

Practice Exam questions

The People's Health exam is split into 4 sections:

Question 1 – three one mark questions – give one example...Name one...Name the... What was...?

Question 2 – Nine mark question – will always begin "Write a clear and organised summary that analyses..."

Questions 3 – Ten mark question – an explanation question which will start with Why ... Why did... What caused ... What was the impact ...

Question 4 – eighteen mark question (you have a choice of two) - making a judgement "How far so you agree with the statement..."

1. Examples of 1 markers

Give **one** example of discrimination against African- Americans between 1789 and 1900.

Name **one** of the Indian wars fought between 1861 and 1876

Name **one** of the main industries that provided employment for large numbers of African Americans in the south after 1877.

Give **one** example of how some Homesteaders tried to live on the plains after 1862

Name **one** of the states that was added to the USA between 1789 and 1900.

2. Write a clear and organised summary that analyses the impact of the Indian Removal Act of 1830. Support your summary with examples.

[9 marks]

2. Write a clear and organised summary that analyses the difficulties faced by early migrants on their journeys to Oregon and California in the 1840s and 1850s. Support your summary with examples

[9marks]

3. What was the impact of the destruction of the buffalo on Plains Indians, 1877-1900?

Explain your answer

[9 marks]

3. What was the impact of the California gold rush, 1848-49?

Explain your answer

[10 marks]

4. "The North fought the Civil War to bring an end to slavery." How far do you agree with this statement? Give reasons for your answer.

[18 marks]

4. ' How far do you agree that the building of railroads across the Plains was the main reason for the destruction of the Plains Indians' culture after 1877? Give reasons for your answer

[18 marks]

4. The period of Reconstruction from 1863 to 1877 was a time of progress for former slaves in America's southern states". How far do you agree with this statement? Give reasons for your answer

[18 marks]