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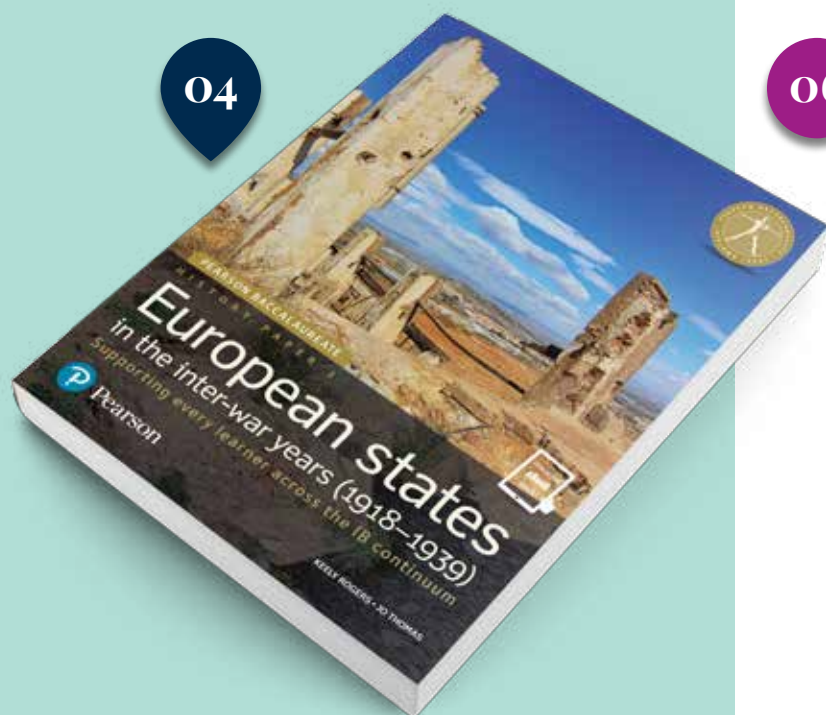
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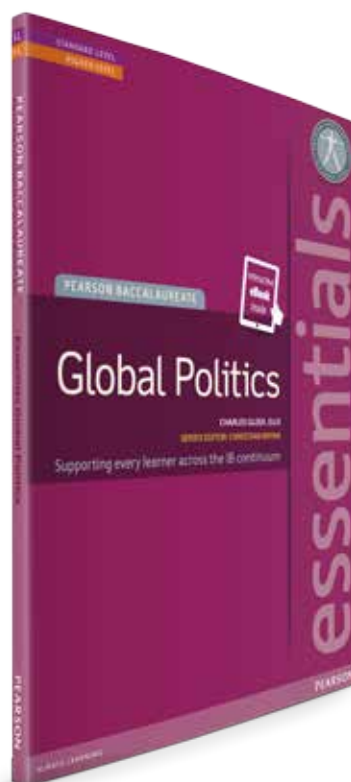
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## Welcome!

Last year saw us commission our 37<sup>th</sup> IB Diploma title. The majority are in our popular Pearson BaccaLaureate series which is complemented by recent new titles in the Essentials series. Together these two series support learning and teaching for the Diploma and the new Career-related Programme.

We have been updating the Extended Essay sections of our resources and spending time meeting teachers from around the world at conferences and in the classroom. This contact is always inspiring for us and is our most important source of feedback. We are also very grateful to the fabulous response from IB Historians who contributed to the survey on your Paper 3 needs – we are excited to share what has emerged on page 4.

This year we are also expanding our free resources to support interdisciplinary learning with the IB programmes. See page 7 for more details and plenty of engaging ideas: ideas which support everything from individual projects to whole-school learning.

The educational world is ever changing and next year we will be publishing for the new Psychology Guide and working on early stages of the Diploma Maths review. We are also considering how our two series can continue supporting new directions and new needs at the same time as offering all the 'old favourite' classic textbook components.

