

History (Including History for History and Modern Language and History for History and Politics)

The History Admissions Assessment will be taken via the assessment Moodle platform. You may take the assessment at your home or school – whichever environment feels the most comfortable to you and has the most reliable internet connection. The assessment will not be invigilated.

You have **60 minutes** to complete the assessment, an additional 30 minutes is provided to allow you to download the assessment paper and upload your completed response. If you have been granted extra time to complete the assessment, then please refer to the timing provided to you by the College assessing your application.

During the assessment you will be required to read two passages of text and then answer a related question. The point of this task is to explore your ability to handle historical evidence and how you work with it. It is not designed as a test of knowledge so no previous knowledge is expected, required or rewarded.

Your submission must be entirely your own work. We are interested in how you think and write, your ideas, and your interests. You must include a list of works and sources consulted and/or cited at the end of your submission.

The use of Generative AI programmes, such as ChatGPT, is very strongly discouraged. We have not found AI-generated answers to be helpful, original or insightful. Any use of AI must be declared, making it clear what tool(s) were used and in which ways. Answers will be checked for academic integrity, including plagiarism and the undeclared use of artificial intelligence; this will include where passages have been produced by AI and manually rewritten. Breaches of academic integrity are taken seriously and will invalidate your application.

Answers should be typed in a format readable in MS Word and the use of word-processing apps is permitted. There is no word limit, but markers will reward quality over quantity.

It is essential that you include your name and UCAS Personal ID number at the top of any document uploaded and that **you save your answer with the file name: UCAS number_College_Surname_First Name**.

If you experience any difficulty during the assessment, either technical or personal, you should report this as soon as possible via assessment@admin.cam.ac.uk for taking into proper consideration.