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2C. The Development of the USSR, 1924-1991

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Question 5 will assess your ability to construct a balanced, reasoned and well-substantiated extended response.

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Answer **all** *questions.*

QUESTION 1

Describe the main features of Khrushchev's policy of de-Stalinisation. [5]

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QUESTION 2

How far did Stalin's policy of collectivisation affect life in the USSR? [6]

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QUESTION 3

Stalin was able to maintain power in the USSR by the use of methods such as:

- propaganda
- censorship
- terror

Arrange these methods in order of their importance in Stalin's maintenance of power in the USSR. Explain your choices. [9]

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QUESTION 4

Explain why relations between the USSR and the USA worsened between 1945 and 1962. [8]

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QUESTION 5

How important were the policies of Gorbachev in bringing change to the USSR? [12]

[In your answer you should discuss the importance of Gorbachev in bringing change to the USSR alongside other factors in order to reach a judgement.]

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