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Paper 4 Alternative to Coursework **May/June 2017**

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Additional Materials: Answer Booklet/Paper

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

An answer booklet is provided inside this question paper. You should follow the instructions on the front cover of the answer booklet. If you need additional answer paper ask the invigilator for a continuation booklet.

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

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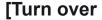

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Answer **one** question from your chosen Depth Study.

DEPTH STUDY A: THE FIRST WORLD WAR, 1914–1918

1 How significant were changes made to the Schlieffen Plan as a cause of the plan's failure? Explain your answer. [40]

2 How important was the Eastern Front to the outcome of the war? Explain your answer. [40]

DEPTH STUDY B: GERMANY, 1918–1945

3 How significant was the use of the Freikorps to the survival of the Weimar Republic, 1919–23? Explain your answer. [40]

4 How important was the role of Papen as a reason for Hitler's appointment as Chancellor in January 1933? Explain your answer. [40]

DEPTH STUDY C: RUSSIA, 1905–1941

5 How significant were industrial changes in Russia as a cause of the 1905 Revolution? Explain your answer. [40]

6 How important was the role of the Petrograd Soviet as a reason for the collapse of the Provisional Government by November 1917? Explain your answer. [40]

DEPTH STUDY D: THE USA, 1919–1941

7 How significant was the impact of the First World War as a cause of the economic boom in the USA in the 1920s? Explain your answer. [40]

8 How important was the growth in popularity of the radio in changing US society in the 1920s? Explain your answer. [40]

DEPTH STUDY E: CHINA, c.1930– c.1990

9 How significant was the Chinese Civil War to the success of the Communist Party by 1949? Explain your answer. [40]

10 How important were the establishment of collectives and communes to the development of communism in China? Explain your answer. [40]

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

11 How significant was the ANC Youth League in opposing the South African government? Explain your answer. [40]

12 How important were propaganda and censorship as methods used by National governments to control South Africa? Explain your answer. [40]

DEPTH STUDY G: ISRAELIS AND PALESTINIANS SINCE 1945

13 How important were the Arab states as a cause of the Palestinian refugee crisis after 1948? Explain your answer. [40]

14 How significant was the role of the United Nations in attempting to secure peace between Arabs and Israelis? Explain your answer. [40]

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