We'd love to hear from you with any comments or ideas at [globalschools@pearson.com](mailto:globalschools@pearson.com)

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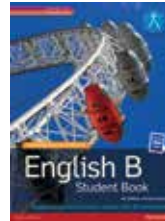
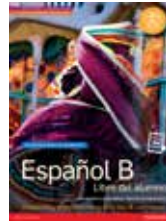
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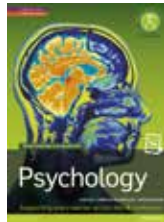
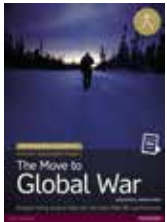
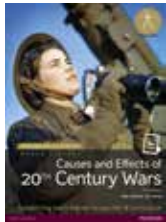
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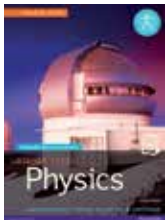
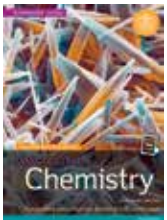
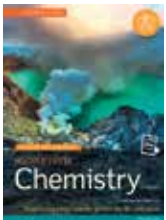
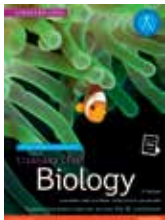


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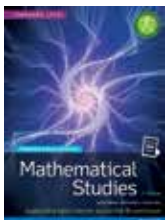
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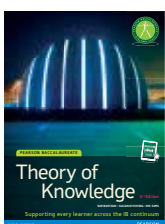
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“ This is a superb supporting textbook for the TOK course. It is comprehensive and deep, within reach of students without compromising on high level thinking ... students seeking to imitate this approach are almost sure of succeeding in the course.. ”

TOK Teacher, American School of Paris, France

## Core Curriculum



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# Pearson Baccalaureate for the International Baccalaureate® Diploma

Supporting every learner across the IB continuum

The **Pearson Baccalaureate** series provides everything you need to teach and study the IB Diploma, offering textbooks, eTexts and additional online support materials. Each book in the series provides comprehensive subject guide coverage, including any Options material for the most up-to-date syllabus.

**Dozens of textbooks and eTexts**, covering six subject groups packed with additional digital material provide support for teachers and students at each level.

**Written by experienced IB teachers**, workshop leaders and examiners, meaning you can rest assured that the need-to-know content will be covered properly and clearly.

**Clear links to ToK** throughout each book, as well as advice on the Internal Assessment and Extended Essay.

**Packed full of exam-style assessment** using questions from past papers, as well as guidance from subject experts and examiners for exam preparation and practice.

**Supported by Essentials guides** – the only EAL-specific IB Diploma support available.



# Putting historiography back into History

**Keely Rogers and Joanna Thomas**, IB History teachers and co-authors of Pearson Bacculaureate's two new History Paper 3 titles, outline how it offers students fresh historical perspectives on a popular Paper 3 topic

Pearson Bacculaureate Diploma History textbooks already provide support for Papers 1 and 2 of the new History curriculum. Now our latest title, **European states in the inter-war years (1918-1939)**, is our first textbook to offer support for Paper 3.

Pearson received an overwhelmingly positive response to this venture from teachers, with our survey on the subject receiving responses from 47 different countries. From this research, 'European states in the inter-war years (1918-1939)' emerged as the most popular topic amongst teachers and as such will be the first title in this exciting development for Pearson Bacculaureate's History list.

This research also revealed that the most consistent request amongst students and teachers alike was for textbooks that covered historiography, by offering varied perspectives, opposing viewpoints, and historical debate.

Our brand new feature 'Historians' Perspectives' provides this, offering students an insight into different historians' opinions and sometimes opposing contemporary opinion on a historical event, action or period in time. Students will often be asked to identify evidence to support different perspectives, to consider the reasons why sometimes contemporaries and historians have drawn different conclusions and to reflect on the similarities and differences between historians' views and their own perspectives.

