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Pearson Edexcel International Advanced Level

Wednesday 14 January 2026

Afternoon (Time: 1 hour 30 minutes)

Paper reference **WGE04/01**

Geography

International Advanced Level

UNIT 4: Researching Geography

You do not need any other materials.

Total Marks

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **ONE** question only.
- Answer the question in the spaces provided
– *there may be more space than you need.*

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 60.
- The quality of your written communication will be assessed in your response
– *you should take particular care with your spelling, punctuation and grammar, as well as the clarity of expression.*

Advice

- You are expected to write a report style essay with clear subsections and referencing.
- You are advised to use the first page of the answer space on page 3 to plan your answer.

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Answer ONE question only.

It is essential that you use your own research to support your arguments.

OPTION 1: Tectonic Activity and Hazards

- 1** 'The most successful strategy to manage the impacts of tectonic disasters is to modify the vulnerability of communities at risk.' Discuss.

(Total for Question 1 = 60 marks)

OPTION 2: Feeding the World's People

- 2** Evaluate the view that physical factors are the main cause of both global and local food insecurity.

(Total for Question 2 = 60 marks)

OPTION 3: Cultural Diversity: People and Landscapes

- 3** 'Without effective management the impacts of globalisation are always negative for indigenous cultures and landscapes.' How far do you agree?

(Total for Question 3 = 60 marks)

OPTION 4: Human Health and Disease

- 4** Evaluate the view that both local and global programmes are always needed to successfully reduce disease risk.

(Total for Question 4 = 60 marks)



Indicate which question you are answering by marking a cross in the box ☒. If you change your mind, put a line through the box ☒ and then indicate your new question with a cross ☒.

Chosen question number: **Question 1** ☒ **Question 2** ☐

Question 3 ☐ **Question 4** ☐

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