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## History B (Schools History Project)

**Unit 2: Schools History Project Depth Study**  
**Option 2A: The transformation of British society,**  
**c1815–c1851**

Tuesday 14 June 2016 – Afternoon  
**Time: 1 hour 15 minutes**

Paper Reference

**5HB02/2A**

**You do not need any other materials.**

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 Questions 1 and 2, **EITHER** Question 3 **OR** 4 and then **EITHER** Question 5(a) and 5(b) **OR** 6(a) and 6(b).
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided  
– *there may be more space than you need.*

### Information

- The total mark for this paper is 54.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets  
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*
- Questions labelled with an **asterisk** (\*) are ones where the quality of your written communication will be assessed  
– *you should take particular care on these questions with your spelling, punctuation and grammar, as well as the clarity of expression.*
- The marks available for spelling, punctuation and grammar are clearly indicated.

### 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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Answer Question 1 AND Question 2.

Question 1

Study Source A.

**Source A:** A painting of the Crystal Palace, built for the Great Exhibition of 1851.



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1 What can you learn from Source A about the Great Exhibition of 1851?

(4)

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**(Total for Question 1 = 4 marks)**



2 The boxes below show two groups.

Choose **one** and explain the group's attempts to improve the lives of workers.

(9)

The GNCTU

The Co-operative Movement

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(Total for Question 2 = 9 marks)



**Answer EITHER Question 3 OR Question 4.**

**EITHER**

**3** Why was there so much opposition to the building of railways?

(12)

You may use the following in your answer.

- The Church
- Landowners

You **must** also include information of your own.

**(Total for Question 3 = 12 marks)**

**OR**

**4** Why did the government find it so easy to deal with the Chartist movement?

(12)

You may use the following in your answer.

- The police and the army
- Chartist tactics

You **must** also include information of your own.

**(Total for Question 4 = 12 marks)**

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Chosen question number:    **Question 3**                       **Question 4**

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**Answer EITHER Question 5 OR Question 6.****You must answer both parts of the question you choose.****Spelling, punctuation and grammar will be assessed in \*(b).****EITHER**

- 5** (a) Describe the key features of the apprentice system in the years c1815–51. (9)

- \*(b) 'The 1832 Reform Act solved the problems of the electoral system in Britain.'  
Do you agree? Explain your answer. (16)

You may use the following in your answer.

- Industrial towns
- Rotten boroughs

You **must** also include information of your own.

**(Total for spelling, punctuation and grammar = 4 marks)**  
**(Total for Question 5 = 29 marks)**

**OR**

- 6** (a) Describe the key features of migration from Ireland to England in the years c1815–51. (9)

- \*(b) 'The Poor Law Amendment Act (1834) improved poor relief in England.'  
Do you agree? Explain your answer. (16)

You may use the following in your answer.

- Outdoor relief
- Rate payers

You **must** also include information of your own.

**(Total for spelling, punctuation and grammar = 4 marks)**  
**(Total for Question 6 = 29 marks)**



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