

# QUESTIONS THAT REQUIRE TWO SIDES OF AN ARGUMENT

*Evaluate, To what extent, Justify, Suggest, Discuss*

## OOO STRUCTURE

**1. ON ONE HAND...**

**2. ON THE OTHER HAND...**

**3. OVERALL...**



### 6 MARK OOO

<b>On one hand...</b>	<b>P-</b> What is the first side of the argument? Use terminology from the exam question. <b>E-</b> What evidence do you have? (Case study? Figure?) <b>E-</b> Use key phrases to explain this.
<b>On the other hand...</b>	<b>P-</b> What is the other side of the argument? Use terminology from the exam question. <b>E-</b> What evidence do you have? (Case study? Figure?) <b>E-</b> Use key phrases to explain this.
<b>Overall...</b>	What is your opinion? Use terminology from the exam question.

### 9 MARK OOO

<b>Opening sentence</b>	Use the terminology from the exam question and any locational knowledge of your case studies to introduce your answer.
<b>On one hand...</b>	<b>P-</b> What is the first side of the argument? Use terminology from the exam question. <b>E-</b> What evidence do you have? (Case study? Figure?) <b>E-</b> Use key phrases to explain this. <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">x2</span>
<b>On the other hand...</b>	<b>P-</b> What is the other side of the argument? Use terminology from the exam question. <b>E-</b> What evidence do you have? (Case study? Figure?) <b>E-</b> Use key phrases to explain this. <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">x2</span>
<b>Overall...</b>	What is your opinion? Why is this your opinion? Use terminology from the exam question and key phrases in your answer.

# QUESTIONS THAT REQUIRE YOU TO RANK

## ASSESS

### RANKING STRUCTURE



**Decision. Evidence. Explain.**  
**(x2 or x3)**

### 6 MARK RANKING

<b>The most important/significant</b>	<b>D-</b> What is the most important point? Use terminology from the exam question. <b>E-</b> What evidence do you have? (Case study? Figure?) <b>E-</b> Use key phrases to explain this.
<b>The least important/significant</b>	<b>D-</b> What is the least important point? Use terminology from the exam question. <b>E-</b> What evidence do you have? (Case study? Figure?) <b>E-</b> Use key phrases to explain this.
<b>Overall...</b>	What is your opinion? Use terminology from the exam question.

### 9 MARK RANKING

<b>Opening sentence</b>	Use the judgement terminology from the exam question and any locational knowledge of your case studies to introduce your answer.
<b>The most important/significant...</b>	<b>D-</b> What is the most important point? Use the judgement terminology from the exam question. <b>E-</b> What evidence do you have? (Case study? Figure?) <b>E-</b> Use key phrases to explain why this is so important.
<b>The second most important/significant...</b>	<b>D-</b> What is the second most important point? Use the judgement terminology from the exam question. <b>E-</b> What evidence do you have? (Case study? Figure?) <b>E-</b> Use key phrases to explain why this is important.
<b>The least important/significant...</b>	<b>D-</b> What is the least important point? Use the judgement terminology from the exam question. <b>E-</b> What evidence do you have? (Case study? Figure?) <b>E-</b> Use key phrases to explain this is not as important.
<b>Overall...</b>	What is your opinion? Why is this your opinion? Use the judgement terminology from the exam question and key phrases in your answer.

# How to answer 'distribution' questions

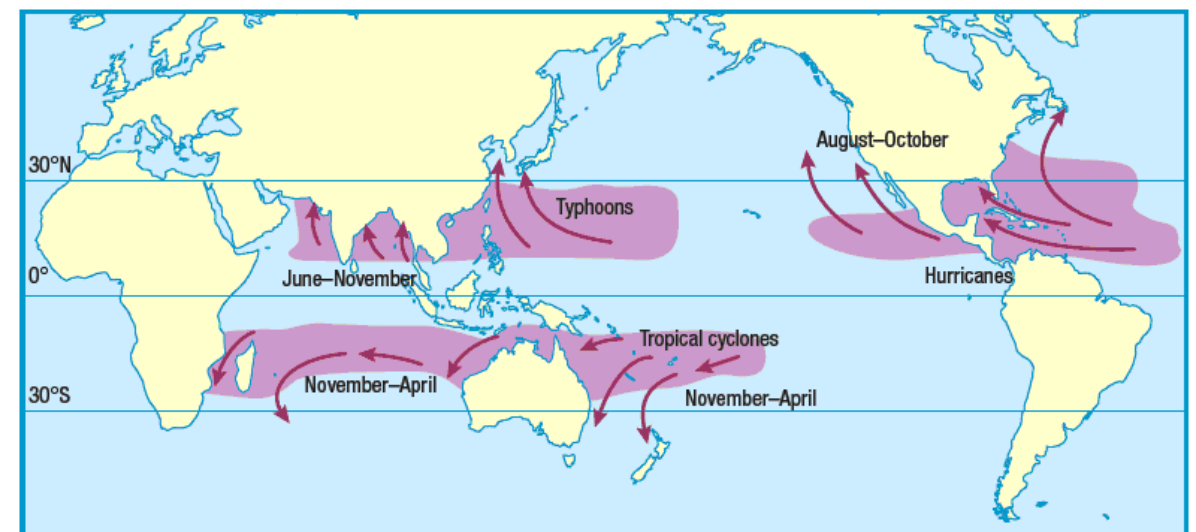
**T= Trend:** What is the general pattern of distribution?

**E= Examples:** Pick out examples from the map (*use place names and compass directions*)

**A= Anomalies:** What doesn't fit the trend?



**EXAMPLE:** Describe the distribution of tropical storms (3 marks)



**TREND:** The map shows that tropical storms form in the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans which are close to the equator and between the tropics.

**EXAMPLES:** For example, many tropical storms start out in the Atlantic Ocean and travel westwards towards the Caribbean and Central America.

**ANOMALIES:** Tropical storms mainly affect places between the equator, but some reach north eastern parts of the USA which is not between the tropics.

# How to answer Paper 3: 'Do You Agree'

*In the exam you will be given 2 options to choose from. You must select an option and state why it is the best option. This is worth 12 marks!*

**R= Reason for your chosen option:** What is your main reason for selecting this option? Think about impacts on the economy, players and the environment.

**A= Another reason for your chosen option:** Provide a further benefit of your option. Again, think economy, players and the environment.

**W= Weaknesses of your chosen option:** What are the disadvantages of your chosen option?

**R= Reasons for not selecting the alternatives option:** What are the disadvantages of the other option?



# What is the difference between 'describe' and 'explain'?

**DESCRIBE: State the characteristics**



**EXPLAIN: Provide reasons why (use key phrases)**

**Arm rest: to make it more comfortable**

**Tall back: to support posture**

**Wheels: to allow people to move around**

**Padded seat: to make it more comfortable if sitting for a long time**

# **GEOGRAPHY KEY PHRASES FOR EXPLAIN QUESTIONS**

**THIS MEANS  
THAT...**

**THIS IS  
BECAUSE...**

**THIS LEADS  
TO...**

**AS A  
RESULT...**