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Paper 2 Outline Study

For examination from 2027

SPECIMEN PAPER

1 hour 45 minutes



You must answer on the enclosed answer booklet.

You will need: Answer booklet (enclosed)

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer **all** questions.
- 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 60.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [].

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Answer **all** questions.

Modern Europe, 1774–1924

1 Liberalism and nationalism in Germany, 1815–71

(a) Explain why the Franco-Prussian War broke out in 1870. [10]

(b) 'The Zollverein's role was economic not political.' How far do you agree with this view? [20]

2 Russia from autocracy to revolution, 1881–1924

(a) Explain why Trotsky was important for Bolshevik success in October 1917. [10]

(b) To what extent did the New Economic Policy have popular support? [20]

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