

**OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS**

**Advanced GCE**

**SOCIOLOGY**

**2536**

Power and Control

Friday

**16 JUNE 2006**

Afternoon

1 hour

Additional materials:

8 page Answer Book

4 page continuation Answer Book

**TIME** 1 hour

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- Write your name, Centre number and candidate number in the spaces provided on the answer book.
- Answer **one** question from the Option you have chosen.
- Read the whole question paper carefully to make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

- The number of marks is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question.
- The total number of marks for this paper is **60**.
- You will be awarded marks for the quality of written communication.

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**This question paper consists of 3 printed pages and 1 blank page.**

Answer **one** question from your chosen Option.

**OPTION 1**

**Crime and Deviance**

- 1 Outline and assess feminist explanations of crime and deviance. [60]
- 2 Outline and assess sociological explanations of social class differences in patterns of crime. [60]

**OPTION 2**

**Education**

- 3 Outline and assess the view that schools reproduce social class inequalities. [60]
- 4 Outline and assess sociological explanations of ethnic differences in educational achievement. [60]

**OPTION 3**

**Health**

- 5 Outline and assess the view that health and illness are socially constructed. [60]
- 6 Outline and assess sociological explanations of gender inequalities in health and illness. [60]

**OPTION 4**

**Popular Culture**

- 7 Outline and assess the view that popular culture is the dominant culture in the contemporary UK. [60]
- 8 Outline and assess sociological explanations of the relationship between leisure and the construction of identities. [60]

**OPTION 5**

**Social Policy and Welfare**

- 9 Outline and assess the view that the Welfare State controls some social groups. [60]
- 10 Outline and assess the view that changes in welfare provision since 1979 reflect a shift in policy from collectivism to individualism. [60]

**OPTION 6**

**Protest and Social Movements**

- 11 Outline and assess sociological explanations for the emergence of global social movements. [60]
- 12 Outline and assess the view that collective protest is important in the formation of identities. [60]

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