

**Paper Reference(s) 9HI0/2E**

**Pearson Edexcel Level 3 GCE**

**History**

**Advanced**

**Paper 2: Depth study**

**Option 2E.1: Mao's China, 1949–76**

**Option 2E.2: The German Democratic Republic,  
1949–90**

**Wednesday 5 June 2019 – Afternoon**

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

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

**Write your centre number, candidate number,  
surname, other names and your signature in the  
boxes below. Check that you have the correct  
question paper.**

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- Use **BLACK** ink or ball-point pen.
- You must answer **TWO** questions on the option for which you have been prepared.
- There are two sections in this question paper. Answer **ONE** question from Section A and **ONE** question from Section B.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided – there may be more space than you need.

## **MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR EXAMINATION**

**Nil**

## **ITEMS INCLUDED WITH QUESTION PAPERS**

**Sources Booklet**

## **INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

- The total mark for this paper is **40**.
- The marks for **EACH** question are shown in brackets – use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.

## **ADVICE TO CANDIDATES**

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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**SECTION A**

Choose EITHER Question 1 OR Question 2 for which you have been prepared.

You must start your answer on page 5.

**Option 2E.1: Mao's China, 1949–76**

Study Sources 1 and 2 in the Sources Booklet before you answer this question.

- 1** How far could the historian make use of Sources 1 and 2 together to investigate the threat posed by Lin Biao, in 1971, to Mao's position?

Explain your answer, using both sources, the information given about them and your own knowledge of the historical context.

**(TOTAL FOR QUESTION 1 = 20 MARKS)**

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**Option 2E.2: The German Democratic Republic, 1949–90**

**Study Sources 3 and 4 in the Sources Booklet before you answer this question.**

- 2 How far could the historian make use of Sources 3 and 4 together to investigate the impact of mass protest on the authority of the SED government in 1989?**

**Explain your answer, using both sources, the information given about them and your own knowledge of the historical context.**

**(TOTAL FOR QUESTION 2 = 20 MARKS)**

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**(Indicate your question choice and begin your answer on next page)**

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Indicate which question you are answering by marking a cross in the box ☒. If you change your mind, put a line through the box ~~☒~~ and then indicate your new question with a cross ☒.

Chosen Question Number:

Question 1 ☐

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## **SECTION B**

**Answer ONE question in Section B on the option for which you have been prepared.**

**You must start your answer to your chosen question on page 27.**

**Option 2E.1: Mao's China, 1949–76**

**EITHER**

- 3 'The launch of the Great Leap Forward was mainly motivated by a genuine desire to build upon the achievements made in agriculture and industry in the years 1949–57.'**

**How far do you agree with this statement?**

**(Total for Question 3 = 20 marks)**

**OR**

- 4 'Social reforms transformed the lives of the Chinese people during the years 1949–76.'**

**How far do you agree with this statement?**

**(TOTAL FOR QUESTION 4 = 20 MARKS)**

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**Option 2E.2: The German Democratic Republic, 1949–90**

**EITHER**

- 5** How far do you agree that the economic policies of the GDR in the years 1949–61 were very different from those in the years 1963–71?

**(TOTAL FOR QUESTION 5 = 20 MARKS)**

**OR**

- 6** How accurate is it to say that the quality of life for people in the GDR improved greatly under Honecker's leadership?

**(TOTAL FOR QUESTION 6 = 20 MARKS)**

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**(Indicate your question choice and begin your answer on next page)**

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Indicate which question you are answering by marking a cross in the box ☒. If you change your mind, put a line through the box ~~☒~~ and then indicate your new question with a cross ☒.

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Question 3 ☐

Question 4 ☐

Question 5 ☐

Question 6 ☐

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