



SOCIOLOGY

Paper 1 Socialisation, Identity and Methods of Research

1 hour 30 minutes

You will need: Answer booklet (enclosed)

- Answer **four** questions in total:

Section A: answer **all** questions.

Section B: answer **either** Question 4 **or** Question 5.

- ## INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 60.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [].

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Section A

Answer **all** questions in this section.

- 1 Describe **two** features of longitudinal studies. [4]
- 2 (a) Explain **two** ways the values of the sociologist may lead to bias in research findings. [8]
(b) Explain **two** strengths of using a covert approach to participant observation. [6]
- 3 'Socialisation is a one-way process.'
(a) Explain this view. [10]
(b) Using sociological material, give **one** argument against this view. [6]

Section B

Answer **one** question in this section.

EITHER

- 4 Evaluate the view that social class is no longer an important influence on a person's identity. [26]

OR

- 5 Evaluate the view that sociologists should use a scientific approach to research. [26]

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