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International GCSE (9–1)

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Geography
PAPER 2: Human geography

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Resource Booklet

INSTRUCTIONS

In Section A answer ONE question from Questions 1, 2 AND 3

In Section B answer ONE question from Questions 4, 5 AND 6

In Section C answer ONE question from Questions 7, 8 AND 9

Answer the questions in the spaces provided in this Question Paper – there may be more space than you need.

Where asked you must show all your working out with your answer clearly identified at the end of your solution.

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INFORMATION

The total mark for this paper is 72

**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.

SECTION A

Answer ONE question from this section.

Some questions are multiple choice. Write the letter(s) of your chosen answer(s) in the box(es) provided.

If you answer Question 1 put a cross in this box

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1. Economic activity and energy

(a) (i) Identify ONE advantage of using geothermal energy as a source of energy.

A It uses the power of the sun.

B It uses the power of the wind.

C It is a type of non–renewable energy.

D It is a type of renewable energy.

Answer

(1 mark)

(ii) Define the term RENEWABLE ENERGY.

(1 mark)

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1. continued.

(b) Identify ONE way to make transport more sustainable.

A increasing the use of powerful petrol engines.

B increasing air travel routes.

C increasing the use of electric battery technology.

D increasing the size of motorways.

Answer

(1 mark)

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1. continued.

(c) (i) Study Figure 1a in the Resource Booklet.

Suggest ONE reason why the activity shown might be considered informal employment.

(2 marks)

(ii) State ONE advantage of informal employment.

(1 mark)

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1. continued.

(d) Explain TWO factors that affect global energy demand.

(4 marks)

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(e) Study Figure 1b in the Resource Booklet.

**Explain the relationship shown between
population growth and food supply.**

(3 marks)

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(f) Explain TWO factors that affect the location of quaternary sector employment.

(4 marks)

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(g) Study Figure 1c in the Resource Booklet.

Analyse the reasons for the changes in the percentage of people employed in the secondary sector.

(8 marks)

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(Total for Question 1 = 25 marks)

If you answer Question 2 put a cross in this box

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2. Rural environments

(a) (i) Identify ONE characteristic associated with a tropical forest.

A arid conditions

B low temperature

C high humidity

D strong winds

Answer

(1 mark)

(ii) Define the term BIOME.

(1 mark)

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2. continued.

(b) Identify the meaning of the term
ORGANIC FARMING.

A farming that only produces genetically modified crops.

B farming that uses chemical fertilisers.

C farming that does not require irrigation.

D farming that does not use chemical fertilisers.

Answer

(1 mark)

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2. continued.

(c) Study Figure 2a in the Resource Booklet.

**Suggest how this forest ecosystem might
provide goods for people.**

(2 marks)

**(d) State ONE advantage of using genetically
modified (GM) crops.**

(1 mark)

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2. continued.

(e) For people living in a developed country,
explain TWO strategies used to make rural life
more sustainable.

(4 marks)

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(f) Study Figure 2b in the Resource Booklet.

Suggest ONE reason for the trends shown.

(3 marks)

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(g) Explain how governments and NGOs manage challenges in rural environments in developing or emerging countries.

(4 marks)

Governments

NGOs (Non–governmental organisations)

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(h) Study Figure 2c in the Resource Booklet.

Analyse the factors that can lead to rural changes in developing or emerging countries.

(8 marks)

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If you answer Question 3 put a cross in this box

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3. Urban environments

(a) (i) Identify ONE advantage of building on a brownfield site.

A land and buildings need to be cleared first.

B reduces loss of countryside.

C may need to remove contaminated material.

D involves building on the greenbelt.

Answer

(1 mark)

(ii) State ONE problem associated with rapid urbanisation.

(1 mark)

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3. continued.

(b) Identify ONE feature often found in the rural–urban fringe.

A business park

B high street shops

C bus station

D skyscraper buildings

Answer

(1 mark)

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(c) Study Figure 3a in the Resource Booklet.

Suggest ONE factor that may have affected the decision to locate the factory in this area.

(2 marks)

(d) Define the term MEGACITY.

(1 mark)

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3. continued.

(e) Explain TWO factors that have led to suburbanisation.

(4 marks)

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3. continued.

(f) Study Figure 3b in the Resource Booklet.

Suggest ONE reason for the trends shown.

(3 marks)

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(g) Explain TWO strategies used to manage challenges in squatter settlements.

