6.9 Exam Skills: The 16-Mark 'Explain Two of the Following' Importance Question: 10-minute Pack

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Total Marks

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Answer ALL questions. You are advised to spend about 10 minutes on this pack. This booklet practices Paper 2 period-study command words: short recall items followed by three extended questions in the Paper 2 format (an 8-mark explain-two-consequences, an 8-mark narrative account, and a 16-mark explain-two-of-the-following importance question). There are no sources, no interpretations and no SPaG marks in this booklet.

1 Give the name of the animal that was central to the Plains Indians' economy and daily life before large-scale white settlement.

(Total for Question 1 is 1 mark)

2 Name the portable dwelling used by many Plains Indian bands, made from hide stretched over poles.

(Total for Question 2 is 1 mark)

3 Give the name of one Plains Indian nation often described as part of the Sioux grouping.

(Total for Question 3 is 1 mark)

4 Give the century in which horses became widespread across the Great Plains and transformed Plains Indian mobility.

(Total for Question 4 is 1 mark)

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5 State two ways in which the arrival of the horse changed Plains Indian life.

(Total for Question 5 is 2 marks)

6 Name the method settlers and hunters used in the late 19th century that led to the rapid decline of buffalo herds.

(Total for Question 6 is 1 mark)

7 State one reason why the tipi suited a nomadic lifestyle.

(Total for Question 7 is 2 marks)

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Mark scheme · 6.9 Exam Skills: The 16-Mark 'Explain Two of the Following' Importance Question: 10-minute Pack

Question 1

the buffalo (bison) **B1**

Answer: The buffalo, also called the American bison.

Question 2

the tipi **B1**

Answer: The tipi

Question 3

Lakota (Sioux) **B1**

Answer: The Lakota (part of the Sioux grouping).

Question 4

the eighteenth century **B1**

Answer: The eighteenth century

Question 5

made hunting buffalo more efficient by allowing mounted chase **B1**

increased mobility and enabled wider raiding and trade **B1**

Answer: It made buffalo hunting on horseback much more efficient, and it increased mobility, enabling longer-range raiding and trade.

Question 6

commercial hunting for hides and meat / mass buffalo hunting **B1**

Answer: Commercial mass hunting for hides and meat.

Question 7

identifies feature, e.g. easily dismantled and transported **B1**

supporting detail, e.g. could be carried on a travois when a band moved camp to follow buffalo **B1**

Answer: It could be quickly dismantled and carried, for example on a travois, allowing bands to move camp often to follow the herds.

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