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# GCSE HISTORY

Paper 2 Section B/C: Elizabethan England, c1568–1603 8145/2B/C

Time allowed: 1 hour

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# For this paper you MUST ensure you have:

 An Interpretations Booklet (enclosed).

#### INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- 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 on blank pages.
- If you need extra space for your answer(s), use the lined pages at the end of this book. Write the question number against your answer(s).



#### **INFORMATION**

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

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**Answer ALL FOUR questions.** 

Study INTERPRETATION A in the Interpretations Booklet.

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How convincing is INTERPRETATION A about Catholic plots against Queen Elizabeth I?

Explain your answer based on your contextual knowledge and what it says in INTERPRETATION A. [8 marks]

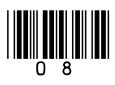












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Explain what was important about Elizabethan England that made it a 'Golden Age'. [8 marks]			







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Write an account of the difficulties which faced Queen Elizabeth as a female ruler. [8 marks]				



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'The main reason for building a stately home in the Elizabethan period was to impress.'

How far does a study of KENILWORTH CASTLE support this statement?

Explain your answer.

You should refer to KENILWORTH
CASTLE and your contextual knowledge.
[16 marks]







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#### **END OF QUESTIONS**



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