

A-level **HISTORY**

The Reformation in Europe, c1500-1564

Paper 2C

Specimen 2014

Morning Time allowed: 2 hours 30 minutes

Materials

For this paper you must have:

• an AQA 12-page answer book.

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Write the information required on the front of your answer book. The Paper Reference is 2C.
- Answer three questions.
 - In Section A answer Question 01.

In **Section B** answer **two** questions.

Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 80.
- You will be marked on your ability to:
 - use good English
 - organise information clearly
 - use specialist vocabulary where appropriate.

Advice

- You are advised to spend about:
 - 60 minutes on Question 01
 - 45 minutes on each of the two questions in Section B.

Section A

Answer Question 01.

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With reference to these sources and your understanding of the historical context, assess the value of these three sources to an historian studying criticism of the Church in the early sixteenth century.

[30 marks]

Section B

Answer two questions.

- 0 2 How far was the spread of Lutheranism in the years to 1531 due to Luther himself? [25 marks]
- o 3 'The success of the Genevan reformation was due to the discipline imposed by Calvin.'

Assess the validity of this view.

[25 marks]

The Jesuits were the most significant force for the strengthening of the Catholic Church in the years 1534 to 1564.

Assess the validity of this view.

[25 marks]

END OF QUESTIONS

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