

Politics

Please complete one line from the task list below. All students must complete the middle task:

Create your own political party. This should come with a <u>manifesto</u> of at least <u>5</u> key policies for Britain.	Create an <u>opinion poll</u> on key political questions using at least 25 people.	Write an email to your MP about a current affairs issue that is important to you. Bring in any reply you get, annotated with your responses.
Create a 2 page statistical report on the results of the 2017 General Election.*	Write a 500 word report about why you believe studying Politics matters.	Create a profile of a current figurehead for one of the following ideologies: Liberalism, Conservatism, Socialism, Nationalism.
Design a debate question and answer it (300 word limit). Use one of the following topics: House of Lords, Referendums, MPs.	<u>Record</u> a short news bulletin on what you believe is the most important political event in the UK for the past 50 years.	Design 5 Top Trump style cards of various politicians. You can choose your categories for debate and your individuals.

Suggested book/reading list:

- McNaughton, N., Political ideas for A Level: Liberalism, Conservatism, Socialism, Nationalism, Multiculturalism, Ecologism (Hodder, 2017)
- Fairclough, P., UK Government and Politics for AS/A-level (Hodder, 2017)
- Bennett, A., US Government and Politics for A-level Fifth Edition (Hodder, 2017)
- Kelly, P., The Politics Book (DK, 2013).
- Knight, J., British Politics for Dummies (J. Wiley &Sons, 2010).

* Use these websites to help with your report:

http://www.insider.co.uk/special-reports/stats-behind-general-election-result-10590057 https://yougov.co.uk/news/2017/06/13/how-britain-voted-2017-general-election/