**Year 9 History Assessment 2 Brief and Mark Sheet**

Brief:

**Use the Writing Frame and your knowledge to answer the question – What best explains the outbreak of the First World War 1914**

**Assessment Criteria**

1. **Knowledge and Understanding**
2. **Understanding and evaluation of causes**

**Mark Sheet**

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| **Level** | **What you have done** |
| **3** | .   * **Remembered and LISTED some reasons** why the First World War started |
| **4** | * **Remembered and Described** the **reasons** why the First World War started * **Described some of** the main events of the First World War |
| **5** | * Started to **explain** the **reasons** why the first Worlkd War started. **Explained** the chain of events in the story of the First World War * **Explained in** your **conclusion** **why** one cause was in your opinion more important than the others |
| **6** | .   * E**xplained in depth** the **reasons** for the start of the First World War * Started to **analyse** the **events** in the story of the outbreak of the First World War * Reached a **supported conclusion** explaining your choice of the most important causes using some **revised knowledge and understanding** |
| **7** | * Explained the reasons for the outbreak of the First World War **evaluating consistently.** * Fully **analysed** the events of the First World War and **linked** this analysis to your argument and conclusion * Reached an **evaluated and supported** conclusion to the question supported by **clear and consistent argument, analysis and evidence.** |