5.2 Weimar and Nazi Germany, 1918-1923: The Origins of the Republic and Early Crises: 10-minute Pack

EDEXCEL 1HI0 · about 10 minutes

Total Marks

Name: _____ Date: ____ / ____ / _____

Answer ALL questions. You are advised to spend about 10 minutes on this pack.

1 Give the date on which the armistice was signed, ending the fighting of the First World War.

(Total for Question 1 is 1 mark)

2 Give the name of the failed right-wing coup of March 1920, led by Wolfgang Kapp, that was defeated by a general strike.

(Total for Question 2 is 1 mark)

3 Give the month and year in which French and Belgian troops occupied the Ruhr industrial region.

(Total for Question 3 is 1 mark)

4 State what the German government's policy of "passive resistance" in the Ruhr in 1923 involved.

(Total for Question 4 is 2 marks)

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5 Name the first President of the Weimar Republic and the party he led.

(Total for Question 5 is 2 marks)

6 Give the date on which the Weimar Constitution was formally adopted.

(Total for Question 6 is 2 marks)

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Question 1

11 November 1918 **B1**

Answer: 11 November 1918

Question 2

the Kapp Putsch **B1**

Answer: The Kapp Putsch

Question 3

January 1923 **B1**

Answer: January 1923

Question 4

workers in the Ruhr went on strike and refused to cooperate with the occupying French and Belgian forces **B1**

the German government kept paying these striking workers' wages, printing extra money to do so **B1**

Answer: Ruhr workers went on strike and refused to cooperate with the occupiers, while the government printed money to keep paying their wages.

Question 5

Friedrich Ebert **B1**

of the SPD (Social Democratic Party) **B1**

Answer: Friedrich Ebert, of the Social Democratic Party (SPD).

Question 6

11 August **B1**

1919 **B1**

Answer: 11 August 1919

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