



## **2010 Modern Studies**

### **Intermediate 1**

# **Finalised Marking Instructions**

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## **Intermediate 1 Modern Studies**

### **Marking Instructions**

#### **Supplementary Notes for Markers**

- 1 Markers are asked to ensure that marks are recorded directly opposite the last line of a candidate's response. All other marks/notes by the marker should be outwith the marks columns.
- 2 'List type' answers to **OUTCOME 1** questions at Intermediate 1 Level, if accurate, should be awarded a maximum of 2 marks.
- 3 It is strongly emphasised that the references in the marking instructions indicating expected responses are for guidance only and **MUST NOT BE VIEWED AS PRESCRIPTIVE**. The performance of candidates is measured against the syllabus, outcomes and performance criteria at it is against these, rather than a checklist of responses, that they should be assessed.

**Total Marks Available - 60**

## Section A – Political Issues in the United Kingdom

### Study Theme 1A –Government and Decision Making in Scotland

#### Question 1

(a)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward political issue by giving clear descriptions.

Award up to **three** marks for each description depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification.

For full marks two descriptions must be given.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- Health and social work.
- Education and training.
- Local Government and housing.
- Justice and police.
- Agriculture, forestry and fisheries.
- The environment.
- Tourism, sport and heritage.
- Economic development and internal transport.
- Limited power to change taxation – alter income tax rate by up to 3p per £.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1, PC(a)**

(b)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward political issue by giving clear explanations.

Award up to **three** marks for each explanation depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification and which shows various factors interacting.

For full marks two explanations must be given.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- Most pressure group accept responsibilities which go with right to demonstrate etc.
- More likely to attract members since majority of public are law abiding.
- More effective as government cannot be seen to give in to illegal methods.
- Members do not wish to risk legal penalties if they break the law.
- Public may be alienated by illegal/violent/destructive methods.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1, PC(b)**

(c)

The candidate is required to evaluate straightforward sources by giving differences within the sources.

Award up to **two** marks for each difference depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification and shows various factors interacting.

For full marks evidence must be given from sources.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

Difference 1 (Source 1)

- Labour won 50 seats in 2003 but this fell to 46 seats in 2007.
- SNP only won 27 seats in 2003 but this increased to 47 in 2007.
- The number of Green MSPs fell from 7 in 2003 to 2 in 2007.
- The SSP had 6 MSPs elected in 2003 but none in 2007.

Difference 2 (Source 2)

- After the 2003 election, the Labour Party and the Liberal Democrats formed a coalition government with a small majority but in 2007 the SNP formed a minority government without a majority.

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1**

(d)

The candidate is required to evaluate straightforward sources by detecting exaggeration and providing clear and valid explanations.

Award **one** mark for each correct identification of an example of exaggeration and **one** mark for each valid and accurate explanation.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

*'Nothing has been done to get more young people elected as councillors'* is exaggerated because: -

- Before the council elections in 2007, the law was changed to lower the minimum age of candidates from 21 years to 18 years.

*'There has been no increase in the number of young councillors in recent years'* is exaggerated because: -

- The number of councillors under the age of 30 has increased from one to 28.

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO2**

(e)

The candidate is required to evaluate straightforward sources by drawing conclusions.

Award up to **two** marks for each conclusion depending upon the quality of explanation provided.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- *the most popular form of pressure group activity*

Signing a petition is the most popular form of pressure group activity at 40% of people having done this compared with next highest at only 19%.

- *the percentage of those who have not taken part in any political or pressure group activity compared with those who have*

48% say they have not taken part in any pressure group or political activity; this is a higher percentage of people than have taken part in any single kind of pressure group or political activity.

Just under half or about half have not taken part in any political activity implying that just over or about half have taken part in some form of political activity.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO2**

## Study Theme 1B – Government and Decision Making in Central Government

### Question 2

(a)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward political issue by giving clear descriptions.

Award up to **three** marks for each description depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification.

