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General Certificate of Secondary Education
June 2012

History (Specification A)

40402D

Schools History Project
Unit 2 Option D: Germany 1919–1945

Friday 15 June 2012 9.00 am to 10.45 am

For this paper you must have:

- a Sources Booklet (enclosed)

Time allowed

- 1 hour 45 minutes

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **two** questions.
You must answer Question 1 from Section A and **one** question from Section B.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do not write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work that you do not want to be marked.

Information

- The maximum mark for this paper is 60.
- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- You are reminded of the need for good English and clear presentation in your answers. All questions should be answered in continuous prose. Quality of Written Communication will be assessed in all answers.

Information

- You are advised to spend about 1 hour 5 minutes on **Section A** and 40 minutes on **Section B**



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Section A

You **must** answer this question.

Question 1

Total marks for this question: 36 marks

Weimar Germany and the Nazi Rise to Power

Study **Sources A, B, C, D** and **E** in the Sources Booklet and then answer all parts of Question 1 which follow. In your answers you should refer to the sources by their letters.

1 (a) What do **Sources A** and **B** suggest about Weimar Germany?

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Section B

Answer **either** Question 2 **or** Question 3 which begins on page 17.

EITHER**Question 2****Total marks for this question: 24 marks****Culture and Propaganda****2 (a)** Why was the culture of Weimar Germany important?

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2 (c) How important was the Nazis' propaganda and their control of culture, amongst other factors, in keeping the support of most German people between 1933 and 1939?

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OR

Question 3

Total marks for this question: 24 marks

The Nazis and Race

3 (a) Why were the Nazis' ideas about the Aryan race important?

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3 (b) Study **Source G** in the Sources Booklet.

Using **Source G** and **your own knowledge**, explain how some people opposed the Nazis and their ideas.



3 (c) How important was Kristallnacht, compared with other Nazi actions, in leading to the Final Solution?

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