## How will the new Pearson Bacculaureate History textbook provide support for Paper 3?

**European states in the inter-war years (1918-1939)** is written to specifically match the International Bacculaureate 2015 History curriculum. It follows the outline of content as prescribed by the IB for this topic. Thus the domestic policies of Germany, Italy, and Spain for this period are covered in depth. For the additional case study we have chosen to cover the Soviet Union, as policies and events within this country are key to the dynamics of Europe in the inter-war period.

The book will equip students with the knowledge and skills

that they need to successfully answer the essay questions on Paper 3. Throughout the book we also focus on and develop the six key concepts that have particular prominence in the Diploma History course: change, continuity, causation, consequence, significance, and perspectives. Each chapter will identify the key concepts covered within it.

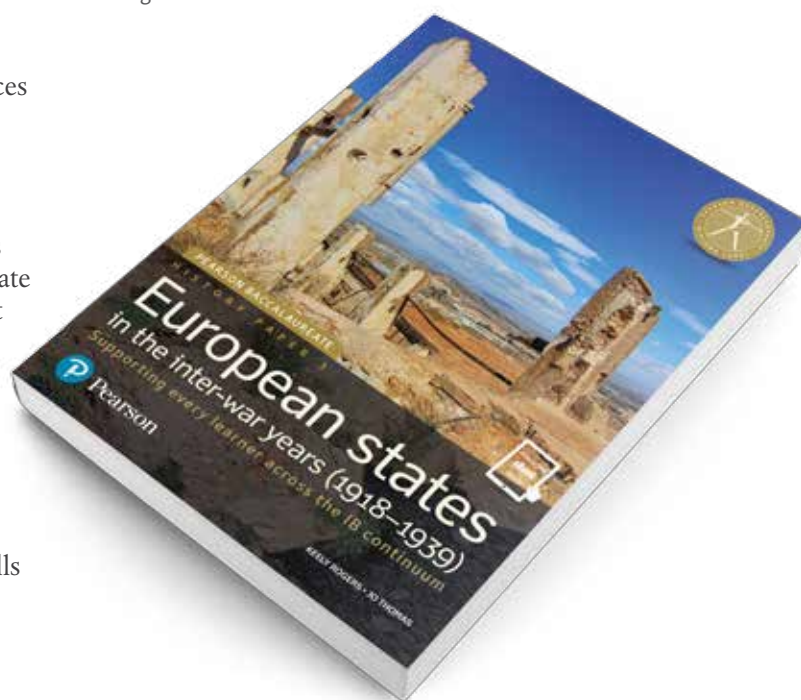
## Interactive eText version included

The book is also accompanied by an enhanced eText to support learning, containing worksheets, multiple choice quizzes to test knowledge and examination skills, enlarged source material, and essay writing quizzes- including sample essays with examiner comments.

**History Paper 3: European states in the inter-war years (1918-1939)** publishes spring 2017 as both print and eText versions. Visit [www.pearsonbacculaureate.com](http://www.pearsonbacculaureate.com) to sign up for online samples.

**Keely Rogers** has taught IB History since 1996. She taught in South East Asia for 5 years, and is currently teaching in Surrey, UK.

**Jo Thomas** has taught IB History since 1990 as Head of History at three leading IB Schools.



# A tale of two series

## Teaching, Learning and Assessment



Sample spread from *Pearson Baccaulaeate Biology 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition*

Student material is available as a printed book with free access to an online eText which can be viewed on a computer, whiteboard or select tablets.

“ I can see using this eText to illustrate study techniques/note taking/highlighting. The PDF files of chapters would allow students to tailor study notes for themselves ... the eText/PDF files would allow projection of text and diagrams for discussion and illustration.”

IB Coordinator, Halifax, Nova Scotia

## Home learning

Online eTexts offer all the great things about the printed textbook plus a host of additional interactive content.

