

# Advance information June 2022

## AS History (7041)

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Because of the ongoing impacts of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic, we are providing advance information on the focus of June 2022 exams to help students revise.

This is the advance information for **AS History (7041), 20 Democracy and Nazism: Germany, 1918-1945**.

### Information

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- This notice covers advanced information for **7041/20 Democracy and Nazism: Germany, 1918-1945**.
- There are no restrictions on who can use this notice.
- This notice is meant to support final revision.
- The format/structure of the papers remains unchanged.
- You are **not** permitted to take this notice into the exam.

### Advice

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- Students and teachers can discuss this advance information notice.
- Questions will be drawn from one or more of the indicated areas of specification content.
- The information is presented in specification order and not in question order.
- Students **will** be credited for using any relevant knowledge when answering questions.
- Students **will not** be disadvantaged if solely using the areas indicated in this document. There is no expectation of knowledge beyond that identified in order to achieve full marks.
- It is advised that teaching and learning should still aim to address the entire subject content in the specification.

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## Focus of the June 2022 exam

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This paper will sample from the following areas of the specification content for **7041/20**.

### **Part one: the Weimar Republic, 1918-1933**

#### **Section one: The Establishment and early years of Weimar, 1918-1924**

- The impact of war and the political crises of October to November 1918; the context for the establishment of the Weimar Constitution; terms, strengths and weaknesses
- The Peace Settlement: expectations and reality; terms and problems; attitudes within Germany and abroad

#### **Section two: The 'Golden Age' of the Weimar Republic, 1924-1928**

- Germany's international position; Stresemann's foreign policy aims and achievements including: Locarno; the League of Nations; the Treaty of Berlin; the end of allied occupation and the pursuit of disarmament

#### **Section three: The Collapse of Democracy, 1928-1933**

- The economic, social and political impact of the Depression: elections; governments and policies
- The appeal of Nazism and Communism; the tactics and fortunes of the extremist parties, including the role of propaganda

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