
INTERNATIONAL GCSE

SOCIOLOGY

Paper 2 Exploring Sociology

Specimen paper

07:00 GMT

Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

Materials

You will need no other materials.

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **all** questions.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do not write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- If you need extra space for your answer(s), use the lined pages at the end of this book. Write the question number against your answer(s).
- Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.

Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 60.

Section A**Differences and inequalities**

Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided.

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Define what is meant by 'social mobility'.

[2 marks]

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Define what is meant by 'relative poverty'.

[2 marks]

Turn over for the next question

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Identify and briefly explain **two** factors that may affect life chances.

[4 marks]

Turn over for the next question

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Explain the view that all societies are patriarchal.

[6 marks]

[illegible]

In your answer, use examples drawn from your society or any society you know about.

[illegible]

Section B**Socialisation and social control**

Answer all questions in this section.

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Define what is meant by 'deviance'.

[2 marks]

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Define what is meant by 'primary socialisation'.

[2 marks]

Turn over for the next question

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Identify and briefly explain **two** reasons why individuals may commit crime.

[4 marks]

[illegible]

Turn over for the next question

[6 marks]

[illegible]

In your answer, use examples drawn from your society or any society you know about.

[illegible]

Section C**Research Methods**

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Define what is meant by 'qualitative data'.

[2 marks]

Turn over for the next question

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Explain the view that observations are a useful research method for sociological investigations.

[6 marks]

[illegible]

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To what extent are secondary sources of data important in sociological research?

[8 marks]

[illegible]

END OF QUESTIONS

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