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CAMBRIDGE

Sixth Form Scholarship Paper

GEOGRAPHY

Time: 1 hour 30 minutes

Specimen 2009

Instructions for candidates

Answer **two** of the following questions, using detailed case study examples and diagrams where appropriate.

You are advised to spend 45 minutes on each question.

1. Urban Sprawl (the spreading of low-density urban areas into the surrounding countryside) is seen as a problem in many MEDC cities. Why is it considered a problem and what can be done to manage it?
2. Natural Hazards (including Earthquakes, Volcanoes, Hurricanes, Floods) pose a significant threat to human populations. Explain why some places on earth more at risk from natural hazards than other places.
3. Describe in detail one fieldwork investigation that could be carried out by one or more A-level students within the area of the Ordnance Survey map provided. You could choose either a human or a physical topic.
4. The UK landscape has been shaped by the processes of Rivers, Ice and the Sea. Choose at least **two** specific locations in the UK and explain how one or more of these processes has led to the formation of the different landforms found there.
5. Describe the patterns of population density shown in the map below. Explain why population density varies around the world. Use located examples to develop your answer.

