

History Resources

Researching your family tree

All you need to know about finding out about you, is here!

<http://www.dublincity.ie/main-menu-services-recreation-culture-dublin-city-public-libraries-and-archive-heritage-and-histo-65>

<https://www.irishgenealogy.ie/en/>

<https://www.nationalarchives.ie/historical-records/getting-started-with-archival-research/>

<http://www.census.nationalarchives.ie/>

<http://www.militaryarchives.ie/en/home/>

Preparing for the RSR

Some useful online resources which will help you prepare for your Research Study

[Presentation by Trevor Connolly, History Teacher, Moyle Park College](#)

[Supporting Leaving Certificate History](#)

A student guide to the RSR prepared by the History In Service team.

Guide to the Research Study Report

This page brings together all the material prepared by the HIST team to support both students and teachers in the planning and preparation of the Research Study Report.

State Examinations Commission

RSR marking indicators are included here in the LC History scheme

625 Points

Sample essays and other useful content

Chief Examiner's Report

Don't repeat the same mistakes! This report has useful advice on how to avoid the most common ones.

Creating a proper Bibliography

A life lesson.

General

History and Politics Out Loud

Searchable archive of historically and politically significant speeches.

Active History

Quite a useful site. Create an account and then access the information you need.

British Cartoon Archive

British Cartoon Archive was set up to collect and preserve British cartoons of social and political comment, and make them freely available for study.

The History Channel

Has a really interesting 'This day in history' page.

History Today Archive

Searchable archive of history topics.

Napoleonic Times

Everything you ever wanted to know about Napoleon and his era.

The Imperial War Museum

Great site. Go to the 'Learning' tab for brilliant free downloadable resources.

UK National Archives

A good jump-off point for topics and very easy to use.

The US Holocaust museum

Fantastic source of information on the Holocaust. Go to the 'education' page and 'outreach' page and browse through the topics available. Also, visit: <http://www.ushmm.org/outreach/en/>

A Teacher's Guide to the Holocaust

Excellent general site for information on the Holocaust.

World War One

Trenches on the web. As the site says "information on the people, places, and events that comprised one of the worst calamities of modern history". Worth a visit.

The War Times Journal

Amazing site which addresses different wars through the last 200 years. Features include eyewitness accounts, memoirs, newspaper articles and some fantastic photographs.

[PBS World War One](#)

Another interesting site dedicated to the First World War. The Cold War

[The Cold War](#)

Timelines of events from the 1940s to 1990s

[Irish History](#)

[Irish Independence Film Collection](#)

Please click above for rare film footage of key events in Irish History that took place during 1900-1930.

[CELT](#)

Lots of contemporary and historical documents.

[History Ireland Magazine](#)

Website of History Ireland magazine. Searchable archive

[The 1911 Census](#)

This site gives you tons of information about the Census of 1911

[Ask About Ireland](#)

You can find information, documents and photos from Public Libraries, Museums and Archives from this site.

[Irish Statute Book](#)

Irish Legislation for the period 1922 -2003 and other useful information.

[Multitext Project](#)

UCC site that claims "It is the largest and most ambitious project undertaken by any university to provide resources for students of Modern Irish History at all levels". Pretty good.

[Women in Irish History](#)

This research guide outlines the procedure to locate sources for researching women's history which are contained in the department of manuscripts and provides a brief description and contextual background of relevant collections.

[Women in Irish History Project](#)

Very useful for researching Women in Irish History with links to other excellent resources.

Women's History Project

The work of the Women's History Project is to survey and list sources relevant to the history of women in Ireland. Two major databases have been and both are available for online searching.

Northern Ireland

CAIN

The CAIN (Conflict Archive on the INternet) site contains information and source material on 'the Troubles' and politics in Northern Ireland from 1968 to the present.

NI Politics and Society

Great information, including documentary and interview links, from Mount Temple.

Northern Ireland

BBC News – Understanding Northern Ireland

BBC News On line's in-depth guide to the causes of conflict in Northern Ireland.

Northern Ireland Timeline

From the Guardian, this is a sort of Timeline of Northern Irish history from 1916 to 1999.

Northern Ireland and World War 2

The Blitz in Belfast

Background and context of the Belfast Blitz during WW2

Sunningdale Agreement

Support notes on Case Study 1 prepared by the PDST history support team.

History Ireland Article on the 1974 Ulster Workers Council Strike

Coleraine

History Ireland article on Coleraine College and the Lockwood report

Support notes on Case Study 2 by the History Support Team

Apprentice Boys of Derry

Support notes on Case Study 3 by the History Support Team

[Sample Essay from 625](#)

USA

Montgomery Bus Boycott

[Case Studies](#)

[Introduction to the series of documents page](#)

[Newspaper clippings, articles, headlines, images, and other primary sources](#)

[Sample Essays](#)

[Useful overview and links](#)

[Stanford University's rundown of events](#)