(4 marks)

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(h) Study Figure 3c in the Resource Booklet.

Analyse the environmental challenges facing urban areas in developed countries.

(8 marks)

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TOTAL FOR SECTION A = 25 MARKS

SECTION B**Geographical enquiry**

Answer ONE question only from this section.

Some questions are multiple choice. Write the letter(s) of your chosen answer(s) in the box(es) provided.

If you answer Question 4 put a cross in this box

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4. Investigating economic activity and energy

Study Figures 4a and 4b in the Resource Booklet. These show extracts from a student's data collection and presentation methods.

The aim of the student's investigation was to understand people's attitudes to making their homes more energy efficient in Vancouver, Canada.

The student carried out a questionnaire, took photographs of energy efficiency measures, and used secondary data about energy consumption in homes in Canada.

(a) Identify ONE question in Figure 4a that would produce qualitative data.

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(b) Identify ONE advantage of the presentation type shown in Figure 4b.

(1 mark)

(c) Explain ONE type of sampling that could have been used in this investigation.

(2 marks)

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(d) Study Figures 4a and 4b in the Resource Booklet.

Evaluate the student's data collection and presentation methods.

(8 marks)

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4. (d) continued.

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If you answer Question 5 put a cross in this box

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5. Investigating rural environments

Study Figures 5a and 5b in the Resource Booklet. These show extracts from a student's data collection and presentation methods.

The aim of the student's investigation was to understand how local people felt about the impact of tourists in the Lake District National Park.

The student carried out a questionnaire, took photographs of tourist services, and used secondary data about visitor numbers to the national park.

(a) Identify ONE question in Figure 5a that would produce qualitative data.

(1 mark)

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5. continued.

(b) Identify ONE advantage of the presentation type shown in Figure 5b.

(1 mark)

(c) Explain ONE type of sampling that could have been used in this investigation.

(2 marks)

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5. continued.

(d) Study Figures 5a and 5b in the Resource Booklet.

Evaluate the student's data collection and presentation methods.

(8 marks)

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If you answer Question 6 put a cross in this box

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6. Investigating urban environments

Study Figures 6a and 6b in the Resource Booklet. These show extracts from a student's data collection and presentation methods.

The aim of the student's investigation was to investigate attitudes to an old factory being redeveloped in Manchester, United Kingdom.

The student carried out a questionnaire, took photographs of the factory being redeveloped, and used secondary data about property prices in the area.

(a) Identify ONE question in Figure 6a that would produce qualitative data.

(1 mark)

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(b) Identify ONE advantage of the presentation type shown in Figure 6b.

(1 mark)

(c) Explain ONE type of sampling that could have been used in this investigation.

(2 marks)

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6. continued.

(d) Study Figures 6a and 6b in the Resource Booklet. It shows an extract from a student's data collection and presentation methods.

Evaluate the student's data collection and presentation methods.

(8 marks)

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6. (d) continued.

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(Total for Question 6 = 12 marks)

TOTAL FOR SECTION B = 12 MARKS

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SECTION C**Global issues**

Answer ONE question only from this section.

Some questions are multiple choice. Write the letter(s) of your chosen answer(s) in the box(es) provided.

If you answer Question 7 put a cross in this box

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7. Fragile environments and climate change

- (a) (i) Identify the correct word to complete the sentence below.

Greenhouse gases allow ... radiation through the atmosphere to warm the Earth's surface.

- A nuclear
- B light
- C temperature
- D solar

Answer

(1 mark)

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7. (a) continued.

(ii) Identify the meaning of the term
MILANKOVITCH CYCLE.

A changes in the shape of the Earth's
orbit

B changes to rainfall patterns

C changes to the carbon cycle

D changes in the composition of the
atmosphere

Answer

(1 mark)

(b) State ONE human cause of climate change.
(1 mark)

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7. continued.

(c) Study Figure 7a in the Resource Booklet.

**(i) Name TWO countries labelled in Figure 7a
at 'Very High' risk of desertification.**

(2 marks)

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7. (c) continued.

(ii) Suggest TWO possible reasons for the distribution of countries at risk of desertification.

(4 marks)

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7. continued.

(d) Explain TWO strategies for sustainable rainforest management.

(4 marks)

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7. continued.

(e) Study Figure 7b in the Resource Booklet.

