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Modern Britain Reading List  
Comprehensive Exams  
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**Political History**

Clarke, Peter. *Hope and Glory.*


Koditscheck, T. *Class Formation in Urban Industrial Society.*

Overy, Richard. *The Morbid Age: Britain Between the Wars.*

Pedersen, Susan. “What is Political History Now?” *What is History Now.*


**Social History**


Colley, Linda. *Britons.*


Koven, Seth. *Slumming.*

Stedman Jones, Gareth. *Outcast London.*

Stedman Jones, Gareth. *Rethinking Chartism.*


Thompson, Dorothy. *The Chartists.*
Thompson, E.P. *The Making of the English Working Class.*


Weeks, Jeffrey. *Sex, Politics, and Society*

**Culture/Intellectual History**

Bebbington, D.W. *Evangelicalism in Modern Britain.*

Brown, Callum. *The Death of Christian Britain.*

Burrow, J.W. *Evolution and Society.*


Dworkin. *Cultural Marxism in Postwar Britain.*

Goss, Edmund. *Father and Son.*

Hilliard, Chris. *To Exercise our Talents: The Democratization of Writing in Britain.*


McLeod, Hugh. *Religion and Society.*

Ortolano, Guy. *The Two Cultures Controversy.*

Secord, James. *Victorian Sensation.*

Raymond Williams, Culture and Society

Stansky, Peter, and William Abrahams. *Journey to the Frontier: Two Roads to the Spanish Civil War.*

Turner, Frank. *Contesting Cultural Authority.*

Winter, J.M. *Sites of Memory, Sites of Mourning.*
**Gender**
Caine, Barbara. *Victorian Feminists*.

Clark, Anna. *The Struggle for the Breeches*.

Davidoff and Hall. *Family Fortunes*.

Dawson, Graham. *Soldier Heroes: British Adventure, Empire, and the Imagining of Masculinities*.

Frader, Laura and Sonya O. Rose. *Gender and Class in Modern Europe*.

Houlbrook, Matt. *Queer London*.

Levine, Phillipa. *Victorian Feminism, 1850-1900*.

Light, Allison. *Forever England: Femininity, Conservatism, and Literature Between the Wars*.


Noakes, Lucy. *War and the British*.

Rappaport, Erika. *Shopping for Pleasure*.

Rose, Sonya. *Limited Livelihoods*.


**Empire**
Caine & Hopkins. *British Imperialism*.

Colley, Linda. *Captives*.

Darwin, John. *The Empire Project*.

Hall, Catherine. *Civilizing Subjects*.

Hobsbawm, Eric. *The Age of Empire, 1875-1914*. 
Hobsbawm, Eric. *Industry and Empire*.


Paul, Kathleen. *Whitewashing Britain*.


Wiener, Martin. *English Culture and the Decline of the Industrial Spirit*.

**Crime**


___________. *The Great British Bobby: A History of British Policing from the 18th Century to the Present*.

___________. *The English Police: A Political and Social History*.


Gatrell, V.A.C. “Crime.” *Cambridge Social History*

___________. *The Hanging Tree: Execution and the English People, 1770-1868*.