

# Master classes 2018 – Choose what you learn

## Years 9 – 11

Monday Week Bs  
Feb 5<sup>th</sup>, Feb 26<sup>th</sup> Mar 12<sup>th</sup>  
Starts 12.40pm

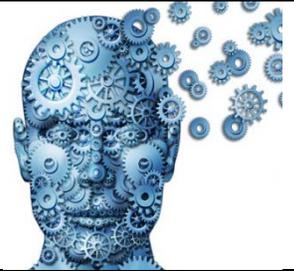
Tuesday Week As  
Feb 20<sup>th</sup>, Mar 6<sup>th</sup>, Mar 20<sup>th</sup>  
Starts 12.40pm



**Law and Human Rights**  
*Mr Lake*  
M205

**Psychology**

*Ms Grobler and sixth-form*  
M108



**Origins of the Vietnam War**

*Ms Wolfson*  
H212

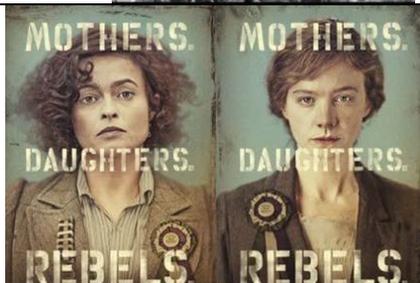


**Theory of Warfare**

*Mr Hall*  
G117

**Exploring Feminism**

*Miss Sassoon*  
Z202



**History of Art**

*Mrs Macdonald*  
B210



**Relativizing the Holocaust**

*Mr Davenport*  
M210



**Best of TED**

*Sixth-form*  
Z202



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- ❖ Each course lasts three sessions (once a fortnight)
- ❖ Up to you if you want to do two courses or just one.
  - ❖ Sign up outside Geography Office or LRC
- ❖ Official Deadline: **Monday 29th January** but first come first serve for places
  - ❖ Any questions? – Miss Sassoon is available in the Geography Office.

**Disclaimer:** 'No Shows' will be banned from future curriculum enrichment events including Model UN. So do check your availability before signing up. Our presenters are generously giving of their time and it is important that we respect that.

## Course descriptions

**History of Art:** -‘This course is for you if you are interested in typically misunderstood genres in Art. ‘The first session will look at Conceptual Art: ‘How can that load of old bricks be Art?’ The second - Abstract Expressionism: ‘I could have painted that splodge of paint myself’ and the third - Symbolism in Art: ‘What’s so interesting about a painting of two people in a room?’

**Exploring Feminism:** This course is for you if you are interested in the role of women in society. The first session will look at the three ‘waves’ of feminist thinking in the 20<sup>th</sup> century; the second will look at studies in masculinity and the third will explore the role gender around the world.

**Relativizing the Holocaust** – This course aims to examine the various ways in which European countries have attempted to downplay or relativize the meaning of the Holocaust. The first session will explore how post-1945 there was an attempt to compare Nazism with repression in the Soviet Union and to minimise public discussion on the Genocide. The second session will explore how, since the 1990s, regional civil wars in Croatia and Rwanda have been presented as ‘another’ Holocaust. The third session will examine how the promiscuous use of ‘Holocausts’ has contributed to a new wave of Anti-Semitism.

**Law and Human Rights:** This course is for you if you are interested in learning about the theory and practice of law. The first session will consider Human Rights Law following the Holocaust, the second session will ask the question ‘What is Tort Law?’ and the third session will look at a variety of interesting and amusing Criminal Law cases.

**Psychology:** This course is for you if you are interested in learning about what makes us behave the way we do. Year 13 Psychology students will be running some interactive activities during some of the sessions. The first session will look at how the brain influences behaviour as well as differences between males and female. The second will look at non-verbal behaviour, with a focus on lying. The last session will look at IQ, the origins of IQ and some common misconceptions.

**Best of Ted:** This course is for you if you enjoy learning about something new each time. TED is a world-wide educational movement where people give short lectures on a theme. Each week a different sixth form presenter will give an inspirational and interesting talk on a topic of their choice. Of course there will be plenty of time for Q&A.

**The Origins of the Vietnam Conflict:** This course is for you if you are interested in modern conflict and its origins. The first session will look at ‘why Vietnam?’ what was significant about this country and region of the world. The second will look at the origins of the conflict and the third will explore post WWII problems and the domino theory.

**Theory of Warfare:** This course is for those that are interested in a whirlwind tour of some of the strategies which have underpinned military thinking since the dawn of warfare.