



Discovering Your British Family and Local Community in the early 20th Century

Course Book List

Students often ask us for suggested additional reading for our courses. For most of our courses any additional reading is up to you. For our Intermediate and Advanced Certificate courses, students generally attain higher marks when demonstrating evidence of additional reading and there are some compulsory texts for our Advanced Certificate courses.

Here is some optional further reading for this course, in the form of books that you may want to source before your course starts. with the most important texts highlighted in bold. There may be additional reading material referenced in the course notes.

- **Bali, Karen *Tracing your Twentieth Century Ancestors* (Pen and Sword 2016)**
- **Few, Janet *Putting Your Ancestors in their Place* (Family History Partnership new edition due 2024)**
- **Few, Janet *Ten Steps to a One-place Study* (Blue Poppy Publishing 2020) Please contact the tutor for a paperback copy. You do not need both this and the one above; this is less detailed.**
- Hey, David *Family History and Local History in England* (Longman 1987)
- Hey, David *The Oxford Companion to Local and Family History* (2nd edition Oxford University Press 2010)
- **Lord, Evelyn *Investigating the Twentieth Century: sources for local historians* (Tempus Publishing 2004)**
- Raymond, Stuart A *Tracing your Twentieth Century Family History* (Federation of Family History Societies 2003)

- Richardson, John *The Local Historian's Encyclopedia* (3rd edition Historical Publications Ltd. 2003)
- Riden, Philip *Record Sources for Local History* (Batsford 1987)
- Stephens, W B *Sources for English Local History* (revised edition Cambridge University Press 1981)