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# History

## Homework Booklet



### Year 10

#### Term 4: Soviet economic and social changes

Homework 1	Learn keywords	Due date:	Completed?
Homework 2	Exam Skills	Due date:	Completed?
Homework 3	Prepare for knowledge test	Due date:	Completed?

# History Homework Tasks Term 5

**Homework 1** - Learn the keywords below for a mini test at the start of next lesson. You could read through the words, write them out, create a match up activity or get someone to test you.

Keyword	Definition
Collectivisation	The taking over of peasant farms by the state in the early 1930s, a collective farm was known as a Kolkhoz.
Agriculture	The business of farming.
Hoarded	Kept in storage, rather than selling a product.
Kulak	Rich Russian peasant
Famine	Extreme lack of food leading to death by starvation
Five-Year Plans	From 1928-41 there were three FYP which increased industry in the Soviet Union and focused on 'heavy industry' like coal and steel.
Stakhanovites Movement	A propaganda agenda that used the story about Alexei Stakhanov mining 14 times his quota of coal to increase the amount of work completed by Soviet workers
Magnitogorsk	Steel works which was built from nothing, it was one of the biggest in the world and produced most of the Soviet Unions steel
Gosplan	Was the State Planning Committee who set targets for factories to produce a certain amount of products.
Mechanisation	The introduction of machine into a certain part of the economy i.e. tractors into farming.

**Homework 2** – Exam practice questions:

**Answer the two 12 markers, try to support your answer with 2-3 PEEL paragraphs**

Explain how the Five-Year Plans improved the Soviet industry

You may use the following:

- Output increased in heavy industry i.e. steel and coal increased
- The Stakhanovite Movement

Explain why Collectivisation failed to improve Soviet farming

You may use the following:

- Grain production went down and led to famine
- Peasant opposition

**Homework 3** — Revise and prepare for your end of topic assessment using Seneca and other online resources such as BBC Bitesize.

Use the knowledge organisers and online websites to revise the following topics below are a few ways you could prepare:

**Topics to Revise:**

The Collectivisation of Soviet agriculture – the causes – the methods – successes/failures

The changes to Soviet industry – the reasons for the Five-Year Plans

Stakhanovite Movement

The successes and failures of the FYPs

**Resources to use:**

Knowledge Organisers

Seneca

BBC Bitesize

Revision Guides and Textbooks (on Teams)

**Revision strategies:**

Mind Map the topic

Create revision cards for parts of a topic

Create a set of flashcards to quiz a certain area

Practice exam style questions from the text book (on TEAMS)

Russia Topic 4:  
Economic and  
Social  
changes,  
1924-41