For full marks two descriptions must be given.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- The Constitution.
- Foreign affairs.
- Defence.
- Social security.
- International development.
- The Civil Service.
- Financial and economic matters/Taxation.
- National security.
- Immigration and nationality.
- Misuse of drugs.
- Trade & Industry.
- Various aspects of energy regulation (eg electricity; coal, oil and gas; nuclear energy)
- Various aspects of transport (eg regulation of air services, rail and international shipping).
- Employment.
- Abortion.
- Broadcasting.
- Equal opportunities.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1, PC(a)**

(b)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward political issue by giving clear explanations.

Award up to **three** marks for each explanation depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification and which shows various factors interacting.

For full marks two explanations must be given.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- Most people have televisions so able to watch news programmes etc.
- Increase in the number of channels and development of 24 hour news channels.
- More trust in TV as a form of media since it has a legal obligation to be impartial and non-party political.
- People prefer to see visual media rather than read print.
- Many do not trust what they read in the (tabloid) press.
- Not everyone is able to or wishes to access the internet.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1, PC(a)**

(c)

The candidate is required to evaluate straightforward sources by giving differences within the sources.

Award up to **two** marks for each difference depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification and shows various factors interacting.

For full marks evidence must be given from sources.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

Difference 1 (Source 1)

- Labour won 412 seats in 2001 but this fell to 355 seats in 2005.
- Conservatives won 166 seats in 2001 but this increased to 198 in 2005.
- The number of Liberal Democrat MPs increased from 52 in 2001 to 62 in 2005.
- The total number of MPs elected decreased from 659 in 2001 to 646 in 2005.

Difference 2 (Source 2)

- After 2001 election the Labour Party had a majority of 165 but after the election in 2005 their majority was reduced to 65.

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1**

(d)

The candidate is required to evaluate straightforward sources by detecting exaggeration and providing clear and valid explanations.

Award **one** mark for each correct identification of an example of exaggeration and **one** mark for each valid and accurate explanation.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

*'Nothing has been done to get more young people elected as MPs'* is exaggerated because: -

- Before the election in 2005, the law was changed to lower the minimum age of candidates from 21 years to 18 years.

*'There has been an increase in the number of younger MPs in recent years'* is exaggerated because: -

- The number of MPs under the age of 30 has decreased from 10 in 1997 to 3 after 2005.

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO2**

(e)

The candidate is required to evaluate straightforward sources by drawing conclusions.

Award up to **two** marks for each conclusion depending upon the quality of explanation provided.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- *the most important source of information about politics*

TV is the main source of information about politics with 76% of people saying they use TV, which is 20% higher than the next most popular.

- *the importance of different types of newspapers.*

National newspapers are more important than local newspapers since 56% of people say they use national newspapers but only 33% say they use local newspapers.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO2**

## Section B – Social Issues in the United Kingdom

### Study Theme 2A: Equality in Society Wealth and Health

#### Question 3

(a)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward social issue by giving clear descriptions.

Award up to **three** marks for each description depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification.

For full marks two descriptions must be given.

Credit reference to elderly, people with mental health problems and people with physical disabilities.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- Fund and support the NHS in Scotland.
- Health promotion.
- Smoking ban/increase age to buy cigarettes/restrictions on tobacco advertising.
- Healthy eating programmes in schools.
- Welfare programmes to reduce social and economic inequalities linked to ill health.
- Alcohol reduction programmes.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1**

(b)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward social issue by giving clear explanations.

Award up to **three** marks for each explanation depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification.

For full marks two explanations must be given, one for giving EMA to all and one against giving EMA to all.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

For EMA being given to all pupils:

- Fairer if all pupils over 16 treated the same.
- Avoids disagreements between pupils in school.
- All who stay on at school are losing out on earnings so all should receive EMA.
- Encourage more pupils to stay on at school and gain qualifications.

For EMA being given to only some pupils:

- Expensive for taxpayer.
- Better off families do not need additional payments.
- Payments should be targeted on those who need them most.
- Encourages pupils to stay on at school who should leave.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1**

(c)

The candidate is required to evaluate straightforward sources by giving evidence to support a point of view.

Award up to **two** marks for each correct piece of evidence depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification and shows various factors interacting.

Any answer which does not refer to the viewpoint should receive a maximum of three marks.

