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GCSE HISTORY

Paper 1 Section A/C: Russia, 1894–1945: Tsardom and communism

Wednesday 15 May 2024

Morning

Time allowed: 2 hours

Materials

For this paper you **must** ensure you have:

- An Interpretations Booklet (enclosed).
- The other optional Question Paper/Answer Book and Sources Booklet for the **Paper 1 Section B** topic you are entered for. You will have 2 hours to complete **both** papers.

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **all six** questions.
- Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do **not** write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- If you need extra space for your answer(s), use the lined pages at the end of this book. Write the question number against your answer(s).

Information

- The maximum mark for this paper is 40.
- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.

Advice

- You are advised to spend about 1 hour on **Paper 1 Section A** and about 1 hour on **Paper 1 Section B**.

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Answer **all six** questions.

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Read **Interpretations A** and **B** in the Interpretations Booklet.

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How does **Interpretation B** differ from **Interpretation A** about Stalin’s wartime leadership?

Explain your answer based on what it says in **Interpretations A** and **B**.

[4 marks]

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Which interpretation gives the more convincing opinion about Stalin's wartime leadership?

Explain your answer based on your contextual knowledge and what it says in **Interpretations A** and **B**.

[8 marks]



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In what ways were the lives of Soviet people affected by collectivisation?

Explain your answer.

[8 marks]

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Which of the following was the more important reason why Lenin was able to strengthen his control over Russia following the October/November Revolution:

- the use of force
- economic policies?

Explain your answer with reference to **both** bullet points.

[12 marks]

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