

LEARNING JOURNEY HISTORY



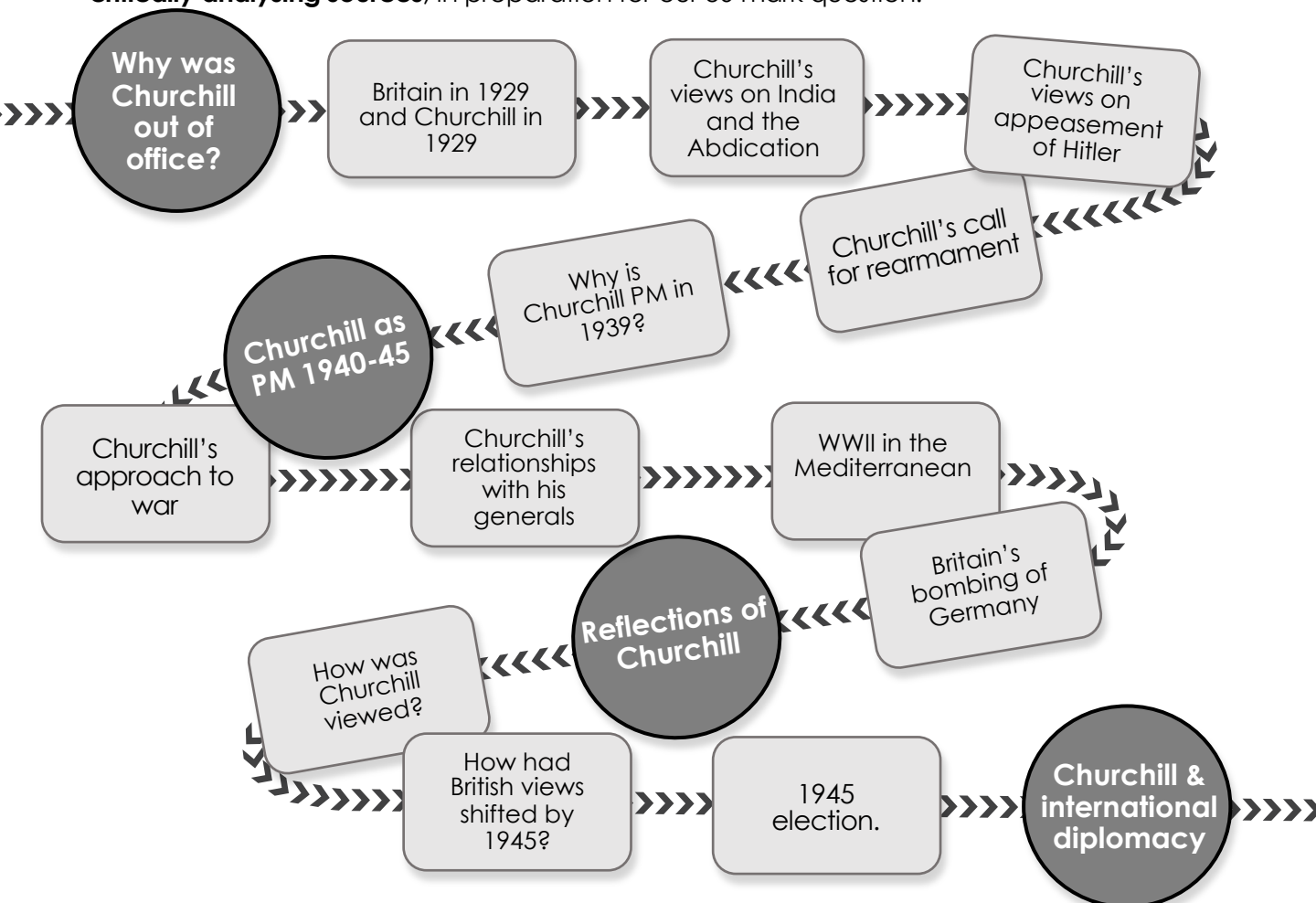
OCR Y113: Britain 1930-1997

Autumn Term

1930-1951: Winston Churchill case study:

Firstly, we will explore ways to answer our key question: why Churchill was out of office for so long throughout the 1930s? We will explore the key events and issues of the decade so that we can effectively answer our key question. You are going to develop your knowledge of the **causes** of Churchill's isolation, as well as the views he holds on **India, Hitler, rearmament**, and **the abdication crisis**. We will then reach a **concluding judgement** on why Churchill remained on the backbenches in the 1930s and whether it was reasonable or not.

During this process you will develop your understanding of what it means to be a **historian**, including the different **skills** and **processes** involved. The main skill for this half-term will be **critically analysing sources**, in preparation for our 30 mark question.



PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT: You will investigate the role of Churchill as a backbencher (1929-39) and then as a member of the government (1939-45), as PM from May 1940. You will get a grasp of Churchill's behaviour, personal views and political ambitions as well as how he is viewed by MPs from all parties, the British public and the world.

HISTORY VOCABULARY: hegemonic power, British Empire, dominions, abdication, Pax Britannica.

SKILLS VOCABULARY: consistent analysis, judgements on sources and cause and consequence.