

Write your name here

Surname

Other names

Centre Number

Candidate Number

Edexcel GCSE

History B (Schools History Project)

**Unit 2: Schools History Project Depth Study
Option 2B: The American West, c1840–c1895**

Monday 10 June 2013 – Morning
Time: 1 hour 15 minutes

Paper Reference

5HB02/2B

You do not need any other materials.

Total Marks

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer Questions 1 and 2, **EITHER** Question 3 **OR** 4 and then **EITHER** Question 5(a) and 5(b) **OR** 6(a) and 6(b).
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
– *there may be more space than you need.*

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 54.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*
- Questions labelled with an **asterisk** (*) are ones where the quality of your written communication will be assessed.
- The marks available for spelling, punctuation and grammar are clearly indicated.

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Keep an eye on the time.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

Turn over ►

P41796A

©2013 Pearson Education Ltd.

1/1/1



PEARSON

Answer Question 1 AND Question 2.

Question 1

Study Source A.

Source A: A picture of a wagon train travelling West in the 1850s.



1 What can you learn from Source A about wagon trains travelling West in the 1850s?

(4)

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

.....

(Total for Question 1 = 4 marks)



(Total for Question 2 = 9 marks)



Answer EITHER Question 3 OR Question 4.

EITHER

3 In what ways was Brigham Young's leadership important for the Mormons?

(12)

You may use the following in your answer and any other information of your own.

- 1844: Joseph Smith was killed.
- 1847: The first Mormon wagon train arrived at the Salt Lake valley.
- 1849: The Perpetual Emigration Fund was set up.

(Total for Question 3 = 12 marks)

OR

4 In what ways were trappers and mountain men important in the development of the American West?

(12)

You may use the following in your answer and any other information of your own.

- Some trappers and mountain men lived with Plains Indian tribes.
- Companies built trading stations for fur and skins.
- Early 1840s: Trails were developed across the Great Plains.

(Total for Question 4 = 12 marks)



Handwriting practice area with 20 horizontal dotted lines.



Handwriting practice area with 25 horizontal dotted lines.



Answer EITHER Question 5 OR Question 6.

You must answer both parts of the question you choose.

Spelling, punctuation and grammar will be assessed in *(b).

EITHER

- 5** (a) Describe the differences in the attitudes of White settlers and Plains Indians towards land and property. (9)

- *(b) 'The development of ranching in the 1870s and 1880s made the life and work of cowboys much easier'. Do you agree? Explain your answer. (16)

You may use the following in your answer and any other information of your own.

- The Long Drive could take between two to three months.
- On ranches cowboys had to 'ride the line'.
- Ranch bosses often made rules.

(Total for spelling, punctuation and grammar = 4 marks)

(Total for Question 5 = 29 marks)

OR

- 6** (a) Describe the problems of law and order in mining towns. (9)

- *(b) 'The discovery of gold was the main reason for the Great Sioux War (1876–77)'. Do you agree? Explain your answer. (16)

You may use the following in your answer and any other information of your own.

- 1868: The second Fort Laramie Treaty.
- 1868 onwards: The US government increased the number of 'small reservations'.
- 1875: There were over 1,000 miners in the Black Hills.

(Total for spelling, punctuation and grammar = 4 marks)

(Total for Question 6 = 29 marks)



BLANK PAGE

