



GCE A level

1203/02

GEOGRAPHY – G3

Contemporary Themes and Research in Geography

SECTION B

RESEARCH

A.M. THURSDAY, 12 June 2014

45 minutes

To be given out after Section A is collected in.

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

In addition to this examination paper, you will need **one** 8 page answer book.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Use black ink or black ball-point pen.

Answer **both parts** of the question from **one** research theme.

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

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

Each question carries 25 marks.

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

You are reminded that assessment will take into account the quality of written communication used in your answers.

You are reminded that this paper is synoptic and so will assess your ability to draw on your understanding of the connections between the different aspects of the subject represented in the geography specification.

THIS PAPER REQUIRES THAT YOU MAKE THE FULLEST POSSIBLE USE OF EXAMPLES IN SUPPORT OF YOUR ANSWERS. SKETCH-MAPS AND DIAGRAMS SHOULD BE INCLUDED, WHERE RELEVANT.

SECTION B: RESEARCH

Answer both parts (a) and (b) of the question from *one* research theme.

Geography of Crime – Topic area: The management of crime

1. (a) Evaluate the methods that could be used to acquire appropriate information about the management of crime. [10]
- (b) Outline the findings of your investigation into the management of crime and assess the methods of analysis you used. [15]

You should state clearly the title of your research enquiry.

Deprivation – Topic area: Patterns of deprivation

2. (a) Evaluate the methods that could be used to acquire appropriate information about patterns of deprivation. [10]
- (b) Outline the findings of your investigation into patterns of deprivation and assess the methods of analysis you used. [15]

You should state clearly the title of your research enquiry.

Geography of Disease – Topic area: The spread of human disease

3. (a) Evaluate the methods that could be used to acquire appropriate information about the spread of human disease. [10]
- (b) Outline the findings of your investigation into the spread of human disease and assess the methods of analysis you used. [15]

You should state clearly the title of your research enquiry.

Environmental Psychology – Topic area: Age and provision of services

4. (a) Evaluate the methods that could be used to acquire appropriate information about age and provision of services. [10]
- (b) Outline the findings of your investigation into age and provision of services and assess the methods of analysis you used. [15]

You should state clearly the title of your research enquiry.

Leisure and Recreation – Topic area: The impact of a sports venue

5. (a) Evaluate the methods that could be used to acquire appropriate information about the impact of a sports venue. [10]
- (b) Outline the findings of your investigation into the impact of a sports venue and assess the methods of analysis you used. [15]

You should state clearly the title of your research enquiry.

Microclimates – Topic area: Urban microclimates

6. (a) Evaluate the methods that could be used to acquire appropriate information about urban microclimates. [10]
- (b) Outline the findings of your investigation into urban microclimates and assess the methods of analysis you used. [15]
- You should state clearly the title of your research enquiry.*

Atmospheric and Water Pollution – Topic area: River pollution

7. (a) Evaluate the methods that could be used to acquire appropriate information about river pollution. [10]
- (b) Outline the findings of your investigation into river pollution and assess the methods of analysis you used. [15]
- You should state clearly the title of your research enquiry.*

Geography of Retailing – Topic area: Issues in central shopping areas

8. (a) Evaluate the methods that could be used to acquire appropriate information about issues in central shopping areas. [10]
- (b) Outline the findings of your investigation into issues in central shopping areas and assess the methods of analysis you used. [15]
- You should state clearly the title of your research enquiry.*

Rivers – Topic area: Flooding

9. (a) Evaluate the methods that could be used to acquire appropriate information about flooding. [10]
- (b) Outline the findings of your investigation into flooding and assess the methods of analysis you used. [15]
- You should state clearly the title of your research enquiry.*

Small Scale Ecosystems – Topic area: Human impact on a small-scale ecosystem

10. (a) Evaluate the methods that could be used to acquire appropriate information about human impact on a small-scale ecosystem. [10]
- (b) Outline the findings of your investigation into human impact on a small-scale ecosystem and assess the methods of analysis you used. [15]
- You should state clearly the title of your research enquiry.*

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