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GCSE HISTORY

Paper 2B/A: Norman England, c1066–c1100

Additional Specimen Material Session Time allowed: 1 hour 45 minutes

Materials

For this paper you must have:

- You **must** ensure you have the other optional question paper/answer booklet for the **Paper 2 Section A** topic you are entered for. You will have 1 hour 45 minutes to complete **both** papers.
- an Interpretations Booklet (enclosed).

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **all four** questions.
- Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do **not** write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.

Information

- The maximum mark for this paper is 40.
- The marks for the questions are shown in brackets.
- Extended writing is tested in Question 04.

Advice

- You are advised to spend 50 minutes on **Paper 2 Section A** and 50 minutes on **Paper 2 Section B**.

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Answer **all four** questions.

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Study **Interpretation A** in the Interpretations Booklet.

How convincing is **Interpretation A** about the impact of the Normans on English monasteries?

Explain your answer based on your contextual knowledge and what it says in **Interpretation A**.

[8 marks]

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Explain what was important about land holding and lordship in Norman England.

[8 marks]

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Write an account of the ways in which the lives of Anglo-Saxon villagers stayed the same under the Normans.

[8 marks]

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‘Luck was the main reason for the outcome of battles in this period’.

How far does a study of the **battle of Stamford Bridge** support this statement?

Explain your answer.

You should refer to the **battle of Stamford Bridge** and your contextual knowledge.

[16 marks]

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