

Government & Politics Summer

Homework

Component 1 – UK Politics and Core Political Ideas

Find out how UK General Elections work

Write a mini essay – one side of A4

- Research the election method used for UK General Elections. What is the name applied to this style of election?
- What are the advantages of the electoral system we use
- What are the disadvantages of the electoral system we use
- Link the advantages and disadvantages of our electoral system to the General Election on June 8th 2017.

Component 2 – UK Government & Optional Political Ideas

Find a list of who's in the current cabinet.

Find out:

Names, job titles, age, gender, education

Write a mini essay – one side of A4:

What does the current cabinet show about how they represent the UK's population?

Consider:

- What does representation mean?
- Do the members represent the UK population?
- Why/why not?