



General Certificate of Education  
Advanced Level Examination  
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## History

## HIS3L

**Unit 3L From Defeat to Unity: Germany, 1945–1991**

**Monday 3 June 2013 9.00 am to 10.30 am**

**For this paper you must have:**

- an AQA 12-page answer book.

### **Time allowed**

- 1 hour 30 minutes

### **Instructions**

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Write the information required on the front of your answer book. The **Examining Body** for this paper is AQA. The **Paper Reference** is HIS3L.
- Answer **two** questions.
- In answering the questions you must use your own knowledge and understanding of the period.

### **Information**

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 90.
- You will be marked on your ability to:
  - use good English
  - organise information clearly
  - use specialist vocabulary where appropriate.

### **Advice**

- You are advised to spend about 45 minutes on each question.

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Answer **two** questions.

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**Question 1**

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 How effectively did the occupying powers deal with the legacies of Nazism and war in the years 1945 to 1949? *(45 marks)*

**Question 2**

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 How successfully did the governments of West Germany deal with the economic and social problems of the 1960s and 1970s? *(45 marks)*

**Question 3**

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 'The survival of Ulbricht and Honecker as leaders of the GDR between 1949 and 1989 was entirely dependent on the support given by the USSR.'  
Assess the validity of this view. *(45 marks)*

**END OF QUESTIONS**