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History

International Advanced Subsidiary

PAPER 1: Depth Study with Interpretations

Option 1C: Germany, 1918–45

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Instructions

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- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **TWO** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
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Information

- The total mark for this paper is 50.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
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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 TWO questions from the following.

You must start your answer to your first question on page 3.

You must start your answer to your second question on page 13.

EITHER

- 1** Historians differ in their judgements about the impact of the Treaty of Versailles on Germany.

'In the years 1919–23, the most damaging consequence of the Treaty of Versailles for Germany was territorial loss.'

Assess this view using your own knowledge of the issue.

(Total for Question 1 = 25 marks)

OR

- 2** Historians differ in their judgements about the establishment of the Nazi dictatorship in the years 1933–34.

'In the years 1933–34, the main event in the establishment of the Nazi dictatorship was the Night of the Long Knives.'

Assess this view using your own knowledge of the issue.

(Total for Question 2 = 25 marks)

OR

- 3** Historians differ in their judgements about the nature of *Volksgemeinschaft* in the years 1933–39.

'In the years 1933–39, education was the most significant feature in the creation of a *Volksgemeinschaft* in Germany.'

Assess this view using your own knowledge of the issue.

(Total for Question 3 = 25 marks)

OR

- 4** Historians differ in their judgements about Nazi control of the German civilian population in the years 1939–45.

'The Nazis were able to completely control the German civilian population in the years 1939–45.'

Assess this view using your own knowledge of the issue.

(Total for Question 4 = 25 marks)



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