
A-level HISTORY

Democracy and Nazism: Germany, 1918–1945

Paper 20

Specimen 2014

Morning Time allowed: 2 hours 30 minutes

Materials

For this paper you must have:

- an AQA 12-page answer book.

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Write the information required on the front of your answer book. The **Paper Reference** is **20**.
- Answer **three** questions.
In **Section A** answer Question 01.
In **Section B** answer **two** questions.

Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 80.
- You will be marked on your ability to:
 - use good English
 - organise information clearly
 - use specialist vocabulary where appropriate.

Advice

- You are advised to spend about:
 - 60 minutes on Question 01
 - 45 minutes on each of the two questions in Section B.
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Section A

Answer Question 01.

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With reference to these sources and your understanding of the historical context, assess the value of these three sources to an historian studying the events leading up to the 'Night of the Long Knives', 30 June 1934.

[30 marks]

Section B

Answer **two** questions.

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'By 1928, the Weimar Republic was both economically prosperous and politically stable.'

Assess the validity of this view.

[25 marks]

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'The Nazi economic miracle was the main reason for the popularity of Hitler's regime in the years 1933 to 1940.'

Assess the validity of this view.

[25 marks]

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To what extent did the Nazi regime bring about a social revolution in Germany in the years 1933 to 1945?

[25 marks]

END OF QUESTIONS

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