

Changes in Crime and Punishment In Britain, c.500 to the present day-knowledge checker

Causes of crime-What have been the main causes of crime over time?

Describe why poverty, famine and warfare were important causes of crime in the medieval times

Explain the growth of economic pressures in the sixteenth century

Outline the impact of religious change in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries

Nature of crimes-How has the nature of criminal activity differed and changed over time?

Describe the common crimes in the medieval era

Explain why vagrancy, heresy and treason became such important causes of crime in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries

Outline why the growth of smuggling and highway robbery became causes of crime in the eighteenth century

What were the crimes connected with urbanisation that grew in the nineteenth century?

Enforcing law and order-How has the responsibility of enforcing law and order changed over time?

Describe the communal and family responsibility in Saxon and medieval times

Explain the role of manorial, church and royal courts in the later medieval period

Outline the growth of civic and parish responsibilities in the sixteenth century

Explain the concept of state police forces in the nineteenth century

Evaluate the changing nature of policing in the twentieth and twenty-first centuries

Methods of combating crime -How effective have methods of combating crime been over time?

Explain the effectiveness communal methods of combatting crime in Saxon and medieval times

Describe the role and effectiveness of Tudor Justices of the Peace (JPs) and other parish officers

How important was the establishment and influence of the Bow Street Runners?

Was the work of Robert Peel and the setting up of the Metropolitan Police in 1829 a turning point in policing?

Explain the extension of police forces in the nineteenth century

Describe the significance of transport and communication in policing in the twentieth and twenty first centuries

Evaluate the impact of specialisation and community policing in the twentieth and twenty first centuries

Methods of punishment-How have methods of punishment changed over time?

Describe the harsh nature of punishment in Saxon and medieval times

How were vagabonds treated in Tudor times?

Explain the use of public punishment up to the nineteenth century

Describe new prisons in the later nineteenth century and the use of the silent and separate systems

How successful have alternative methods of dealing with prisoners in the twentieth century such as borstals, open prisons, probation and parole, community service been?

<p><u>Attitudes to crime and punishment</u> -Why have attitudes to crime and punishment changed over time?</p>
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Describe the concepts of retribution and deterrence as purposes of punishment over time

What was the purpose of punishment in public over time?

Why were humiliation and public execution considered to be suitable punishments?

Explain why British prisoners were sent abroad in the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries

Describe the use of prisons to punish and reform in the nineteenth century

Explain the changes in attitudes to punishment in the twentieth century

Describe the methods of dealing with young offenders and abolition of the death sentence in twentieth century

Evaluate how successful have attempts to rehabilitate and make rehabilitate criminals been in the twentieth and twenty first centuries
