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# HISTORY

## Unit 2: Study in Depth
## History with a European / World Focus

## 2C. Germany in Transition, 1919–1939

1 hour

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

Question **5** will assess your ability to construct a balanced, reasoned and well-substantiated extended response.

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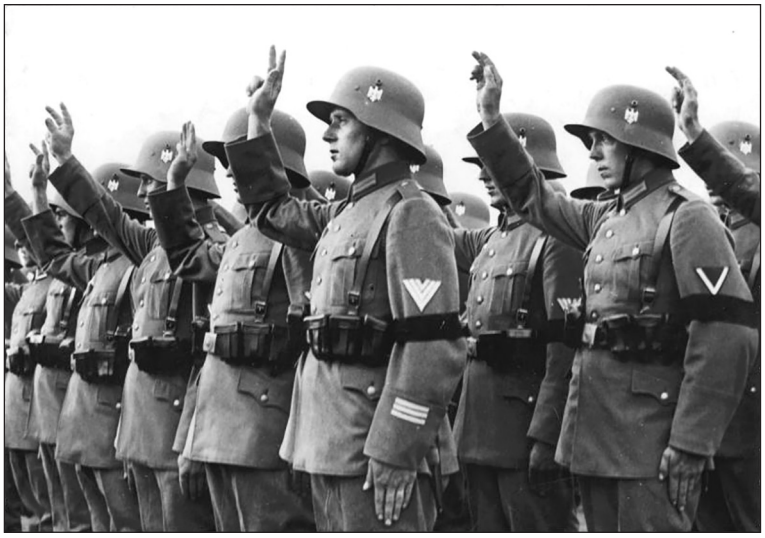
Answer **all** questions.

## QUESTION 1

**This question is about the consolidation of power.**

Study the source below and then answer the question which follows.

**Source A**



[A photograph of German soldiers taking an oath of allegiance to Hitler in August 1934]

Use Source A and your own knowledge to describe the Nazi consolidation of power between 1933 and 1934. [6]

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## QUESTION 2

**This question is about the end of Weimar.**

Describe the growth of the Nazi party between 1929 and 1933. [8]

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## QUESTION 3

**This question is about terror and persuasion.**

Study the source below and then answer the question which follows.

**Source B**

[A poster published by the Nazi Party in 1936. The caption reads:
'Young people, serve the Führer – all ten-year-olds join the Hitler Youth']


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What was the purpose of Source B? [8]

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## QUESTION 4

**This question is about Hitler's foreign policy.**

Study the sources below and then answer the question which follows.

**Source C**

> Gaining new territory will provide room for our population. If land was desired, it could be obtained mostly from Russia. We would only need one ally in Europe to achieve this: England. With England at our back, we will stop the endless German movement to the south and west and turn our attention towards land in the east.

[An extract from *Mein Kampf*, written by Hitler in 1924.
It was widely available to Germans after 1933]

**Source D**

[A cartoon by Clifford Berryman, an American cartoonist, with the title *Wonder how long the honeymoon will last*? published 9 October 1939]



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Which of the sources is more useful to an historian studying Hitler's foreign policy? [12]

[You should refer to both sources in your answer and use your own knowledge and understanding of the historical context.]



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## QUESTION 5

**This question is about the impact of the First World War.**

To what extent was political instability responsible for the problems facing the Weimar Republic 1919–1923? [16]

[Use your own knowledge and understanding of the issue to support your answer.]

Marks for spelling, punctuation and the accurate use of grammar and specialist language are allocated to this question. [3]



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