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HUMANITIES

**UNIT 2: Society in Change: the United Kingdom,
1939-1974**

P.M. THURSDAY, 5 June 2014

1 hour plus your additional time allowance

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Question	Maximum Mark	Mark Awarded
Section A 1.	30	
Section B 2. or 3.	20	
Total	50	

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Use black ink, black ball-point pen or your usual method.

Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces provided on the front cover.

Answer Question 1 (Section A) AND EITHER Question 2 OR Question 3 (Section B).

Write your answers in the spaces provided in this booklet. Use supplementary sheets when there is insufficient room in this booklet. Write your name at the top of each supplementary sheet, indicating clearly the number of the question you answer. Put the supplementary sheets inside this booklet.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The number of marks is given in brackets at the end of each question or part-question.

You will be awarded marks for the quality of your written communication.

Your answers must be relevant and must make full use of the information given to be awarded full marks for a question.

You are reminded that you should always support your answers using your knowledge and understanding of the topic chosen.

SOURCE A



A POSTER FROM THE SECOND WORLD WAR

The poster says 'Dig for Victory' and shows a man's foot pushing a spade down into some earth.

**SOCIETY IN CHANGE: THE UNITED KINGDOM,
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**Answer Question 1 (Section A) AND EITHER Question 2
OR Question 3 (Section B).**

SECTION A

Answer ALL parts of this question.

**1. This question is about the impact of
the Second World War on the lives of
ordinary people.**

**(a) Give TWO ways in which the government ensured
there was enough food during the Second World
War. [2]**

SOURCE B



A cartoon published in a British newspaper in 1941 showing a Morrison shelter.

It shows a man and woman with their daughter in their living room. They are sitting on cushions on the floor under the shelter which has a solid top and sides made of wire mesh. They are eating sandwiches and have a bottle and some glasses with them.

SOURCE C

‘Many evacuees stayed with better off people and were given a better standard of living including a healthier diet, fresh air and walks in the countryside.’

(Taken from a GCSE History textbook about Britain 1931 to 1951 published in 2010)

SOURCE D

‘My brother Clarence used to wet the bed we shared. Our foster mother could never tell who’d done it so she used to bash the daylights out of both of us. It was then that we started to get locked in the cupboard.’

(From the autobiography of the film actor Michael Caine who was evacuated to Norfolk when he was a child.)

1(f) ‘The bombing of cities had more impact on the lives of people in the United Kingdom than any other event in the Second World War.’

To what extent do you agree with this statement?

[8]

In your answer you might refer to:

- **the impact that city bombing had on the lives of people in the United Kingdom;**
- **the impact other events may have had during the Second World War.**

Conclude your answer by saying how far you agree with the statement.

SOURCE E



A newspaper cartoon about the Beveridge Report.

In the cartoon, Beveridge is shown as a small figure holding a sword and advancing to attack five large figures. One of the figures is poorly dressed, another is lying on the floor and a third has his hand to his mouth.

2(d) 'Improving health was the most important policy of the Labour government between 1945 and 1951.'

To what extent do you agree with this statement?

[8]

In your answer you might refer to:

- **government policies to improve the health of people in the UK;**
- **other policies of the Labour government.**

Conclude your answer by saying how far you agree with the statement.

SOURCE F



A photograph of civil unrest in Northern Ireland.

A group of people, including one with a first aid bag, are carrying a wounded man. A soldier is walking near to them. He is wearing a helmet with a visor and carrying a gun.

3(d) 'The biggest changes in society during the 1950s and 1960s were in the lives of children.'

To what extent do you agree with this statement?

[8]

In your answer you might refer to:

- **changes in the lives of children in the UK in the 1950s and 1960s;**
- **other changes in society in the UK in the 1950s and 1960s.**

Conclude your answer by saying how far you agree with the statement.
