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**9PL0/3B**

**Politics**

**Advanced**

**PAPER 3: Paper 3: Comparative Politics – Global  
Politics**

**You do not need any other materials.**

Total Marks

### Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- There are **three** sections and you must answer **four** questions:
  - in Section A answer **either** Question 1(a) **or** 1(b)
  - in Section B answer Question 2
  - in Section C answer **two** questions from 3(a), **or** 3(b) **or** 3(c).
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
  - *there may be more space than you need.*
- Calculators must **not** be used.

### Information

- The total mark for this paper is 84.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
  - *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*

### Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.
- Good luck with your examination.

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**SECTION A**

**Answer ONE question from EITHER Question 1(a) OR Question 1(b).**

**EITHER**

- 1** (a) Examine the criticisms that have been made of both the International Criminal Court and the special UN tribunals. (12)

**OR**

- (b) Examine the differences between the role and significance of NATO and the role and significance of the UN. (12)

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**TOTAL FOR SECTION A = 12 MARKS**



SECTION B

**Answer Question 2.**

- 2 Analyse the divisions that exist between realists and liberals over the impact of both international organisations and the significance of states.

*In your answer you must discuss any relevant core political ideas.*

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**TOTAL FOR SECTION B = 12 MARKS**





## SECTION C

Answer TWO questions from 3(a) OR 3(b) OR 3(c).

In your answer you should make connections between relevant areas of politics studied from Global Politics.

### EITHER

- 3 (a) Evaluate the view that the EU has become a superpower, comparable with the United States.

*You must consider this view and the alternative to this view in a balanced way.*

(30)

### AND/OR

- (b) Evaluate the view that environmental issues have received greater attention than economic issues in global politics.

*You must consider this view and the alternative to this view in a balanced way.*

(30)

### AND/OR

- (c) Evaluate the view that regional organisations have eroded state sovereignty.

*You must consider this view and the alternative to this view in a balanced way.*

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**TOTAL FOR SECTION C = 60 MARKS**  
**TOTAL FOR PAPER = 84 MARKS**



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