

# WJEC Government & Politics

## Winter Newsletter 2019

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# 1. GCE AS and A Level Government & Politics

## Welcome

Dear all,

I hope you all had a fantastic break over Christmas and that you're feeling refreshed for the year ahead. It was great to see so many of you at our CPD sessions in November. For those of you that were unable to attend please read on to see how you can access the CPD materials.

I hope you find this newsletter useful in planning for the year ahead. As always if you have any questions please do not hesitate to get in touch!

All the best

Rachel

## Resources

As well as the CPD resources that we have developed for you there are now two A2 resources available on our website:



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The Political concepts and theories resource and the Government and politics of the USA resource is a series of units to support the teaching of Unit 3 and Unit 4. The resources include units that offer detailed guidance for teachers, worksheets and interactive activities. Teachers can decide how best to use the resources to ensure they meet their learner's needs.

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Why not bookmark our [qualifications page](#) to keep up to date with new resources?

You can also take a look at our [Online Exam Review](#) on the WJEC website. Our OER is an innovative, interactive tool designed to help teachers improve standards in the classroom and I know a lot of you were excited to use it in your classrooms after seeing it demonstrated at CPD.

## CPD

Thank you for all the positive feedback we received from our recent CPD events. For those of you that were unable to attend you are able to access all our materials from the [training materials](#) section of our website.

## 2. Secure Website

The WJEC [Secure Website](#) provides access to a range of resources including circulars, past papers and marking schemes. We also have a wide range of marked sample answers for AS and A Level/A2 Government and Politics on this site. The site has recently had a makeover so if you are looking for any Government and Politics related materials once you have logged in click on resources, then go to Subject specific resource material. Here you will be able to select Government and Politics from the subject drop-down menu.

The Secure Website can be accessed by authorised staff at centres that work with WJEC. If your centre is not registered, please ask your exams officer to email [securewebsite@wjec.co.uk](mailto:securewebsite@wjec.co.uk) stating centre number, centre name, contact name and contact email address. Your exams officer can give you access to the secure website.

## 3. Email Updates

Encourage your colleagues to sign up for Government & Politics updates and be kept informed of the latest developments and important information. Visit our website to subscribe.

## 4. Teacher Network

This forum has been created for teachers delivering WJEC Government & Politics. This network is an online hub for teachers to share ideas, advice, resources and best practice. It also facilitates collaborative working with Government & Politics teachers across the country.

[Join the forum today.](#)

## 5. Useful Contacts

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to get in touch with our dedicated team.

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