

GCE A LEVEL



WEDNESDAY, 22 MAY 2019 - MORNING

SOCIOLOGY - A2 unit 3 **Power and Control**

2 hours

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

A WJEC pink 16-page answer booklet.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer one question.

Write your answers in the separate answer booklet provided.

Use black ink or black ball-point pen.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The total mark for this paper is 70 marks.

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

You are advised to divide your time accordingly.

Choose one of the following options.

Option 1 Crime and Deviance

Compulsory question

(c)

1. Explain the meaning of social control. [10] (a) (i) Using sociological evidence and examples, explain the influence of the media on (ii) crime and deviance. [20] Either, Discuss the relationship between gender and crime and deviance. (b) [40] Or, Assess Marxist explanations of crime and deviance. [40] (c) **Option 2 Health and Disability** Compulsory question 2. (a) (i) Explain the meaning of risk behaviour. [10] (ii) Using sociological evidence and examples, explain the relationship between gender and health and illness. [20] Either, Discuss sociological explanations of the influence of health professionals on health and (b) illness. [40] Or,

Assess the view that health and disability are socially constructed.

[40]

Option 3 Politics

Compulsory question

3. (a) (i) Explain the meaning of the term pluralism.

[10]

(ii) Using sociological evidence and examples, explain the decline in the public's interest in politics. [20]

Either,

(b) Discuss the relationship between social class and voting behaviour.

[40]

Or,

(c) Assess Marxist explanations of power in British society.

[40]

Option 4 World Sociology

Compulsory question

4. (a) (i) Explain the meaning of the term debt crisis.

[10]

(ii) Using sociological evidence and examples, explain the relationship between population growth and inequality in the developing world. [20]

Either,

(b) Discuss the influence of Transnational Corporations on inequality in the developing world. [40]

Or,

(c) Assess sociological explanations of the relationship between gender and inequality in the developing world. [40]

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