SAMPLE ASSESSMENT OUTLINE

MODERN HISTORY
GENERAL YEAR 11

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Modern History – General Year 11

Unit 1 – People, place and time (Elective: Charles Perkins, Eddie Mabo, Faith Bandler and others: Aboriginal advancement since the 1950s to the Apology)

Unit 2 – Power and authority (Elective: Authoritarian state: Tokugawa Japan)

Assessment type	Assessment type weighting	Assessment task weighting	When/start and submission date	Assessment task
Historical inquiry	30% (Authority weighting 20–30%)	15%	Semester 1 Weeks 5–6	Task 2 Part A: Topic: Investigation of a key event and/or person in the 1960s which acted as an agent for change Task 2 Part B: Class presentation of inquiry findings
		15%	Semester 2 Weeks 7–10	Task 6 Part A: Topic: Investigation into the challenges of isolation in Tokugawa Japan Task 6 Part B: Annotated poster display
Explanation	20% (Authority weighting 20–30%)	10%	Semester 1 Week 3	Task 1: In-class scaffolded essay based on the content related to elements of Australian society in the 1950s
		10%	Semester 2 Week 6	Task 5: Extended response to a series of questions related to early Tokugawa Japan
Source analysis	30% (Authority weighting 20–30%)	15%	Semester 1 Week 13	Task 3: In-class, teacher-generated source analysis, using sources based on content related to Aboriginal advancement from the 1990s to 2008
		15%	Semester 2 Week 9	Task 7: In-class, teacher-generated source analysis, using sources based on content related to the decline of the Shogunate
Test	20% (Authority weighting 20–30%)	10%	Semester 1 Week 16	Task 4: In-class test comprising short and extended answers and closed and open questions based on the content from Unit 1
		10%	Semester 2 Week 16	Task 8: In-class test comprising short and extended answers and closed and open questions based on content from Unit 2
Total	100%	100%		