

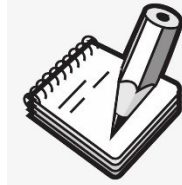
# Step into Sixth Form

Bridging the Gap from Year 11 to Sixth Form

## Bridging work Politics

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Remember, as an independent learner you should still be taking notes and keeping your work in an organised fashion. Don't stop exploring ideas and additional themes around the topics, just because you now have set tasks that will be submitted for assessment.

The purpose of these Bridging tasks is to spark your continued interest in the subject, develop your knowledge and prepare you for a flying start in September, enjoy them!

Note the submission dates and method for every subject.

Skills	Compulsory Tasks	Outcome	Assessment method	Submission date	Feedback form
<p>Reading</p>	<p><b>Part 1: A politics/current affairs journal.</b></p>	<p><b>To begin raising your awareness of political developments and current affairs.</b> Your journal could be electronic or on paper. Keep a record of important developments in UK and US politics and annotate why they are important. You should use sources of information such as those given out on the Taster Day. You should also sign up to weekly updates from Navigate Politics <a href="#">Weekly Roundup</a> and Politics Explained <a href="#">Free Resources</a></p>	Independent research skills	<b>First lesson in September</b>	Review and discussion in September Teacher feedback.
<p>Internet Research</p> <p>Accurate writing</p>	<p><b>Part 2:</b> How has the UK political system developed?</p>	<p><b>Read the excerpt carefully and use it to answer the questions as fully as you can. You can set this out as you wish</b></p>	Key definitions; independent thinking.	<b>First lesson in September</b>	Teacher feedback.
<p>Completing work by the deadline</p>	<p><b>Part 3:</b> Should the voting age have been lowered to 16?</p>	<p><b>To use sources and research to come to a reasoned judgement.</b></p>	Research; source skills; forming an	<b>First lesson in September</b>	Teacher feedback; in class discussion