For full marks two pieces of evidence must be given.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

*Most residents in care homes for older people are women.*

- 9,000 residents of care homes were male while 23,893 were female.

*The highest percentage of residents of care homes are over 85 years old.*

- 48% of all residents are over 85 which is a higher percentage than all other age groups eg 36% were between 75 and 84.

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO2**

(d)

The candidate is required to choose an option and give evidence to support choice.

Award up to **two** marks for each correct piece of evidence depending upon quality of argument and evidence provided.

For full marks, interaction must be evident between the information in the options and the Factfile.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

Option 1 – Sarah should stay on ESA.

- Sarah is 52 years old – Many employers are not keen to take on older workers.
- Sarah lost 85% of the mobility in one arm after a car accident – Employment and Support Allowance is paid to people with long term sickness or disability.
- Sarah has been receiving Employment and Support Allowance for almost 2 years – The level of Employment and Support Allowance rises to a higher rate after 13 weeks.

Option 2 – Sarah should go back to work.

- Sarah has lost some of her skills after being out of work for a long time – Training is available to increase skills before return to work.
- Sarah is bored after being out of work for a long time – A number of interesting jobs are available in the area.
- Sarah feels she is living in poverty and cannot afford to buy any luxuries – There are local vacancies paying well above the minimum wage.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO2**

(e)

The candidate is required to evaluate straightforward sources by detecting exaggeration and providing clear and valid explanations.

Award **one** mark for each correct identification of an example of exaggeration and **one** mark for each explanation.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

Exaggerated statement:

*Most lone parents do not work.*

Source 1

This is exaggerated as in 2007, 57% of lone parents were in employment which is more than half.

Exaggerated statement:

*The main barrier to lone parents working is the attitude of employers.*

Source 2

Exaggerated as the main barrier to lone parents working is the lack of affordable child care available at the times they need to work.

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO2**

## Study Theme 2B: Crime and the Law in Society

### Question 4

(a)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward social issue by giving clear descriptions.

Award up to **three** marks for each description depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification.

For full marks two descriptions must be given.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- Less formal procedure.
- No judge.
- Members of public make up panel.
- No jury.
- Aim is not to punish.
- Limited range of actions open to Panel.
- One deals only with children while the other only deals with adults.

Any other valid point.

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1**

(b)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward social issue by giving clear explanations.

Award up to **three** marks for each explanation depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification.

For full marks two explanations must be given, one for CCTV cameras, one against CCTV cameras.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

For the view that more use of CCTV cameras is a good way to reduce crime.

- Able to monitor areas prone to crime.
- Video evidence can be used to detect perpetrators.
- Video evidence can be used in court.
- Frees up police officers for other duties.
- Deterrent effect.

Against the view that more use of CCTV cameras is a good way to reduce crime.

- Displaces crime to areas without CCTV cameras.
- May not deter crime since areas are left un-patrolled.
- Criminals will be able to hide their identity.
- Concerns over civil rights issues.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1**

(c)

The candidate is required to evaluate straightforward sources by giving evidence to support a point of view.

Award up to **two** marks for each difference depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification and shows various factors interacting.

For full marks two pieces of evidence must be given.

Any answer which does not refer to the viewpoint should receive a maximum of three marks.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

*In Scotland most sentenced adult prisoners are male.*

- 4,903 sentenced adults were male, while only 234 were female.

*Not all people held in prison have been found guilty.*

- 1,261 adults are in prison waiting for their trial and/or 267 young offenders are in prison waiting for their trial.

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO2**

(d)

The candidate is required to choose an option and give evidence to support choice.

Award up to **two** marks for each correct piece of evidence depending upon quality of argument and evidence provided.

For full marks, interaction must be evident between the information in the options and the Factfile.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

Option 1 – Sandy should be given a suspended sentence.

- Sandy is 17 years old – The government is keen that young people do not get involved in the prison system.
- Sandy has not been charged by the police before – Prison should only be used for repeat offenders.
- Sandy has been offered an apprenticeship in a local factory – A prison record makes it difficult to get a full time job after release.

Option 2 – Sandy should be given a prison sentence.

