Liverpool John Moores University

Title: POLITICS 3 (MODERN BRITISH POLITICS)

Status: Definitive

Code: **3005BELLA** (101148)

Version Start Date: 01-08-2011

Owning School/Faculty: Arts, Professional and Social Studies

Teaching School/Faculty: Bellerby's College - Brighton

Team	Leader
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Academic Credit Total

Level: FHEQ3 Value: 12.00 Delivered 68.00

52

Hours:

Total Private Learning 120 Study:

Hours:

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Standard Year Long

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	66.000

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Exam	AS1	Module Examination	100.0	2.00

Aims

The third topic of the Politics Foundation course looks at a number of current issues of significance to contemporary British Politics.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Describe a number of issues in British Politics.
- 2 Explain their significance to Britain today.

- Write well-prepared and coherently argued essays on these topics.
- 4 Recall relevant information and deploy it effectively under test and/or examination conditions.

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

The assessment item list is assessed via the learning outcomes listed:

EXAM 1 2 3 4

Outline Syllabus

- 1. Voting behaviour in recent General Elections
- 2. Impact of Trade Unions in the political process
- 3. Constitutional reform
- 4. Civil Liberties
- 5. Race Relations
- 6. Women's Rights

Learning Activities

Interactive lessons to small classes, regular formative homework assignments, class tests and terminal module examinations.

References

Course Material	Book
Author	Roberts R et al
Publishing Year	1999
Title	British Politics in Focus
Subtitle	
Edition	2nd Edition
Publisher	Causeway Press
ISBN	9781873929933

Notes

The module gives students an opportunity to deepen their knowledge of issues in British Politics and to develop their research and written skills in investigating these and writing up their findings in coherent, well-expressed, academic essays.

Formative assessment continues in this module through regular setting of homework assignments and class tests. Summative assessment is through examination only.