

What will I achieve?**By the end of the course I will be able to:**

1. Name the first three leaders of communist Russia, ruling in turn over the period 1917 to 1964.
2. Name the Metro line built in the most "decorative" period of the construction of the Moscow Metro.
3. Describe the most celebrated station on the Moscow metro, the stage for many of Stalin's war speeches.
4. Identify the leading artist of the Socialist Realism period, producing both fine art and Metro art, in particular for the station in "outcome" (3) above.
5. Name the deepest station on the Moscow metro, and the Russian general, the hero of the Napoleonic Wars, that it honours.

What teaching methods will be used and will there be work outside of the class?

- The WEA tutor will use a range of different teaching and learning methods and encourage you and the group to be actively involved in your learning

What kind of feedback can I expect from the tutor?

- A range of informal activities will be used by the tutor to see what you are learning which may include quizzes, question and answer, small projects and discussion
- You will have opportunities to discuss your progress with your tutor

What else do I need to know? Is there anything I need to bring?

- Nothing else is needed

Pre-course work, reading and information sources

- No pre reading is required but research on the subject on the internet or in the library may be helpful
- It would be helpful to students with no knowledge of Moscow to look through a travel guide before the course to start to understand its layout and gain an outline of Russia's history and culture.

Possible next steps after this course (including career opportunities if appropriate)

- Progress to another WEA course
- Progress to a course with another provider
- Become involved with the WEA in a range of voluntary work and other activities including campaigning as a WEA member
- This course provides an excellent grounding for going to Moscow and better appreciating the city and all it has to offer.

Learning with the WEA

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You can read about your entitlements and responsibilities as a WEA student in our leaflet, Student

Handbook here <http://www.wea.org.uk/learn-wea/student-support> This includes information on fees, learning support and financial support. As part of your course you accept our Learning Agreement and Privacy Notice. Full details of the Learning Agreement and privacy notice can be found on our website at <http://www.wea.org.uk/policies>. This applies to all courses you take in this academic year.

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