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Paper 2 Family, Education and Crime

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1 hour 45 minutes

You must answer on the enclosed answer booklet.

You will need: Answer booklet (enclosed)

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer **two** questions.
- Follow the instructions on the front cover of the answer booklet. If you need additional answer paper, ask the invigilator for a continuation booklet.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 80.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [].

This document has **4** pages.



Answer **two** questions.

Family

- 1 (a) Define the term:
- (i) conjugal role [2]
 - (ii) secularisation. [2]
- (b) Give **two** examples of the triple shift in the family. [2]
- (c) Describe **three** functions of the family. [6]
- (d) Explain **three** New Right views on family diversity. [6]
- (e) Discuss the view that extended families are the best type of family.
- Your answer should include:
- at least **three** developed points with evidence. [8]
- (f) Evaluate the view that feminism has led to the decline of marriage.
- Your answer should include:
- at least **three** arguments for and **three** arguments against
 - a conclusion. [14]

Education

- 2 (a) Define the term:
- (i) linguistic factors [2]
 - (ii) conformity. [2]
- (b) Give **two** examples of an ethnocentric curriculum. [2]
- (c) Describe **three** benefits of attending private school. [6]
- (d) Explain **three** limitations of the functionalist view of education. [6]
- (e) Discuss how boys and girls experience school differently.
- Your answer should include:
- at least **three** developed points with evidence. [8]
- (f) Evaluate the view that cultural factors have the most impact on educational achievement.
- Your answer should include:
- at least **three** arguments for and **three** arguments against
 - a conclusion. [14]

Crime, deviance and social control

- 3 (a) Define the term:
- (i) police targeting [2]
 - (ii) retribution. [2]
- (b) State **two** agencies of formal social control. [2]
- (c) Describe **three** examples of global crime. [6]
- (d) Explain **three** limitations of the Marxist view of crime. [6]
- (e) Discuss the view that punishment reduces crime.
- Your answer should include:
- at least **three** developed points with evidence. [8]
- (f) Evaluate the view that victim surveys are the best way to measure crime.
- Your answer should include:
- at least **three** arguments for and **three** arguments against
 - a conclusion. [14]

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