Year 9 Revision List – November Exams 2026

Topic 1 – The Reformation

1. **Explain the meaning of the word Renaissance. (Page 3)**
2. **So what's new? Important explorers, scientists, artists, miscellaneous. (Pages 4-7)**
3. **What does the 'Age of Faith' refer to? (Page 9)**
4. **Causes of the Reformation – problems within the Catholic Church. (Pages 12&13)**
5. **The Martin Luther Story. (Pages 14-18)**
6. **The Counter Reformation. How the Catholic Church tried to stop the spread of Protestantism. (Page 21)**
7. **Key words – Reformation, Renaissance, excommunication, heretics etc. (Page 24)**

Topic 2 – Significant Events

1. **What makes an event significant – Criteria for significance (Page 3)**
2. **Significant people & events (Pages 4&5 - some mentioned in Topic 1 also)**
3. **What was Henry VIII like? Was he a saint or sinner? (Pages 7&8).**
4. **Henry VIII and his reasons for religious change in England. (Pages 11&12)**
5. **Henry VIII and his involvement in Ireland. (Page 13).**