- Sandy admitted to carrying a knife at other times – Victims of knife crime feel that prison is the most suitable punishment for people who repeatedly carry knives.
- Sandy was arrested after an increase in stabbings in the local area – There has been a rise in the number of serious knife incidents in Scotland.
- Sandy has a problem with anger management and often loses his temper – Prison offers a chance for rehabilitation and classes in behaviour management.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO2**

(e)

The candidate is required to evaluate straightforward sources by detecting exaggeration and providing clear and valid explanations.

Award **one** mark for each correct identification of an example of exaggeration and **one** mark for each explanation.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

Exaggerated statement:

*Community wardens spend a lot of time dealing with assaults.*

Source 1

Community wardens only spend 2% of their time dealing with assaults.

Exaggerated statement:

*Community wardens have the same powers as the police.*

Source 2

Most wardens do not have the power to charge or arrest wrongdoers.

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO2**

## Study Theme 3A – The Republic of South Africa

### Question 5

Answers which fail to make a specific reference to South African examples should be awarded a maximum of **three** marks.

(a)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straight forward international issue by giving clear descriptions.

Award up to **three** marks for each description depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification.

For full marks two descriptions must be given.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- Lack of primary health care in poorer areas/rural areas.
- High level of HIV/AIDs.
- Health problems such as TB, malaria more common.
- Lack of effective medicines.
- Cost of treatment of health service.
- High cost of private health care.
- High levels of obesity.
- Various health problems affecting children.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE, LO1**

(b)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straight forward international issue by giving clear descriptions.

Award up to **three** marks for each description depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification.

For full marks two descriptions must be given.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- Between 1994 and 2000, 1.5 million new electric connections installed and an extra 4 million people have access to clean running water.
- Millions of homes have been upgraded/improved.
- More amenities now in townships.
- Many can now buy their own homes through low cost loans.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE, LO1**

(c)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward political issue by giving clear explanations.

Award up to **three** marks for each explanation depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification and which shows various factors interacting.

For full marks two explanations must be given.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- Tourism is increasing – especially Western Cape – beaches, scenery – demand for activity holidays eg safari holidays – game reserves popular destination.
- Visiting friends and family living in South Africa from people across the world.
- 2010 World Cup – will attract football fans from across the world.
- Economic migrants from neighbouring countries seeking work.
- Investment opportunities – new business opportunities.
- Employment opportunities for skilled/professional jobs eg health, banking.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1, PC(b)**

(d)

The candidate is required to evaluate straightforward sources by giving evidence to support and oppose a given point of view.

Award up to **two** marks for each piece of evidence given depending upon the quality of argument and evidence provided.

For full marks must make reference to the view.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

Oppose

*‘Voter turnout has increased.’*

Source 1

In 1999 voter turnout for the national election was 89% but this had declined to 77% in 2009.

Support

*‘Most people do not register because they are not interested in voting.’*

Source 2

- Over half of each racial group gave this as reason.
- 91% of Coloured and 77% of Asian gave this as reason for not registering.

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO2**

(e)

The candidate is required to evaluate straightforward sources by making comparisons and drawing conclusions by identifying differences.

Award up to **two** marks for each difference identified depending upon the quality of explanation provided.

For full marks evidence must be provided of interaction between the two sources.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- **Source 1** says *'South Africa will host the football World Cup in 2010 and the President is full of hope that it will be a great success and fans will be safe.'* while **Source 2** says *'Crime in South Africa is a serious problem and many fear that the 2010 World Cup tournament will not be a success as the country will still be seen as unsafe.'*
- **Source 1** says *'Figures from the Government show that serious crime is decreasing.'* while **Source 2** says *'Opinion polls show that the public feel crime is getting worse.'*

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO2**

## Study Theme 3B: The People's Republic of China

### Question 6

Answers which fail to make a specific reference to Chinese examples should be awarded a maximum of **three** marks.

(a)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward international issue by giving clear descriptions.

Award up to **three** marks for each description depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification.

