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Unit 4: Geographical Research

Tuesday 1 February 2011 – Afternoon

Time: 1 hour 30 minutes

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Total Marks

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **ONE** question only.
- Answer the question in the space provided – *there may be more space than you need.*

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 70.
- The quality of your written communication will be assessed in your responses – *you should take particular care with your spelling, punctuation and grammar, as well as the clarity of expression.*

Advice

- You are expected to write a report style essay with clear sections and referencing.
- You are advised to use the first page of the answer space on page 3 to plan your answer.

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Answer ONE question only.

It is essential you use your own research to support your arguments.

OPTION 1: Tectonic Activity and Hazards

- 1** Explain why tectonic processes produce a variety of contrasting landscapes.

(Total for Question 1 = 70 marks)

OPTION 2: Cold Environments – Landscapes and Change

- 2** Explain why the distribution of cold environments was more widespread in the past than it is at present.

(Total for Question 2 = 70 marks)

OPTION 3: Life on the Margins – the Food Supply Problem

- 3** 'Many attempts to reduce food insecurity by increasing food production are controversial.' Discuss.

(Total for Question 3 = 70 marks)

OPTION 4: The World of Cultural Diversity

- 4** Explain why some cultures and cultural landscapes are more vulnerable and threatened than others.

(Total for Question 4 = 70 marks)

OPTION 5: Pollution and Human Health at Risk

- 5** Explain why the causes of current health risks in some locations are more complex than others.

(Total for Question 5 = 70 marks)

OPTION 6: Consuming the Rural Landscape – Leisure and Tourism

- 6** 'As more players use rural landscapes for leisure and tourism, conflicts become more complex.' Discuss.

(Total for Question 6 = 70 marks)



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