps (eg. Outlining the different challenges facing the Weimar Republic)
- Writing low stakes (eg. true or false) questions then self-quizzing with them
- Planning exam answers (speak to your teacher for guidance)
- Writing exam answers (speak with your teacher for guidance)