

General Certificate of Education  
January 2004  
Advanced Subsidiary Examination



**GERMAN**  
**Unit 2**

**GR02**

Thursday 15 January 2004 Afternoon session

**In addition to this paper you will require:**

- an 8-page answer book;
- a clean copy of the Preliminary material (enclosed).

Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

**Instructions**

- Use blue or black ink or ball-point pen.
- Write the information required on the front of your answer book.
- Answer **either** Question 1 **or** Question 2. **All candidates must answer Question 3.**
- Do all rough work in the answer book. Cross through any work you do not want marked.

**Information**

- The maximum mark for this paper is **90**.
- Mark allocations are shown in brackets.
- The use of dictionaries is **not** permitted during this examination.
- If you need extra paper, use the Supplementary Answer Sheets.
- You will be assessed on your ability to organise and present information, ideas and arguments clearly and logically. Account will be taken of your use of grammar. You may refer to the anthology of material supplied with this paper but you should be aware that the highest marks are available to candidates who do not rely exclusively on this material.
- You are reminded that your answers must demonstrate knowledge and understanding of aspects of German-speaking countries/communities.

**Advice**

- You are advised to spend approximately 35 minutes on **either** Question 1 **or** Question 2 and approximately 55 minutes on Question 3.

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When using information from the Preliminary Material to support your points,  
you are advised to avoid lengthy quotation.

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**EITHER**

**Texts 1–3: Germany and Europe**

- 1 Glauben Sie, dass die Abschaffung der Grenzkontrollen in der EU Probleme für die Deutschen mit sich gebracht hat? Warum (nicht)?
- (36 marks)*

**OR**

**Texts 4–6: The German-speaking world**

- 2 Wählen Sie ein Gebiet oder eine Stadt im deutschsprachigen Raum und beschreiben Sie in einem kurzen Artikel Ihre Meinung zu **einem** Aspekt des Lebens dort, **zum Beispiel** Transport, Industrie, Tourismus.
- (36 marks)*

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**All candidates must answer Question 3**

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**Texts 7–8: Pollution, conservation and environment**

- 3 „Ohne Wasser läuft nichts“. Warum ist Wasser in letzter Zeit so knapp geworden und/oder verschmutzt worden? Was macht man im deutschsprachigen Raum, um diese Probleme zu bekämpfen?

Sie könnten **zum Beispiel** folgende Punkte behandeln:

- Wasserbedarf der Industrie
- Emissionen
- Wasserverbrauch in Privathaushalten
- Flüsse
- saurer Regen

*(54 marks)*

**END OF QUESTIONS**