

Sociology A Level Papers' Overview

Paper 1: Education with Theory and Methods (7192/1)	Paper 2: Topics in Sociology (7192/2)	Paper 3: Crime and Deviance with Theory and Methods (7192/3)
2 hrs – 80 marks 33.3%	2 hrs – 80 marks 33.3%	2 hrs – 80 marks 33.3%
Education (50)	Topic A2 Families and Households (40)	Crime and Deviance (50)
Q1 Outline two factors ... (4 marks)	Q4 Outline and explain two ... (10 marks)	Q1 Outline two ways ... (4 marks)
Q2 Outline three reasons ... (6 marks)	Q5 Item: Analyse two ... (10 marks)	Q2 Outline three reasons ... (6 marks)
Q3 Item: Analyse two reasons (10 marks)	Q6 Item: Evaluate the view that ... (20 marks)	Q3 Item: Analyse two reasons why ... (10 marks)
Q4 Item: Evaluate the view ... (30 marks)		Q4 Item: Evaluate the usefulness of (e.g. functionalist approach) ... (30 marks)
Methods in Context (20)	Topic B1 Beliefs in Society (40)	Theory and Methods (30)
Q5 Strengths and limitations of using method to investigate some aspect of education (20 marks)		
Theory and Methods (10)	Q13 Outline and explain two ... (10 marks)	Q5 Outline and explain two ... (10 marks)
Q6 Theory Question: Outline and explain two ... (10 marks)	Q14 Item: Analyse two ... (10 marks)	Q6 Item: Evaluate the usefulness ... (20 marks)
	Q 15 Item: Evaluate the view that ... (20 marks)	

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Component	Percentage of total marks	Exam length	Topics
Paper 1	50%	1 hour 30 mins	Education Methods in context Research methods
Paper 2	50%	1 hour 30 mins	Research methods <i>One of the following:</i> Culture/Identity Families Health Poverty

Assessment Objectives

AO1	AO2	AO3
<p>Knowledge and Understanding</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • sociological theories, concepts and evidence • sociological research method 	<p>Apply Sociological Theories</p> <p>Apply sociological theories, concepts, evidence and research methods to a range of issues</p>	<p>Analyse and Evaluate</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Analyse and evaluate sociological theories, concepts, evidence and research methods in order to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • present arguments • make judgements • draw conclusions.