

GCE A LEVEL



HISTORY - A2 unit 3 **BREADTH STUDY 9** Changing Leadership and Society in Germany c.1871-1989

WEDNESDAY, 6 JUNE 2018 - AFTERNOON 1 hour 45 minutes

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

A WJEC pink 16-page answer booklet.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Use black ink or black ball-point pen.

Answer EITHER question 1 OR 2 in Section A and the compulsory question in Section B.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The number of marks is given in brackets at the end of each question.

You are advised to spend around 50 minutes on Section A and 50 minutes on Section B.

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Answer EITHER question 1 OR 2 in Section A and the compulsory question in Section B.

Section A

Answer one question only from this section.

Either,

1. To what extent did Bismarck's social and economic reforms have a largely positive impact on the lives of the German people in the period 1871-1914? [30]

Or,

2. 'Ideological differences were mainly responsible for the contrasting social and economic development of East and West Germany in the period 1947-1989.' Discuss. [30]

Section B

You must answer this question.

3. How far do you agree that the downfall of the Weimar Republic was the most significant turning point in the political development of Germany in the period 1871-1989? [30]

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