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OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS

Monday 20 May 2019 – Morning

AS Level Sociology

**H180/02 Researching and understanding
social inequalities**

**Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes
plus your additional time allowance**

YOU MUST HAVE:
the OCR 12-page Answer Booklet
(OCR12 sent with general stationery)
Source Booklet

READ INSTRUCTIONS OVERLEAF



INSTRUCTIONS

Use black ink.

Answer ALL the questions.

**Write your answers in the Answer Booklet.
The question numbers must be clearly shown.**

INFORMATION

The total mark for this paper is 75.

The marks for each question are shown in brackets [].

Quality of extended responses will be assessed in questions marked with an asterisk (*).

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SECTION A

Read the source material in the source booklet and answer ALL the questions in Section A.

Answer ALL the questions in Section A.

- 1 Using data from SOURCE A in the source booklet describe TWO conclusions which could be drawn about the relationship between a person's risk of poverty and their highest qualification. [4]**

- 2* With reference to SOURCE B in the source booklet explain why representativeness is important to sociologists when selecting a sample in order to carry out a social survey. [9]**

- 3* With reference to SOURCE A in the source booklet explain why interpretivist sociologists might criticise the use of quantitative data to study poverty. [12]**
- 4* Using SOURCE B in the source booklet and your wider sociological knowledge, explain and evaluate the use of questionnaires to investigate social factors affecting women's sleep patterns. [20]**

SECTION B

Answer ALL the questions in Section B.

- 5* Outline TWO ways in which being working class can disadvantage one's life chances. [10]**
- 6* Evaluate the view that gender inequalities exist in society because they serve the needs of capitalism. [20]**

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