

General Certificate of Education
January 2003
Advanced Subsidiary Examination



GERMAN
Unit 2

GR02

Thursday 16 January 2003 Afternoon session

In addition to this paper you will require:

- an 8-page answer book;
- a clean copy of the Preliminary material (enclosed).

Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

Instructions

- Use blue or black ink or ball-point pen.
- Write the information required on the front of your answer book.
- Answer **either** Question 1 **or** Question 2. **All candidates must answer Question 3.**
- Do all rough work in the answer book. Cross through any work you do not want marked.

Information

- The maximum mark for this paper is **90**.
- Mark allocations are shown in brackets.
- The use of dictionaries is **not** permitted during this examination.
- If you need extra paper, use the Supplementary Answer Sheets.
- You will be assessed on your ability to organise and present information, ideas and arguments clearly and logically. Account will be taken of your use of grammar. You may refer to the anthology of material supplied with this paper but you should be aware that the highest marks are available to candidates who do not rely exclusively on this material.
- You are reminded that your answers must demonstrate knowledge and understanding of aspects of German-speaking countries/communities.

Advice

- You are advised to spend approximately 35 minutes on **either** Question 1 **or** Question 2 and approximately 55 minutes on Question 3.

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When using information from the Preliminary Material to support your points,
you are advised to avoid lengthy quotation.

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EITHER

Texts 1–3: Germany and Europe

- 1 Welche Vor- und Nachteile hatte die Einführung des Euro als übernationale Währung für die Deutschen?
(36 marks)

OR

Texts 4–6: The German-speaking world

- 2 Wählen Sie ein Gebiet im deutschsprachigen Raum und erklären Sie, warum es Ihrer Meinung nach bei den Touristen und Urlaubern beliebt (oder nicht beliebt) ist.
(36 marks)

All candidates must answer Question 3

Texts 7–8: Pollution, conservation and environment

- 3 Glauben Sie, dass große Firmen im deutschen Sprachraum eher umweltfreundlich als umweltfeindlich sind? Geben Sie Ihre Gründe an!

Sie könnten **zum Beispiel** folgende Punkte behandeln:

- Abgase
- Giftmüll
- Energieverbrauch
- Verpackung
- Gütertransport

(54 marks)

END OF QUESTIONS