

History  
Advanced

PAPER 2: Depth study  
Option 2C.1: France in revolution, 1774–99  
Option 2C.2: Russia in revolution, 1894–1924

Total Marks
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Time: 1 hour 30 minutes

In the boxes below, write your name, centre number and candidate number.

Surname					
Other names					
Centre Number					
Candidate Number					

**YOU MUST HAVE**

**Sources Booklet**

**YOU WILL BE GIVEN**

**Nil**

**INSTRUCTIONS**

**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.**

**INFORMATION**

**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**

**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 6.**

**Option 2C.1: France in revolution, 1774–99**

**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 Robespierre's role in the Terror?**

**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 2C.2: Russia in revolution, 1894–1924**

**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 War Communism in the countryside?**

**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 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 ☐

Question 2 ☐

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**TOTAL FOR SECTION A = 20 MARKS**

## 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 the next page.**

**Option 2C.1: France in revolution, 1774–99**

**EITHER**

- 3     How significant was the challenge to the *ancien régime* posed by rural poverty and urban food prices in France in the 1780s?**

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

**OR**

- 4     ‘The role played by Sieyès was the main reason for the success of the coup de Brumaire in 1799.’**

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

**(Total for Question 4 = 20 marks)**

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## **Option 2C.2: Russia in revolution, 1894–1924**

**EITHER**

- 5     How accurate is it to say that the nature of Tsarist autocratic rule was transformed in the years 1894–1914?**

**(Total for Question 5 = 20 marks)**

**OR**

- 6     ‘Kerensky’s flawed leadership was the main reason for the fall of the Provisional Government in 1917.’**

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

**(Total for Question 6 = 20 marks)**

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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 3 ☐

Question 4 ☐

Question 5 ☐

Question 6 ☐

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**TOTAL FOR SECTION B = 20 MARKS**

**TOTAL FOR PAPER = 40 MARKS**

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