

Attainment	Causes of the First World War	
Band :	Knowledge and Understanding	Skills
Yellow Plus	<ul> <li>Analyses the strengths and weaknesses of different interpretations of the causes of the First World War.</li> </ul>	Links between factors. E.g. explanation of how the assassination and the alliance system were linked.
Yellow	<ul> <li>Analyses the causes and makes a judgement on the most significant cause.</li> </ul>	Makes a balanced argument about the most significant cause.
Blue	<ul> <li>Explanation of how each factor led to the First World War.</li> </ul>	Explain causes using supporting evidence.
Green	<ul> <li>Description of the alliance system.</li> <li>Description of the assassination of Franz Ferdinand.</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Narrative of the causes.</li><li>Use of chronology.</li></ul>
White	Description based answers.	Answer organised into paragraphs

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