**Marking the historical Enquiry**

The purpose of the Historical Enquiry is to test your ability to undertake the investigation of a specific historical question, problem or issue by drawing on knowledge, understanding and skills.

You will need to select, organise and deploy and analyse relevant information in order to reach appropriate judgements and conclusions.

**AO 1(a)** - recall, select and deploy historical knowledge appropriately, communicate knowledge and understanding of history (Quality of Written Communication) in a clear and effective manner by

* selecting and using a form and style of writing appropriate to the purpose and to complex subject matter
* organising relevant information clearly and coherently using specialist vocabulary as appropriate
* ensuring that the text is legible and spelling, grammar and punctuation are accurate so that meaning is clear

**15 marks**

**AO 1(b)** - demonstrate understanding of the past through explanation, analysis and arriving at substantiated judgements of

* key concepts such as causation, consequence, continuity, change and significance within a historical context
* the relationships between key features and characteristics of the periods studied

**20 marks**

**AO 2(a)** - analyse and evaluate a range of appropriate source material with discrimination

**10 marks**

**AO 2(b)** - analyse and evaluate, in relation to the historical context, how aspects of the past have been interpreted and represented in different ways

**15 marks**