

Exam Board: Edexcel

Subject: Pearson

Paper: Paper 2 (Two sections in separate booklets - Henry and his Ministers / Superpower relations and the Cold war)

Marks available: 64 (32 for each section)

Length of paper: 1 hour 50 minutes

Topics: - Henry and his Ministers

- Supower relations and the Cold war

Exam Information, guidance and hints

Command words:

Henry Section

Describe a key feature (2) - state something about it and add a fine detail

Explain why (12) - you need two separate reasons in two separate paragraphs - you also need to add 3 separate pieces of historical evidence. Link the information to the question with phrases like - this led to. This resulted in.. this caused

How far do you agree (16) - this requires you to decide if you agree - I agree / I disagree - explain with evidence your view in one paragraph.

Write a second paragraph saying why some people may hold the other view. Some people may disagree with me and

Then in your third paragraph convince the reader why your view is stronger . My view is stronger because..

Cold War Section

Explain one consequence of (4) - state a consequence (can be good or bad) and use facts to explain how it is the result of the factor in the question

Write a narrative account (8) - need to say what happened in the event in 3 paragraphs - cause, main events, outcome. You need to link these using words like - this led to, this caused. You also need to try to place this in the content of what's happening at the time. It must be written in chronological order

Importance question (8) - needs two paragraphs with a separate importance in each one. Need to start with Was important for Because. Add facts to support your view

Videos:

Cold war

Youtube - GCSE Edexcel the Cold War - The History Teacher [History teacher](#)

Henry

Youtube - Henry and his ministers revision [Henry revisions](#)

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Mock 1

Topic	Key information related to topic	Resources/Information related to topic	How well do you understand this topic? RAG		
			Red	Amber	Green
	Identify, Describe, Give examples, Calculate, Explain, Analyse.	Use the information booklets provided by your History teacher			
Henry and his Ministers 1509-29	Henry VIII in 1509 - his character , views , strengths and weaknesses	Henry is the first section of your booklet - Section 1			
	England in 1509 - society and government				
	The rise of Wolsey- his personality and roles				
	Wolsey's domestic policy:- enclosures , finance, justice. The Eltham Ordinances. The Amicable Grant				
	Wolsey's Foreign policy - aims . Relations with France and Spain. The Treaty of London and field of the Cloth of Gold				

	Catherine of Aragon and the failure to produce an heir (succession)				
	Henry's reasons and attempts at getting an annulment				
	Reasons for Wolsey's fall from power				
Henry 1529-40	Cromwell's rise to power				
	Reasons for the fall of Anne Boleyn				
	Reasons for Henry's marriage to Jane seymour				
	Cromwell's reforms to Government and finance				
	Reasons for Cromwell's fall				
Henry and the Break with rome	The acts of Succession, Supremacy and treason				
	Opposition from Barton, Fisher and More				
	The Dissolution of the Monasteries				
	The Pilgrimage of Grace				

Superpower Relations and the Cold war 1940s	The Grand Alliance and the Wartime conferences	BBC bitesize Booklet given to you by your History teacher - Section 2			
	The telegrams and the Buffer zone				
	Truman Doctrine , Marshall Plan, Comecon and Cominform. Berlin Blockade and airlift. Nato				
1950s	Arms Race				
	Hungary 1956, Causes , events and outcome				
	Berlin 1958 including Brain Drain, Ultimatum, U2 spy crisis and the Wall				
1960s	Cuba - Cuban revolution, Bay of Pigs, discovery of missiles, Crisi, outcomes				
	Czechoslovakia - causes , Prague Spring, Soviet invasion and Brezhnev Doctrine				
1970s	Detente - SALT1, Helsinkis Accords, SALT II				
	Soviet invasion of Afghanistan				
1980s	Carter Doctrine, boycott of the				

	Olympics, Second Cold War (Reagan Doctrine, neutron bomb, SDI programme)				
	Gorbachev's new thinking (Glasnost, Perestroika and Sinatra Doctrine)				
	Fall of Eastern Europe				
	Fall of Soviet Union				