

Studying History at St Anne's College

If you are offered a place to study History at St Anne's you will study 4 courses across an academic year. This consists of one course in each of the three terms, and a fourth course taught over two terms. Students are taught through a mixture of tutorials, classes and lectures and tutorials and the individual feedback these entail are the foundation of history teaching in Oxford.

Your four courses might include the following –

- **British History**

A survey course encompassing some period in British history from early Medieval times to the present.

- depending on your background and interest you may express a preference for a first year course or for a second or third year course.

- **Global History**

A similar course in global history, either in relation to a specific period, or in relation to a particular theme studied over a longer period of time.

- depending on your background and interest you may express a preference for a first year course or for a second or third year course.

- **Two other courses** which might include -

- an introduction to historiography - courses in historical methods, options found here
- a document-based course - courses in primary texts and documents, options here and here
- a custom designed course in a specialist subjects, options here

please note Specialist subjects are usually only available to students with a deep knowledge of their chosen area already and where suitable supervision is available. A student would probably not be able to study more than one of these subjects during their year at Oxford.

Please note the following –

- All courses are dependent on a student possessing the appropriate academic background, as deemed by St Anne's tutors, and having fulfilled any required or necessary prerequisites.
- We cannot ever guarantee a particular course can be offered in any particular year, courses are always subject to change.
- That visiting students do not sit University examinations so your assessment methods will be based on your tutorials, essays etc. to be set by your Tutor at the commencement of the course.