For full marks two descriptions must be given.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- People have become richer.
- Introduction of socialist market economy.
- Small scale enterprises in rural areas.
- Workers can move to find better paid work in the cities.
- Foreign investment is creating more and better paid jobs.
- SEZs.
- Taking over Hong Kong in 1997 – one of the world's most vibrant capitalist economies.
- Membership of the World Trade Organisation (WTO) after 2001, creating further foreign investment.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1, PC(a)**

(b)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward international issue by giving clear descriptions.

Award up to **three** marks for each description depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- People can elect or be elected by village councils.
- Can be invited to join the Communist Party if they work hard.
- Young people can join the Young Pioneers or the Young Communist Youth League hoping to become full Communist Party members at a later date.
- Entrepreneurs and other individuals can now influence economic decision making.
- People over the age of 18 can vote for candidates for the local People's Congress although the Communist Party usually endorses the candidates.
- Government tolerance of some single issue demonstrations.
- In Hong Kong, elections are held every four years; coalition governments are usually formed.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1, PC(b)**

(c)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward political issue by giving clear explanations.

Award up to **three** marks for each explanation depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification and which shows various factors interacting.

For full marks two explanations must be given.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- Better wages in urban areas leading to a better lifestyle than in less well off rural areas.
- Loss of many jobs in rural areas leading to unemployment while more opportunities exist in urban areas.
- Housing, health and education all better in urban areas.
- Move away from command economy to one based on market principles.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1, PC(b)**

(d)

The candidate is required to evaluate straightforward sources by giving evidence to support and oppose a given point of view.

Award up to **two** marks for each piece of evidence given depending upon the quality of argument and evidence provided.

For full marks must make reference to the view.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

Support

*'The earthquake in Tangshan in 1976 resulted in more people being killed than the one in Sichuan in 2008.'*

Source 2

- 240,000 killed in 1976 compared to 69,000 in 2008.

Oppose

*'The Chinese Government still refuses to accept help from outside.'*

Source 1

- ... in 2008 foreign aid organisations were allowed to go to Sichuan to help.

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO2**

(e)

The candidate is required to evaluate straightforward sources by making comparisons and drawing conclusions by identifying differences.

Award up to **two** marks for each difference identified depending upon the quality of explanation provided.

For full marks evidence must be provided of interaction between the two sources.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- **Source 1** says that *‘China deserved the right to host the games and received very little criticism from around the world.’* **Source 2** says that *‘Many people, around the world, believed that China should not have been allowed to hold the Games.’*
- **Source 1** says that *‘To show that China was improving its human rights, protest zones were set up around the main stadium.’* **Source 2** says that *‘Although protest zones were created, anyone who wished to protest in them was refused permission.’*

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO2**

## Study Theme 3C – The United States of America

### Question 7

Answers which fail to make a specific reference to examples from the USA should be awarded a maximum of **three** marks.

(a)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward international issue by giving clear descriptions.

Award up to **three** marks for each description depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification.

For full marks two descriptions must be given.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- Vote in a range of elections eg Presidential, Congress, state elections, local elections.
- Stand for elected office.
- Register to vote.
- Join a political party eg Democrats or Republicans.
- Campaign for your favoured candidate or party.
- Donate money to campaign of favoured candidate.
- Attend and give opinions at town hall meetings.
- Take part in interest group activity.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1, PC(a)**

(b)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward international issue by giving clear descriptions.

Award up to **three** marks for each description depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification.

For full marks must address advantages and disadvantages of immigration.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

Advantages of immigration

- Benefits those who immigrate with jobs/incomes/education/opportunities etc.
- Source of (cheap) labour to benefit US economy.
- Produces a dynamic and tolerant society.
- USA is a (successful) nation of immigrants.

Disadvantages of immigration

- Competition for jobs results in unemployment.
- Impact on welfare services.
- Very high level in some border states creating problems.
- Causes divisions in US society.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1, PC(b)**

(c)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward political issue by giving clear explanations.

Award up to **three** marks for each explanation depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification and which shows various factors interacting.

For full marks two explanations must be given.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- Those on low incomes may be unable to apply for health insurance.
- Those who are unemployed or in certain low paid jobs will not be covered by employment related health schemes.
- Health services vary by state.
- Certain ethnic minorities less likely to be covered by health insurance.
- Illegal immigrants not eligible for health care schemes.
- Those with chronic illnesses may have run out of health care cover.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1, PC(b)**

(d)

The candidate is required to evaluate straightforward sources by giving evidence to support and oppose a given point of view.

