

**FORM 3**

**HISTORY (GENERAL)**

**TIME: 1h 30min**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Class:** \_\_\_\_\_

**1. Look at the picture and answer the questions.**



**Source A:**  
***Fort St Lucian.***

1.1. This fort is in Marsaxlokk. Why do you think was it built there?

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (2)

1.2. During whose Grand Mastership was it built?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (1)

1.3. Name TWO other forts built by that same Grand Master.

\_\_\_\_\_ (2)

1.4. Around Malta there are 13 watchtowers. During whose Grand Mastership were these watchtowers built?

\_\_\_\_\_ (1)

1.5. Name a difference between these watchtowers and the fort in Source A.

\_\_\_\_\_ (2)

1.6. Name TWO advantages gained by the Maltese from these fortifications.

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (2)

1.7. Which TWO forts used to defend the Imġarr harbour in Gozo during the administration of the Knights?

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1.8. What was architect and engineer Vincenzo Firenzuola most famous for?

\_\_\_\_\_ (1)

1.9. Name TWO reasons why these fortifications are still important today.

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\_\_\_\_\_ (2)

**(Total:15 marks)**

**2. Look at the picture and answer the questions:**



**Source B:**

*A painting of the Conventual Church of St. John in the 18<sup>th</sup> century.*

2.1. Source B is a primary source. Why?

\_\_\_\_\_ (1)

2.2. This picture shows: (a military parade, the reading of the *bando*, a procession, a funeral). (1)

2.3. St. John's Co-Cathedral's façade is (gothic, mannerist, baroque) and its interior decoration is (gothic, mannerist, baroque). (2)

2.4. Name THREE things of artistic value which one finds in St. John's Co-Cathedral.

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\_\_\_\_\_ (3)

2.5. When one is in the co-cathedral one sees many carpets on the floor. Why, do you think carpets were put there?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(2)

2.6. What help was given to Grand Master La Valette to start the construction of Valletta?

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(2)

2.7. Who was the Maltese architect who supervised the work on Valletta after Francesco Laparelli?

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(1)

2.8. Name THREE important buildings (except churches) which were constructed by the Knights in Valletta.

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(3)

**(Total: 15 marks)**

**3. Look at the picture and answer the questions.**



**Source C:**  
**The *Sacra Infermeria*.**

3.1. How was the *Sacra Infermeria* used during the administration of the Knights?

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(1)

3.2. Name another project carried out by the Knights in the Maltese islands which had an important function.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(1)

3.3. Explain how the Maltese could have benefitted from such projects.

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\_\_\_\_\_  
(1)

3.4. In which Maltese city do we see many works designed by architect Francois Mondion?

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(1)

3.5. Why was such work needed in that city?

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3.6. The Knights had a huge fleet. Name TWO reasons why this fleet was used.

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(2)

3.7. Why was the Battle of Lepanto an important one for the Christians?

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(2)

3.8. In what way was the Order of St. John connected with that battle?

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(2)

3.9. In what TWO ways was the Order's fleet advantageous to the Maltese?

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(2)

3.10. Name TWO jobs carried out by the Maltese in the Order's navy.

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(2)

(Total: 15 marks)

**4. Look at this source and answer the questions:**



**Source D:**

*A Maltese village during a feast.*

4.1. How do you know that the photo of Source D was taken during a feast?

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(1)

4.2. Why are feasts socially important for the Maltese?

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(2)

4.3. Name TWO reasons why there are niches and statues of saints in many Maltese villages.

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4.4. Name TWO reasons why you think that the village square is important to the Maltese.

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4.5. What do you notice about the position of the parish church in a typical Maltese village?

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4.6. Which problems affect certain Maltese villages today?

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4.7. What do you understand when we say that Valletta is Malta's commercial and administrative centre?

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(Total: 12 marks)

## 5. Read the following passage and answer the questions:

***Inquisitor:*** You are accused to be a heretic and that you are teaching things contrary to the Roman Catholic religion. Do you believe in the Roman Catholic Church?

***Accused:*** Yes, I do.

***Inquisitor:*** We have information that you ate meat during Lent. Did you do this?

***Accused:*** I never ate meat during Lent.

***Inquisitor:*** You were seen at a person's house to read your future. Do you believe in the evil eye?

***Accused:*** No. I do not.."

5.1. Name THREE things which a person could be accused of by the Inquisition.

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5.2. Who was the Inquisitor?

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5.3. Who used to choose the Inquisitor?

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(1)

5.4. In which city in Malta was there the Tribunal and Court of the Inquisitor?

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(1)

5.5. The accused had to pass through a low door to meet the Inquisitor. Underline the correct reason why this was so:

a) in those years, the Maltese were very short people.

b) the builders did a mistake when they built this door.

c) so that the accused would have to bow in front of the Inquisitor.

(1)

5.6. Name TWO types of punishments given by the Tribunal of the Inquisitor to the people who were found to be guilty.

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(2)

5.7. Besides the Inquisitor, which were the other two authorities over the Maltese during the administration of the Order of St. John?

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(2)

5.8. Why was there rivalry between these two authorities?

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(1)

5.9. What sort of information does the passage give you on the attitude of people and religion in those years?

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(2)

**(Total: 15 marks)**



**6. Match**

1	The national day of France		was one of the French philosophers.
2	King Louis XVI		spread to many other European countries.
3	The French nobles		used to be called the 'bourgeoisie'.
4	The middle class		commemorates the fall of the Bastille.
5	Voltaire		was the King's bad financial situation.
6	One of the causes of the Revolution		was guillotined.
7	The French Revolution		was hated by the people.
8	Marie Antoinette		had many privileges.

**(Total: 8 marks)****7. Write at length on ONE of the following:**

- 7.1. Valletta is the most beautiful heritage left to us by the Knights of St. John. Write about its foundation and some important buildings carried out by the Knights in it.
- 7.2. Write about how the French took over Malta and what made the Maltese rise against them in protest during the same year.
- 7.3. Write about Imdina and its importance throughout the years. You can give information about its position, architecture and important buildings in it. Write about what is being done today to look after it.

**(Total: 20 marks)**