



GCE A level

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HISTORY – HI5

UNIT 5 (Route 2)

IN-DEPTH STUDY 5

BRITAIN, c. 1929-1939

A.M. THURSDAY, 12 June 2008

3 hours

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

In addition to this examination paper, you will need a 12 page answer book.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer **one** question.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The number of marks is given in square brackets at the end of each question.

You are reminded that marking will take into account the quality of written communication used in your answers.

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Answer one question.

1. The Abdication Crisis, 1936.

‘Abdication was not the only option – the King had enough support.’

How valid is this assessment of the Abdication crisis?

[80]

2. Britain and the coming of the Second World War, 1939.

‘Britain succeeded in using the breathing space gained at Munich to fully prepare itself for war.’

How valid is this assessment of Britain and the coming of the Second World War?

[80]