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Paper 1 Socialisation, Identity and Methods of Research

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1 hour 30 minutes

You must answer on the enclosed answer booklet.

You will need: Answer booklet (enclosed)

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer four questions in total:

Section A: answer all questions.

Section B: answer either Question 4 or Question 5.

 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 [].



Section A

Answer all questions in this section.

- 1 Describe **two** secondary sources of qualitative data. [4]
- 2 (a) Explain two practical factors that may influence a sociologist's choice of research topic. [8]
 - **(b)** Explain **one** strength and **one** limitation of semi-structured interviews. [6]
- 3 'Socialisation controls the way people behave.'
 - (a) Explain this view. [10]
 - **(b)** Using sociological material, give **one** argument against this view. [6]

Section B

Answer **one** question in this section.

EITHER

4 Evaluate the view that the media is the most important influence on identity. [26]

OR

5 Evaluate the view that ethical issues make covert participant observation unsuitable for sociological research. [26]

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