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**GCSE**

165/15

**HISTORY**

**SPECIFICATION A: IN-DEPTH AND  
OUTLINE STUDIES OF ASPECTS OF  
WELSH/ENGLISH AND WORLD HISTORY**

**PAPER 2**

**OUTLINE STUDY**

**15 - PALESTINE AND ISRAEL IN  
THE MIDDLE EAST, 1919-1990**

A.M. WEDNESDAY, 11 June 2008

1 hour 20 minutes

Questions answered	Office use
Question	30
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<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>60</b>

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces at the top of this page.

Answer **two** questions.

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 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.**

*Answer any two questions.*

**1. This question is about the development of Palestine and Israel, 1919-1990.**

Study the information below and then answer the questions which follow.

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**INFORMATION**

The development of Palestine and Israel between 1919 and 1990 owed much to individual political leaders. This picture shows David Ben-Gurion speaking at a conference in May 1948.



(a) Who was David Ben-Gurion?

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(b) Describe the Balfour Declaration of 1917.

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(c) Explain why British policy towards the Arabs changed after 1939.

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**2. This question is about the peoples of Palestine and Israel, 1919-1990.**

Study the information below and then answer the questions which follow.

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**INFORMATION**

The period 1919 to 1990 saw the separate development of Jewish and Palestinian society. The picture shows Theodor Herzl, a Zionist leader.





(a) What was Zionism?

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(b) Describe the aims of the P.L.O.

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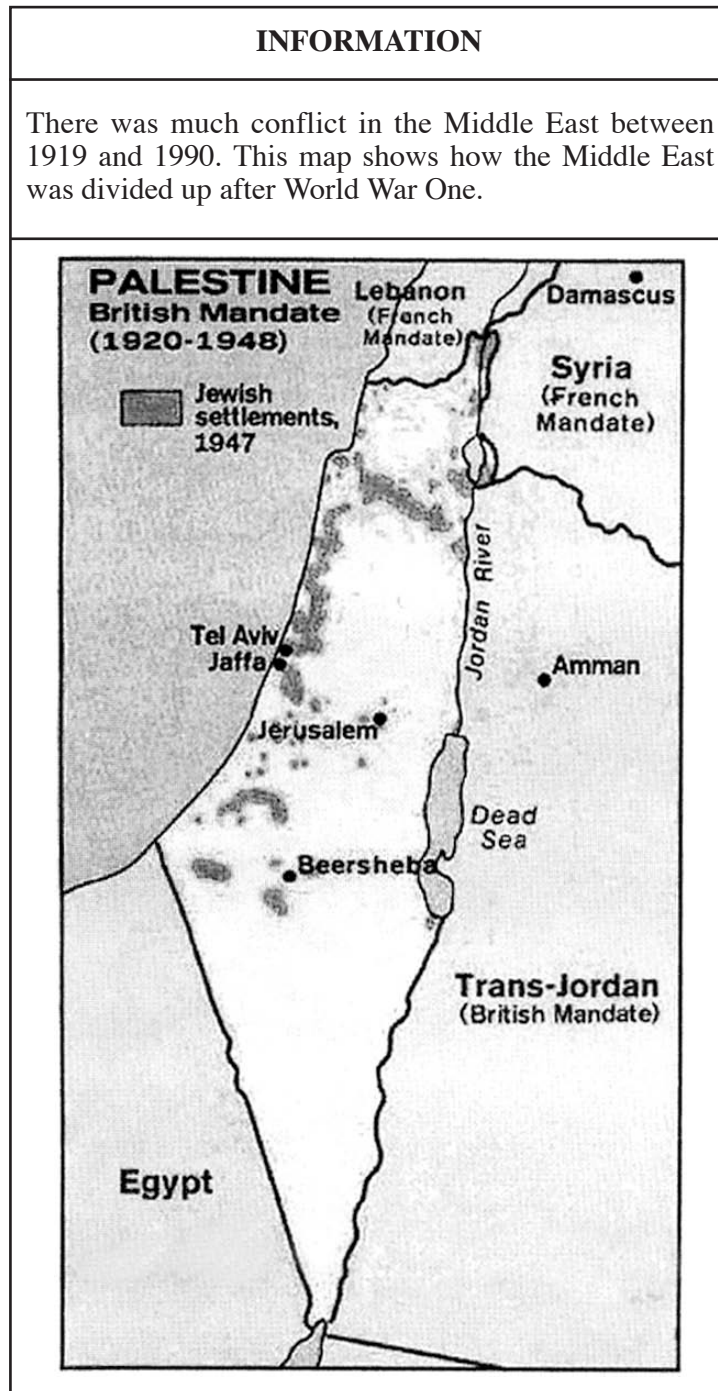


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3. This question is about conflict in the Middle East, 1919-1990.

Study the information below and then answer the questions which follow.

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(a) What was the British Mandate of Palestine?

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(b) Describe what happened at Deir Yassin in 1948.

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