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Advanced Paper 2: Depth study Option 2C.1: France in revolution, 1774–99 Option 2C.2: Russia in revolution, 1894–1924	
Sample assessment materials for first teaching September 2015 <b>Time: 1 hour 30 minutes</b>	Paper Reference <b>9HI0/2C</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.
- 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 3.

**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 the problems facing France in the late 1780s?

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 problems facing the Tsarist system during the First World War?

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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**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** 'In the years 1789–91, Louis XVI's authority was only seriously undermined after his flight to Varennes.'

How far do you agree with this statement?

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

**OR**

- 4** How significant was Robespierre's role in the development of the Reign of Terror in the years 1793–94?

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

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

- 5** 'The weaknesses and divisions of the opposition were primarily responsible for the failure of the 1905 revolution.'

How far do you agree with this statement?

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

**OR**

- 6** 'In the years 1921–24, the NEP succeeded in bringing political and economic stability to the USSR.'

How far do you agree with this statement?

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

Indicate which question you are answering by marking a cross . 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**

*(This section contains 26 horizontal dotted lines for writing answers.)*

[The live question paper will contain seven more pages of answer lines.]

**TOTAL FOR SECTION B = 20 MARKS**  
**TOTAL FOR PAPER = 40 MARKS**