(i) Calculate the range in the number of tropical storms for 2019.

You must show all your workings in the space below.

**Give your answer to one decimal place.
(2 marks)**

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7. (e) continued.

(ii) Describe ONE difference in the number of tropical storms between 2010 and 2019.

(2 marks)

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7. continued.

(f) Study Figure 7c in the Resource Booklet.

Assess the potential impacts of deforestation.

(6 marks)

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7. (f) continued.

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(g) Discuss the view

‘The most significant impact of climate change will be the increased frequency of extreme weather events.’

Use Figures 7a and 7b from the Resource Booklet, and your own knowledge and understanding to support your answer.

(12 marks)

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7. (g) continued.

(Total for Question 7 = 35 marks)

If you answer Question 8 put a cross in this box

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8. Globalisation and migration

- (a) (i) Identify the correct word to complete the sentence below:

The ... was established to promote free trade and fair trade between countries.

- A International Monetary Fund
- B Oxfam
- C World Bank
- D World Trade Organisation

Answer

(1 mark)

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8. (a) continued.

(ii) Identify ONE advantage of transnational corporations (TNCs) for host countries.

A exploitation of workers

B infrastructure development

C profits leak out of the country

D environmental damage

Answer

(1 mark)

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8. continued.

(b) (i) Define the term COMMODITY CHAIN.

(1 mark)

(ii) Study Figure 8a in the Resource Booklet.

Identify the country with the highest and lowest percentage of the population who do NOT use the internet.

(2 marks)

Highest

Lowest

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8. (b) continued.

(iii) Suggest TWO possible reasons for the pattern shown in Figure 8a.

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8. continued.

(c) Explain TWO reasons why trade is important for the global economy.

(4 marks)

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8. continued.

(d) Study Figure 8b in the Resource Booklet.

(i) Calculate the range in the number of refugees.

You must show all your workings in the space below.

**Give your answer to one decimal place.
(2 marks)**

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8. (d) continued.

(ii) Compare the trends for refugees and internally displaced persons between 2015–2019.

(2 marks)

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(e) Study Figure 8c in the Resource Booklet.

Assess strategies for making tourism more sustainable.

(6 marks)

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(f) Discuss the view

‘The benefits of globalisation outweigh the drawbacks.’

**Use Figures 8a and 8c from the
Resource Booklet, and your own knowledge
and understanding to support your answer.
(12 marks)**

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(Total for Question 8 = 35 marks)

If you answer Question 9 put a cross in this box

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9. Development and human welfare

(a) (i) Identify the indicator used to calculate the Human Development Index (HDI).

A infant mortality rate

B access to water

C life expectancy

D houses with electricity

Answer

(1 mark)

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9. (a) continued.

(ii) Identify the correct word to complete the sentence below:

The ... can be used to measure inequality.

A adult literacy rate

B Gini-coefficient

C rate of natural increase

D dependency ratio

Answer

(1 mark)

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9. continued.

(b) (i) Define the term DEVELOPMENT GAP.

(1 mark)

(ii) Study Figure 9a in the Resource Booklet

**Identify TWO countries labelled in
Figure 9a with a Corruption Perception
Index score between 80–100.**

(2 marks)

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9. (b) continued.

(iii) Suggest TWO possible reasons for the pattern shown in Figure 9a.

(4 marks)

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(c) Explain how **FERTILITY RATES** and **POPULATION STRUCTURES** change as a country becomes more developed.

(4 marks)

Fertility rates

Population structure

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9. continued.

(d) Study Figure 9b in the Resource Booklet.

(i) Calculate the range in the mortality rates for India between 1990–2018.

You must show all your workings in the space below.

**Give your answer to one decimal place.
(2 marks)**

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9. (d) continued.

(ii) Suggest how this trend might compare to a developed country such as Canada.

(2 marks)

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(e) Study Figure 9c in the Resource Booklet.

Assess the different views on the use of bottom-up projects to improve quality of life.

(6 marks)

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9. (e) continued.

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9. continued.

(f) Discuss the view

**‘Top–down projects are the most effective
for tackling the development gap between
countries.’**

**Use Figures 9a and 9c from the
Resource Booklet, and your own knowledge
and understanding to support your answer.**

(12 marks)

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(Total for Question 9 = 35 marks)

TOTAL FOR SECTION C = 35 MARKS

TOTAL FOR PAPER = 72 MARKS

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