

# How to answer...

## Account Question

8  
Marks

### Write an account of...

This question features on: ➤ Paper 1B: Question 3  
➤ Paper 2B: Question 3

This question tests your ability to write about **causes** and **consequences** - you should not only tell your examiner **what** happened, but **why** each event happened

You should identify at least 2 key points in your account/narrative - then **link** them by explaining how one caused the next - 'fill the gaps'

**Beginning** - what started the sequence of events?

**Middle** - think of 2 or more events: what were the **key factors** at play, how did they **cause** these events to occur in the specific way they did? (remember to write in **chronological order**)

**End** - what did this all lead to?

**Key vocab:**

'this meant that' 'this led to' 'consequently' 'thus' 'because of this' 'as a result' 'this caused' 'therefore'

This question will focus on causation, change, continuity and/or consequence