



SECTION A

Read the source material and answer **all** the questions in Section A.

Source A



A middle class family in front of their home playing in their front garden

Source B



Teenage girls taking a selfie to upload to social media

- 1 Define the concept of sexual identity. [4]
- 2 With reference to **Source A**, identify and briefly explain **two** cultural characteristics of middle class identity. [6]
- 3 Using **Source B** and your wider sociological knowledge, explain how the media socialises individuals. [8]
- 4 Outline and briefly evaluate the view that old age can be viewed as a positive identity. [12]

**SECTION B**

Choose **one** option from Section B and answer **all** the questions for that option.

**OPTION 1**

**Families and relationships**

- 5 Define and briefly explain the concept of the lone parent family. [5]
- 6\* Identify and briefly explain **two** reasons why individuals choose to remain single. [8]
- 7\* Explain how parenting has changed in contemporary society. [12]
- 8\* Evaluate postmodern views of the nuclear family in contemporary society. [20]

**OPTION 2**

**Youth subcultures**

- 9 Define and briefly explain the concept of a folk devil. [5]
- 10\* Identify and briefly explain **two** new subcultures in contemporary society. [8]
- 11\* Explain how subcultures are related to ethnicity. [12]
- 12\* Evaluate the view that young people participate in deviant subcultures because they are negatively labelled. [20]

**OPTION 3**

**Media**

- 13 Define and briefly explain direct effect theories of how the media affects the audience. [5]
- 14\* Identify and briefly explain **two** ways the media represents the middle class. [8]
- 15\* Explain how the media has caused moral panics for certain social groups. [12]
- 16\* Evaluate postmodern views of representations in the media. [20]

**END OF QUESTION PAPER**

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