



General Certificate of Education
Advanced Level Examination
June 2012

History

HIS3H

Unit 3H Monarchies and Republics in France, 1815–1875

Tuesday 12 June 2012 9.00 am to 10.30 am

For this paper you must have:

- an AQA 12-page answer book.

Time allowed

- 1 hour 30 minutes

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Write the information required on the front of your answer book. The **Examining Body** for this paper is AQA. The **Paper Reference** is HIS3H.
- Answer **two** questions.
- In answering the questions you must use your own knowledge and understanding of the period.

Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 90.
- You will be marked on your ability to:
 - use good English
 - organise information clearly
 - use specialist vocabulary where appropriate.

Advice

- You are advised to spend about 45 minutes on each question.

Answer **two** questions.

Question 1

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 'From the start, the restored Bourbon Monarchy had little chance of surviving.'
Assess the validity of this view of the years 1815 to 1830. *(45 marks)*

Question 2

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 'The Second Empire's only significant domestic achievement was suppressing its opponents.'
Assess the validity of this view. *(45 marks)*

Question 3

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 'The only reason why French foreign policy failed in the years 1831 to 1870 was because it was too ambitious.'
Assess the validity of this view. *(45 marks)*

END OF QUESTIONS