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<b>Monday 20 May 2019</b>														
Afternoon (Time: 1 hour 30 minutes)							Paper Reference <b>8H10/2E</b>							
<b>History</b>														
<b>Advanced Subsidiary</b> <b>Paper 2: Depth study</b> <b>Option 2E.1: Mao's China, 1949–76</b> <b>Option 2E.2: The German Democratic Republic, 1949–90</b>														
<b>You must have:</b> Sources Booklet (enclosed)												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.
- There are two sections in this question paper.
- In Section A, answer question **part (a) and part (b)** on the option for which you have been prepared.
- In Section B, answer **one** question on the option for which you have been prepared.
- 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 Option 2E.1 (Question 1) OR Option 2E.2 (Question 2),  
for which you have been prepared.

## Option 2E.1: Mao's China, 1949–76

Answer Question 1, parts (a) and (b).

You should start the answer to part (a) on page 4.

You should start the answer to part (b) on page 7.

1 (a) **Study Source 1 in the Sources Booklet before you answer this question.**

Why is Source 1 valuable to the historian for an enquiry into the response of young people to the Cultural Revolution?

Explain your answer using the source, the information given about it and your own knowledge of the historical context.

(8)

AND

(b) **Study Source 2 in the Sources Booklet before you answer this question.**

How much weight do you give to the evidence of Source 2 for an enquiry into the impact of the Cultural Revolution on China?

Explain your answer using the source, the information given about it and your own knowledge of the historical context.

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**(Total for Question 1 = 20 marks)**

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Choose EITHER Option 2E.1 (Question 1) OR Option 2E.2 (Question 2),  
for which you have been prepared.

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

Answer Question 2, parts (a) and (b).

You should start the answer to part (a) on page 4.

You should start the answer to part (b) on page 7.

**2 (a) Study Source 3 in the Sources Booklet before you answer this question.**

Why is Source 3 valuable to the historian for an enquiry into the methods used by the Stasi to control the population of the GDR?

Explain your answer using the source, the information given about it and your own knowledge of the historical context.

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**AND**

**(b) Study Source 4 in the Sources Booklet before you answer this question.**

How much weight do you give to the evidence of Source 4 for an enquiry into social conditions in East Germany in the 1980s?

Explain your answer using the source, the information given about it and your own knowledge of the historical context.

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**(Total for Question 2 = 20 marks)**



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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**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 2E.1: Mao's China, 1949–76****EITHER**

- 3** How far do you agree that violence was the most significant feature of the establishment of Communist rule in China in the years 1949–57?

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

**OR**

- 4** How far were the aims and objectives of the First Five-Year Plan different from those of the Second Five-Year Plan (the Great Leap Forward)?

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

**OR**

- 5** How successful were attacks on religion in Communist China in the years 1949–76?

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

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

- 6** How successful were the economic policies of the SED government in the years 1949–61?

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

**OR**

- 7** To what extent did the international prestige of the GDR grow under Honecker's leadership in the years 1971–85?

**(Total for Question 7 = 20 marks)**

**OR**

- 8** How significant was the influence of Gorbachev on the declining authority of the SED government in the years 1985–89?

**(Total for Question 8 = 20 marks)**

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Chosen question number: **Question 3**       **Question 4**       **Question 5**   
**Question 6**       **Question 7**       **Question 8**

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**TOTAL FOR PAPER = 40 MARKS**

