



General Certificate of Education
Advanced Level Examination
June 2011

History

HIS3M

Unit 3M The Making of Modern Britain, 1951–2007

Friday 10 June 2011 1.30 pm to 3.00 pm

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 HIS3M.
- 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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'The main reason for Conservative dominance in the years 1951 to 1964 was Labour disunity.'

Assess the validity of this view.

(45 marks)

Question 2

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'Margaret Thatcher's achievements as prime minister in the years 1979 to 1990 were limited.'

Assess the validity of this view.

(45 marks)

Question 3

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'There was more continuity than change in British society in the years 1951 to 2007.'

Assess the validity of this view.

(45 marks)

END OF QUESTIONS