- Access content anywhere and anytime.
- Digital note-taking, sharing, highlighting and bookmarking make study and revision more effective.
- Search for key terms to speed up learning.
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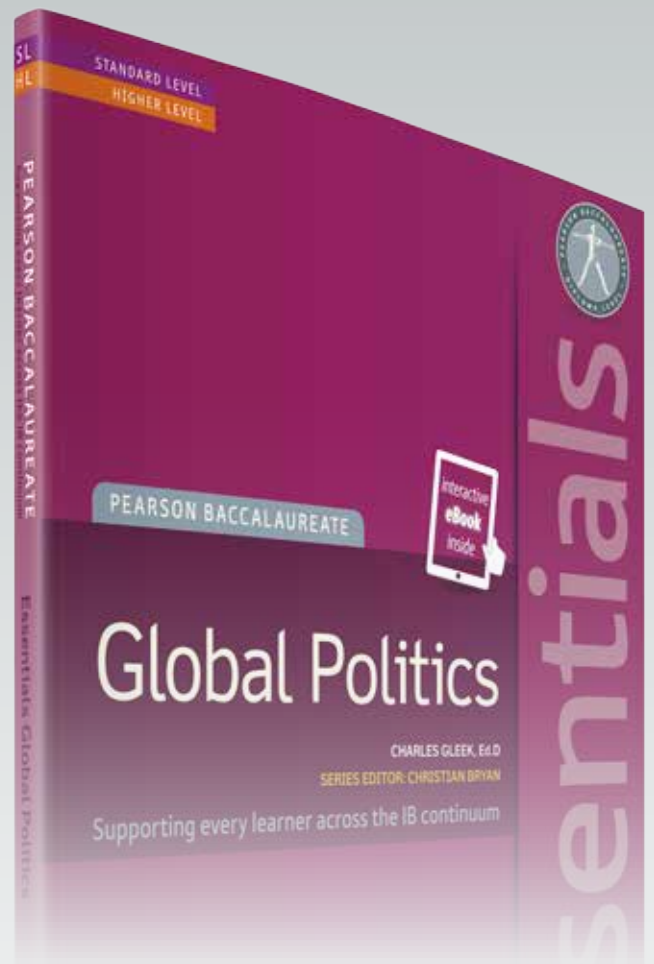
# Global Politics

Our new course textbook and eText for Global Politics, contains comprehensive concept-based coverage of the new Global Politics subject guide.

Focusing on the overarching concepts, such as Power, Sovereignty and Peace, this new textbook and eText also supports students with key terminology and language, plus theoretical underpinnings and help with exam skills (essay writing and presentations in particular).

## Key features include:

- comprehensive concept-based coverage following the Global Politics subject guide
- up-to-date and relevant case studies and examples that allow students to develop an understanding of the local, national, international and global dimensions of political activity
- focus on preparing students for their Internal and External Assessments
- written in clear accessible language, with vocabulary and audio support – perfect for EALs
- only contains the essential information – great for revision too
- truly blended learning approach with printed textbook and eText with flexible interactive digital resources.



## Review from a Global Politics teacher at the Canadian International School of Beijing:

“ It takes all of the essentials from the IB subject guide and presents them in a way that is useful and concise. The specific examples of each of the concepts is helpful for teacher planning. The ebook features look great and really play to the students’ love of technology and ease of taking notes and finding definitions. The margins that feature vocabulary and synonyms are helpful for students studying for TOEFL and IELTS as they are always keen to increase their vocabulary. The charts, graphs, and graphics are also helpful for EAL students as well as students studying for those language tests (as interpreting graphs is often part of those tests). I would definitely use the book and would recommend it to other GloPo teachers. I think that this is what we as teachers have been waiting for and GloPo would be offered in more schools once this book is available and teachers become aware of it.”



# Gateways to Global Issues

We are excited to announce our new and upcoming IB resources to help your learners interact with global issues and foster international-mindedness in busy schools and classes.

We currently have some articles which identify key ways your students can become successful learners in their chosen subjects. As well as these, we are looking to add the following resources to our website.



