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| **Marks** | **Description** |
| **Band 2**  **Simple**  **3-6 marks** | The response begins to explain the importance of the given factor or other factor(s) in relation to the question. This is supported with some factual detail. Explanations will not be fully developed. |
| **Band 3Developed**  **7-9 marks** | The response includes a developed explanation of both of the given factors. This is focussed on the question and well supported with specific factual detail and examples. The answer may begin to develop an overall judgement, however this is not fully developed. |
| **Band 4Complex10-12 marks** | The response explains both of the given factors in detail. These are precisely focussed on the question and well supported with specific factual detail. Students will be able to make links between factors to help them reach a sustained judgement as to the relative importance of factors in response to the question. |

Which of the following had a greater impact on the lives of the German people?

* Treaty of Versailles
* Hyperinflation crisis of 1923

Explain with reference to both events

•*Consider the whole of the key event.*

•*Reference both factors given in the question.*

•*Explain the importance of factors in detail.*

•*The use of precise historical evidence and examples.*

•*Top marks –consider the extent of the importance of each factor.*

•*Sustained judgement.*