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Paper 4 Alternative to Coursework **May/June 2021**

1 hour

You must answer on the enclosed answer booklet.

You will need: Answer booklet (enclosed)

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INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer **one** question from your chosen Depth Study.
- Follow the instructions on the front cover of the answer booklet. If you need additional answer paper, ask the invigilator for a continuation booklet.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 40.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [ ].

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Answer **one** question from your chosen Depth Study.

DEPTH STUDY A: THE FIRST WORLD WAR, 1914–18

1 How important was the failure of the Schlieffen Plan as a reason why the war was not over by the end of 1914? Explain your answer. [40]

2 How significant was the impact of German submarine warfare on Britain's ability to continue waging war? Explain your answer. [40]

DEPTH STUDY B: GERMANY, 1918–45

3 How important were the social and economic effects of the First World War in shaping the lives of the German people, 1919–23? Explain your answer. [40]

4 How significant was Joseph Goebbels in winning support for the Nazis, 1930–33? Explain your answer. [40]

DEPTH STUDY C: RUSSIA, 1905–41

5 How important was Lenin in causing the downfall of the Provisional Government? Explain your answer. [40]

6 How significant were the Five-Year Plans in changing life in the Soviet Union after 1928? Explain your answer. [40]

DEPTH STUDY D: THE UNITED STATES, 1919–41

7 How important was assembly-line production as a reason for increasing prosperity in the USA in the 1920s? Explain your answer. [40]

8 How significant was homelessness in the impact of the Depression after 1929? Explain your answer. [40]

DEPTH STUDY E: CHINA, c.1930–c.1990

9 How important was land reform as an aspect of Communist rule in the 1950s and 1960s? Explain your answer. [40]

10 How significant was political reform in changes made in China after 1976? Explain your answer. [40]

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DEPTH STUDY F: SOUTH AFRICA, c.1940–c.1994

11 How important was the Bantu Self-Government Act in changing life for black South Africans after 1948? Explain your answer. [40]

12 How significant were the government's security measures in maintaining white minority rule between 1966 and 1980? Explain your answer. [40]

DEPTH STUDY G: ISRAELIS AND PALESTINIANS SINCE 1945

13 How important was the Arab League as a cause of increased tension in Palestine by 1948? Explain your answer. [40]

14 How significant was the refugee crisis in gaining international attention for the Palestinian cause after 1948? Explain your answer. [40]

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