Award up to **two** marks for each piece of evidence given depending upon the quality of argument and evidence provided.

For full marks must make reference to the view.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

Support

*'Voter turnout is higher in Presidential Election years.'*

Source 2

- Turnout in 2008 which was a Presidential election year was 62.8% while in 2006 which was not a Presidential election year it was only 43.6%.
- Turnout in 2008, 2004 and 2000 was always higher than 2006 and 2002.

Oppose

*'Age and race have no impact on voter turnout.'*

Source 1

- Young people are less likely to vote compared with older age groups.
- Whites are more likely to vote than Black Americans.
- Hispanic Americans are the least likely to vote.

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO2**

(e)

The candidate is required to evaluate straightforward sources by making comparisons and drawing conclusions by identifying differences.

Award up to **two** marks for each difference identified depending upon the quality of explanation provided.

For full marks evidence must be provided of interaction between the two sources.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- **Source 1** says *'New Orleans is starting to get back to the way it was and tourists are returning to the rebuilt city.'* while **Source 2** says *'Most of the damage to New Orleans has not been repaired, the worst hit areas may never be rebuilt.'*
- **Source 1** says *'As New Orleans rebuilds and repairs the destroyed and damaged buildings and services, everyone will be able to return to the city.'* while **Source 2** says *'Many of the poorest people who lived in the worst affected areas of New Orleans may never return to their former homes and have been forced to settle in other states.'*

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO2**

## Study Theme 3D: The European Union

### Question 8

Answers which fail to make a specific reference to examples from EU member states should be awarded a maximum of 3 marks.

(a)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward international issue by giving clear descriptions.

Award up to **three** marks for each description depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification.

For full marks two descriptions must be given.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- Poorer areas of EU are targeted for special help.
- Better transport links because of investment.
- More jobs.
- Poorer areas become richer.
- Aims include reducing poverty and unemployment, discrimination, stimulate cooperation and business across the union.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1, PC(a)**

(b)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward international issue by giving clear descriptions.

Award up to **three** marks for each description depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

Advantage

- People earn more money in another country.
- More job opportunities.
- Fills labour shortages in new country.
- Send money back to families.

Disadvantage

- People may have to learn a new language.
- Schools may have to spend more on extra staffing.
- Impact on social services.
- Fears of host community.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1, PC(b)**

(c)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward political issue by giving clear explanations.

Award up to **three** marks for each explanation depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification and which shows various factors interacting.

For full marks two explanations must be given.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- No money is spent on paying commission on transactions for changing money – benefit to business and to tourists.
- Closer integration of economies in member countries using the Euro.
- Euro competes strongly with the dollar.
- Exchange rates are no longer at the mercy of money speculators.
- It may lead to improved growth and employment in member states.
- It eliminates business transaction costs.
- More trade.
- More investment.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1, PC(b)**

(d)

The candidate is required to evaluate straightforward sources by giving evidence to support and oppose a given point of view.

Award up to **two** marks for each piece of evidence given depending upon the quality of argument and evidence provided.

For full marks must make reference to the view.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

Support

*'More countries wish to become members because of the benefits they will receive.'*

Source 1

- More countries wish to join and receive the many benefits of membership.

Oppose

*'There is no difference between the views of the Older Member States and the Newer Member States on enlargement of the EU.'*

Source 2

- Only 60% of the OMS think enlargement will strengthen the EU while 74% of NMS think it will strengthen the EU.
- Fewer NMS think it will increase arguments between members.
- The figure amongst NMS who think enlargement will bring closer cooperation is 12% higher than amongst OMS.

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO2**

(e)

The candidate is required to evaluate straightforward sources by making comparisons and drawing conclusions by identifying differences.

Award up to **two** marks for each difference identified depending upon the quality of explanation provided.

