

GETTING TO KNOW YOUR GERMANY GCSE EXAM STRUCTURE – 52 marks available.

TYPICAL QUESTION / MARKS	YOUR QUESTION STEM	EXAMPLE OF WHAT THEY WILL ASK	WHAT SHOULD I DO?	YOUR WRITING FRAME
1 – 4 marks	Give TWO things you can infer (learn) from Source A about.....	.... Hitler's leadership of the Nazi Party in the 1920s.	You are being asked to state 2 things that can be learned from the source and to explain which details in the source helped you to learn this.	I can infer that..... Details in the source that tell me this are..... (DO THIS TWICE)
2 - 12 marks	Explain why.....	.... there was opposition in Germany to the Treaty of Versailles, 1919.	You are being asked to give detailed reasons why something happened.	One reason why there was... A further reason.. In addition... Finally...
3a – 8 marks	How useful are Sources B and C for an enquiry into.....	....the attitudes of young people towards the Hitler Youth Movement?	You must use your own knowledge and N.O.P.C.C evaluation of the sources to decide on their uses and limits.	Source B is useful because.. However, it has limits because.. (repeat with Source C)
3b – 4 marks	What is the main difference between Interpretations 1 and 2?	The interpretations could give different views on how young people felt about Hitler Youth.	You need to explain what is different about the 2 interpretations and give specific examples.	Interpretation 1 states that... However, Interpretation 2 is different because it states that....
3c – 4 marks	Suggest one reason why Interpretations 1 and 2 have different views?	As above – you will be dealing with the same interpretations.	You are being asked to explain that each interpretation was based on the evidence of different sources. You need to match the interpretations to their sources.	Interpretations 1 and 2 are different because they have based their views on different source material. Interpretation 1 states that... it is based on Source B which says..... Interpretation 2 states that.... It is based on Source A which says...
3d – 20 marks The whopper!	How far do you agree with Interpretation 2 about .....	....the attitudes of young people towards the Hitler Youth Movement?	This is an essay – you need to be writing at least 1-2 sides. You need to use both the interpretations and your own expert knowledge to explain how much you agree, and also how much you disagree, before you reach a final judgement.	Give your opinion... Interpretation 2 states that.... I agree with this because.... However, Interpretation 1 said that... Evidence to support this other side of the argument is... In conclusion, I feel that...