HISTORY EXAM 2

WEIMAR AND NAZI GERMANY

Timing = 1 HOUR 20 minutes

**Instructions**

You **must** answer ALL questions in Sections A and B.

Total Marks = 52

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History Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

SECTION A

Answer both questions

Study Source A below and then answer question 1

**Source A: From a history of the Modern World published in 2003**

Some Germans claimed that the German army had never been defeated but had been let down by Jews and Communists at home. This ‘stab in the back’ theory was untrue because it was the German commander Ludendorff who had said the army could not carry on. Others blamed the Treaty of Versailles for most of Germany’s post-war troubles, saying it was an unfair, dictated peace.

**1. Give two things you can infer from Source A about Germany in the years immediately after the First World War? (4)**

**Complete the table below to explain your answer.** *(Write in the space below).*

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| 1. **What I can infer:**   **Details in the source that tell me this:** |

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**2.** Explain why Hitler was able to increase his control over Germany between 1933 -1939. *(Write on lined paper)*

You may use the following in your answer:

* The Enabling Act
* Nazi Propaganda

You must also use information of your own.

**(12 marks)**

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**SECTION B**

For this section you will need to use the sources and interpretations found in **the other booklet.** *(Please answer all questions on lined paper).*

**3a) Study Sources B and C in the other booklet.**

How **useful** are Sources B and C for an enquiry into the standard of living of German workers in Nazi Germany.

Explain your answer, using Sources B and C and your knowledge of the historical context.

(**8 marks)**

**3b) Study Interpretations 1 and 2.** They give different views about the standard of living of German workers in Nazi Germany.

What is the main difference between these views?

Explain your answer, using details from both interpretations.

**(4 marks)**

**3c)** Suggest **one reason** why interpretations 1 and 2 give **different views** about the extent of German recovery in the years 1933-39.

You may use Sources B and C to help explain your answer. **(4 marks**)

**3d)** How far do you **agree** with **Interpretation 2** about the living standards of German workers in Nazi Germany?

Explain your answer using both interpretations and your knowledge of the historical context.

(**16 + 4 SPAG = 20 marks**)