For full marks evidence must be provided of interaction between the two sources.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- **Source 1** says that *'European countries have depended for too long on NATO which is dominated by the USA.'* while **Source 2** says that *'NATO has done a good job protecting Europe and has benefited from the membership of the USA.'*
- **Source 1** says that *'All EU member states have said that they are happy to contribute more funds towards defence.'* while **Source 2** says that *'some EU member states do not wish to put more money into military projects.'*

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO2**

## Study Theme 3E – Development In Brazil

### Question 9

Answers which fail to make a specific reference to examples from Brazil should be awarded a maximum of 3 marks.

(a)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward international issue by giving clear descriptions.

Award up to **three** marks for each description depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification.

For full marks two descriptions must be given.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- Poor people have to rely on public health services where there is a lack of doctors, medical services, long queues etc.
- Inequalities in health between regions.
- Many cannot afford private health care which is usually better quality.
- Poor and non-white suffer more health problems linked to crowded living conditions, inadequate sanitation and water supply.
- In the Favelas – higher rates of TB, diarrhoea, dysentery, also higher rates of drug and alcohol misuse.
- Higher rates of disease among indigenous population.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1, PC(a)**

(b)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward international issue by giving clear descriptions.

Award up to **three** marks for each description depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- Favela Neighbourhood projects turn Favelas into proper neighbourhood's eg roads/streets widened to improve access to the favelas.
- Assigning street numbers to housing units and giving residents for first time a postal address to make them feel like proper citizens and obtain loans and other services.
- Sewerage systems improved.
- More clean water and electricity.
- More areas for practising sports.
- Changes have curbed power of drug traffickers.
- At National level – Lula's Hunger Zero campaigns – setting up 'peoples kitchens'. Also, poor can fill out simple forms and receive plastic cards to go to local supermarkets to buy food.
- National campaigns to improve cities – joint effort by city and national government and private sector eg Creation of a Ministry of Cities to get better housing, infrastructure and community services eg Cities such as Rio de Janeiro – urban development programmes.
- Legalising property ownership and extending title deeds to families living in favelas.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1, PC(b)**

(c)

The candidate is required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of a straightforward political issue by giving clear explanations.

Award up to **three** marks for each explanation depending upon quality, relevance, accuracy and exemplification and which shows various factors interacting.

For full marks two explanations must be given.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- Popular tourist destination eg – 2000 beaches, festivals such as Mardi Gras, Amazon Rainforest, 62 National parks, historic cities, urban areas.
- Strong history of immigration – Brazil has received third highest number of immigrants in Western hemisphere after USA and Argentina.
- Employment opportunities for people in neighbouring countries eg Bolivia.
- Many come to states such as Sao Paulo 100,000 illegal immigrants.
- Investment opportunities eg holiday homes.
- Employment and investment opportunities in Amazon area – land clearing.

Any other valid point

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO1, PC(b)**

(d)

The candidate is required to evaluate straightforward sources by giving evidence to support and oppose a given point of view.

Award up to **two** marks for each piece of evidence given depending upon the quality of argument and evidence provided.

For full marks must make reference to the view.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

Support

*“Deforestation has steadily decreased over the years.”*

- **Source 2** – Between 2004 to 2007 deforestation has decreased steadily from 27,429 square kilometers to 10,010.

Oppose

*“Soya production is the main cause of deforestation in the Brazilian Amazon.”*

- **Source 1** – Cattle ranching is still the main cause of deforestation. Since 1990, the number of cattle has more than doubled from 26 million to 57 million.

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO2**

(e)

The candidate is required to evaluate straightforward sources by making comparisons and drawing conclusions by identifying differences.

Award up to **two** marks for each difference identified depending upon the quality of explanation provided.

For full marks evidence must be provided of interaction between the two sources.

Credit reference to aspects of the following:

- **Source 1** says that *‘Since electronic voting has been introduced there have been no problems and supporters say there is no chance that cheating can take place.’* **Source 2** says that *‘Some voters may not know how to use the voting machine, and so another person could tell them who to vote for.’*
- **Source 1** says *‘The voting machines are attached to printers to provide a printout of votes cast; there are no plans to stop this.’* **Source 2** says *‘To save money a new law may do away with printed electronic voting receipts.’*

**4 MARKS AVAILABLE – LO2**

[END OF MARKING INSTRUCTIONS]