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**FRIDAY, 16 MAY 2025 – MORNING****HISTORY****Unit 1: Study in Depth****Wales and the Wider Perspective****1C. Depression, War and Recovery, 1930–1951**

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Use black ink or black ball-point pen. Do not use gel pen or correction fluid.

Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces at the top of this page.

Answer **all** questions.

Write your answers in the spaces provided in this booklet. Additional space is provided for Question **5** within the booklet (if required). If further space is required for any question, use the additional page(s) at the back of this booklet, taking care to number the question(s) correctly.

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

The number of marks is given in brackets at the end of each question.

Question **5** will assess your ability to construct a balanced, reasoned and well-substantiated extended response.

In addition, your answer to Question **5** will assess your ability to spell, punctuate and use grammar accurately and use a wide range of specialist language as appropriate.

The sources and interpretations used in this examination paper may have been amended, adapted or abridged from the stated published work in order to make the wording more accessible.

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Answer **all** questions.

### QUESTION 1

**This question is about life during wartime.**

Study the sources below and then answer the question which follows.

#### Source A



[A Government photograph showing the Women's Land Army, 1943]

#### Source B

The National Service Acts, 1941 ...

The services for which a woman can be called up under the Act will be the Women's Royal Naval Service, the Auxiliary Territorial Service and the Women's Auxiliary Air Force. ... also all unmarried women aged 20–30 and childless widows will be eligible.

[Part of the National Service Act, passed by the British government in December 1941]



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**QUESTION 2**

**This question is about life after war.**

Study the source below and then answer the question which follows.

**Source C**

Housing will be one of the greatest and one of the earliest tests of a government's real determination to put the nation first. Labour's pledge is firm and direct – it will proceed with a housing programme as quickly as possible until every family in this island has a good standard of accommodation. This may mean that the government controls building materials and prices.

[An extract from the Labour Party election Manifesto, *Let us Face the Future*, 1945]

To what extent does this source accurately explain why the Labour Party won the General Election in 1945? [6]

[In your answer you should refer to the strengths and limitations of the source and use your own knowledge and understanding of the historical context.]

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**QUESTION 4**

**This question is about life during the Depression.**

Explain the connections between any **THREE** of the following:

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- Jarrow Crusade
- 'Making ends meet'
- Special Areas Acts
- Emigration from Wales

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### QUESTION 5

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**This question is about keeping up morale.**

Read the interpretation below and then answer the question which follows.

“The BBC played a crucial role: it provided listeners with vital news and information and helped them endure life during wartime, keeping up morale by providing entertainment and distraction.”

[Simon J Potter, a professor of Modern History, writing in his book marking the centenary of the BBC, *This is the BBC: Entertaining the Nation, Speaking for Britain? 1922–2022*, published in 2022]

How far do you agree with this interpretation that the BBC played a crucial role in keeping up morale during the Second World War?

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[In your answer you should refer to how and why interpretations of this issue differ. Use your own knowledge and understanding of the wider historical debate over this issue to reach a well-supported judgement.]

Marks for spelling, punctuation and the accurate use of grammar and specialist language are allocated to this question.

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