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**HISTORY****UNIT 2: STUDY IN-DEPTH****Depression, War and Recovery in Wales and England, 1930-1951**

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1 hour 15 minutes

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Question	Maximum Mark	Mark Awarded
1.	17	
2.	18	
3.	16	
SPaG	3	
<b>Total</b>	<b>54</b>	

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020001**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Use black ink or black ball-point pen.

Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces at the top of this page.

**Answer ALL the questions on the examination paper.**

Write your answers in the spaces provided in this booklet. If you run out of space, use the continuation page at the back of the booklet, and if this is not sufficient use supplementary sheets. Write your name at the top of each supplementary sheet, indicating clearly the number of the question you answer. Put the supplementary sheets inside this booklet.

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

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

You are reminded that assessment will take into account the quality of written communication used in your answers that involve extended writing. These are question 1(c) and question 3(b).

**In addition, your ability to spell, punctuate and use grammar accurately will be assessed in your answer to question 3(b).**

Answer all questions.

**QUESTION 1**

**This question is focused on political, social and economic developments in post-war Wales and England.** [17]

Study the source below and then answer the question which follows.

**Source A**



[A photograph showing the first babies born on the NHS]

(a) Use Source A and your own knowledge to describe the services offered by the NHS. [3]

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(b) Explain why the policy of nationalisation was introduced by the post-war Labour government. [6]

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Study these two sources which refer to the 1945 General Election and answer the question which follows.

**Source B**

Labour's policies are against British ideas on freedom. The Labour Party, once in power, will decide for everyone: where they are to work, where they may go and what they may say, where their wives are to queue up for the State ration, and what education their children are to receive.

[Winston Churchill, the Conservative leader, speaking in an election broadcast on 4th June 1945]

**Source C**

The voters were more open to the promises of the Labour Party and the changes of the future, not the fear about socialism that the Conservatives tried to spread. When Churchill compared a Britain run by the Labour Party to the Nazis and claimed Labour would need a Gestapo, people were not impressed. Memories of Conservative failures and unemployment before the war were strong and many people had not forgiven them.

[Robert Wilde, an historian writing in an article called 'Why Churchill lost the 1945 election'. The article was published on an educational website in 2012]

(c) Why do Sources B and C have different views about the 1945 General Election? [8]

*In your answer you should refer to the content and authorship of the sources.*

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**QUESTION 2**

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**This question is focused on the impact of the Depression years.**

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(a) Describe the role of popular entertainment during the Depression.

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(b) Explain why traditional industries declined during the Depression.

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**QUESTION 3**

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**This question is focused on the impact of war on life on the Home Front.**

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(a) Outline **briefly** how Britain prepared for war.

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**If you use this space, indicate clearly which question(s) you are continuing to answer.**

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