## International Days

Watch out for ways of using a simple calendar to unlock key concepts in the IB programmes. We plan examples of days that are celebrated at suitable intervals and we will offer talking points to guide discussion, activities to bring the special day alive as well as links and tags to allow use both across the whole school and as special focus for the MYP and DP/CP programmes. The dates so far identified (we are always open to suggestions from you!) are:

<b>8<sup>th</sup> March</b>	International Women's Day
<b>12<sup>th</sup> April</b>	International Day of Human Space Flight
<b>20<sup>th</sup> June</b>	World Refugee Day
<b>18<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Nelson Mandela International Day
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> October</b>	International Day of Non-Violence
<b>November</b>	Men's Health Awareness Month

## Theory of Knowledge blog

Later this year will see the start of a regular **Theory of Knowledge** (ToK) blog from our Essentials series editor, Psychology and TOK author – Christian Bryan. In his recent post, Christian argues that TOK deals with some potentially unwieldy ideas and offers illustrated points of view to help make the unwieldy accessible to learners, teachers, parents and ... you. Keep an eye out for these – we see them as a challenging treat to look forward to!

## International Women's Day

By Christian Bryan and William Tolley

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(What can schools do? 1)

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Issues facing women and girls

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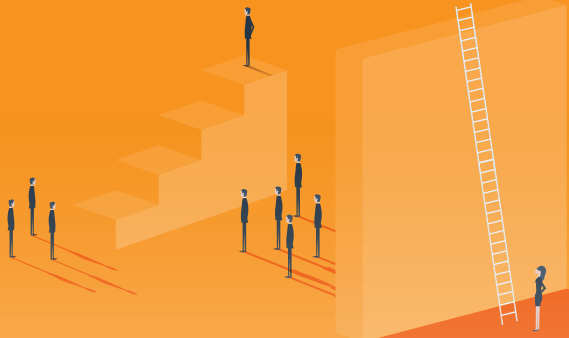
Types of work  
(What can schools do? 2)

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Wider benefits  
(What can schools do? 3)

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5 key lessons



### Feminism

Feminist movements and ideologies are varied. However, some general points of focus are as follows:

- ✔ Women's rights as a specific gender focused entity.
- ✔ How women have been disempowered from socio-cultural, political, religious and economic power structures throughout history.
- ✔ Power dynamics that empower men at the expense of women.
- ✔ The socially constructed nature of some elements of gender roles and identity.
- ✔ The role of language.
- ✔ The role of culture.

There have been problems with some elements of feminism particularly regarding how it is received by wider society. For example:

- ✔ It has been interpreted as 'anti-man' with the role of boys and men in creating a fairer and freer society for women excluded or downplayed.
- ✔ It can mean equality is interpreted as 'sameness'. Individual and cultural expression of gender identity and roles are discouraged.
- ✔ It can generalise too much and assume all problems facing women are due to external patriarchal forces that exclude and disempower women.

# eText Focus

All the great things about a printed textbook with additional inspiring interactive content.

IB Diploma Science courses contain some highly complex concepts and ideas – some of which students find hard to understand properly without additional support. Although ordinary textbooks contain the necessary information, it can sometimes take time for concepts to sink in properly.

Pearson Bacculaureate's science eTexts (available individually or bundled with textbooks for all new titles) help students understand complex subjects using quizzes, worksheets and even videos and animations created by well-known IB teachers such as Rich Thornley, whose YouTube channel is used by IB students around the world for Chemistry revision and support.

Each eText also allows students to search, highlight text, bookmark pages and create virtual sticky notes for more effective revision.

Chapters can also be downloaded for offline use and there's even a glossary of terms with explanations of must-know science terminology.

Unlike some other online textbooks, all Pearson eTexts are hosted on Pearson's own platform, meaning we have the flexibility to make updates to our books quickly based on feedback from teachers and students. This means our eTexts stay up-to-date, for longer.



Includes popular 'Common Mistakes' videos made especially for us by IB Chemistry teacher, **Rich Thornley**. Rich's YouTube videos are watched by thousands of IB students around the world.



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