

Qualification: A Level Sociology

Higher Tariff Questions 20+ marks

What could be assessed in 2022 for **higher tariff questions**

Note: this guidance is for questions 20 marks+

Students could be asked lower tariff questions on anything not listed below. There is no additional guidance for

- *Globalisation and the digital world- this unit should be revised in **full***

Note: you should be using the specification to revise all topics for lower tariff questions

Paper 1

Higher Tariff Qs

- Section A (Socialisation, culture and identity) 20 mark question
- Section B (Youth) 24 mark Q

Section A	Aspects of identity and the associated cultural characteristics: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• sexuality• age• disability
Section B	Patterns and trends in youth deviance related to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• social class• gender• ethnicity

Paper 2

Higher Tariff Q's

- Section A (Research methods) 25 mark Q
- Section B (Inequalities) 20 mark Q, 40 mark Q

Section A Research methods	Key concepts in the research process: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• respondent validation• longitudinal studies• interpretation of data• the relationship between sociology and social policy
Section B Research inequality	The main sociological explanations of social inequality and difference: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• functionalism• Marxism <p><i>Note that this question may relate to explanations of social class, gender, ethnic or age inequalities.</i></p>

Paper 3

Higher Tariff Q's

- Section B (Crime and Deviance) 20 mark Q, 40 mark Q

Section B
Crime and deviance

The social distribution of offending and victimisation:

- social class
- gender
- ethnicity