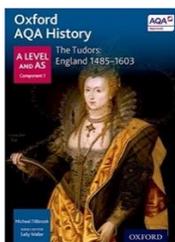


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Recommended Wider Reading

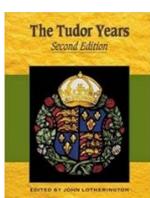
All students will be provided access to the Oxford AQA History textbook, however to achieve the higher grades it is recommended that they supplement this with further reading of at least one additional book. There is short loan access to these additional books in the Academy library, however these are cheaply available for purchase second hand online.



Oxford AQA History for A Level: The Tudors: England 1485

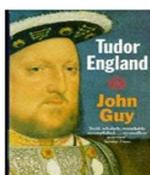
Michael Tillbrook (Author), Sally Waller (Series Editor)

The core textbook for the course, this provides the basic factual information required by students as well as practice questions; This book is written by the current Chief Examiner. ***This book is available on 2 year loan for all students from the Academy library for the duration of their course.***



The Tudor Years (1st or 2nd Edition) John Lotherington

An easy to access and well organised book, The Tudor Years provides readers with more in depth discussion points and a wider understanding of differing historical views. The book is organised into small chapters with focus on essential turning points key to the course. As such this book is highly recommended for all students to help achieve higher level thinking.



Tudor England John Guy

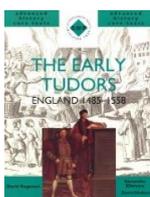
Guy provides a very detailed academic discussion of the broader Tudor period. This book is aimed towards university level readers and as such does not always follow directly the course structure. Students should only use the Tudor Years in conjunction with other wider reading and is ideally recommended for students targeting a Grade A* .



Flagship History – England 1485–1603: A-level

Derrick Murphy and Allan Keen

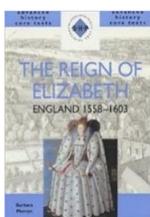
This book covers the entirety of the Tudor reign, providing a comprehensive description of all the key areas of the course. The use of timelines, extracts and detailed discussion will assist students in developing a detailed understanding of the key topic areas.



The Early Tudors: England 1485-1558 (SHP Advanced History Core Texts)

David Hudson and David Rogerson

The Early Tudors covers Henry VII to Mary I, the majority of the course, and is aimed at A-Level students. This book uses diagrams, maps and illustrations to further explain the key events and issues of the course.



The Reign of Elizabeth: England 1558-1603 (SHP Advanced History Core Texts)

Barbara Mervyn

The Reign of Elizabeth is from the same publishers as The Early Tudors book, and as such is almost identical in style. Combined the two books cover the entirety of the Tudor dynasty.



Access To History: Edward VI and Mary - A Mid-Tudor Crisis? (1st or 2nd edition)

Nigel Heard

A small easy to access book aimed at A-Level students, this is a perfect accompaniment to the Edward & Mary element of the course. Heard offers high level discussion points about changing social structures and the level of support for religious changes.