

For the attention of the Head of History

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Dear Colleague,

GCSE History C 1336 (SHP), Summer 2007 Series.

1336 Paper 01 (A1 B1 C1 P1 Q1)

I am writing to inform you of some changes to the format of the above question papers. For the summer 2007 examination, these papers will be marked online. Although the requirements and demands of the question papers remain unchanged, there are some changes to the format of the papers so that they can be marked online by examiners. The changes are as follows:

- These papers are now question and answer booklets. All questions must be answered in the booklets. If candidates require additional space for any question, they must use additional sheets and fasten them to the booklets, using treasury tags, at the end of the examination.
- Candidates will receive 2 question and answer booklets according to the papers they are entered for, 1 question and answer booklet will be for A1, B1 or C1 and the second question and answer booklet will be for either P1 or Q1.
- Each page has a box around the edge. Candidates must not write outside this box.
- There is a discrete answer space for each answer and where there is a choice of question candidates should indicate, using the cross-boxes within the question paper, which questions they are answering. Instructions are provided in the question paper.

I would like to take this opportunity to remind you that detailed information about the performance of your candidates in the units that are marked on line, after results have been issued, can be accessed by using the services available through the Edexcel website.

To assist you in preparing your candidates for these papers, a sample of exemplar papers along with some general guidance on online marked papers, can be obtained by visiting <http://www.edexcel.org.uk/sfc/feschools/news/chang.htm>

If you require any further information, please contact our customer call centre on 0870 240 9800.

Yours sincerely



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