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History					
Paper 2: Period study and British depth study Option 27: Superpower relations and the Cold War, 1941–91 and Tudor depth options					

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- There are two sections in this question paper. Answer all questions from Section A and EITHER Question 4 OR Question 5 in Section B.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
 there may be more space than you need.

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 64.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets
 use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Try to divide your time equally between each section of the question paper.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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SECTION A: Superpower relations and the Cold War, 1941–91

Answer ALL Questions in this section.

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Explain two consequences of the fall of the Berlin Wa	all.
Consequence 1:	
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Consequence 2:	
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2 W	rite a narrative account analysing the key events of détente during the 1970s.	(8)
4	You may use the following in your answer:	
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	You must also use information of your own.	

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3 Explain **two** of the following:

• The importance of the USA's development of the atomic bomb for relations between the superpowers in the years 1945-49.

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• The importance of the Bay of Pigs incident for relations between the USA and the Soviet Union.

(8)

• The importance of the Brezhnev Doctrine for the Soviet Union's control of Czechoslovakia.

(8)

(Total for Question 3 = 16 marks)

Option B4: Early Eliz	zabethan England, 1558-88				
If you answer Question 5 put a cross in the box $\ \square\ $. Answer Question 5(a), Question 5(b) and EITHER Question 5(c)(i) OR Question 5(c)(ii)					
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(b) Explain why there was an increase in exploration in the years 1558–88.	(12)
You may use the following in your answer: navigational aids	
luxury goods	*
You must also use information of your own.	



Answer EITHER Question 5(c)(i) OR Question 5 (c)(ii).

EITHER

(c) (i) 'The effective use of naval tactics was the main reason for the English victory over the Spanish Armada.'

How far do you agree? Explain your answer.

(16)

You may use the following in your answer:

- fire ships
- · bad weather

You must also use information of your own.

OR

(c) (ii) 'There was little change in attitudes towards the poor in the years 1558–88.'

(16)

You may use the following in your answer:

How far do you agree? Explain your answer.

- · Houses of Correction
- the deserving poor

You **must** also use information of your own.

