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## IGCSE Geography Session 4 – Settlement & the first 18 marks

In this 40 minute session today, we will be covering the following aspects of your IGCSE Geography Paper Question 1 Settlement – The short responses:

1. **How to deal with the graphs, maps and charts**
2. **Timings for the 1 and 2 mark skills questions (and not underestimating them)**
- 4 **The 3, 4 & 5 mark questions that ask for skills & knowledge BUT NOT CASE STUDIES.**

Ok, so you've just opened Paper 1. You know that in Section A, you have to complete either Q1 or Q2. Knowing this, you've just flicked to the 7-mark question on both and decided that Q2 (Settlement) is the one you will be completing.

Before you get to that Settlement 7-mark case study question, you are going to need to tackle the small but significant early questions where your skills and knowledge will be tested in a series of 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 mark questions. Make this section count as easy marks lost here can cost you overall. ***There are 18 marks up for grabs so stop, read, highlight, read again and complete.***

You have about 25 minutes to complete this section before moving on to the 7-mark question at the end (more about that next week) and spending 10 minutes on that.

25% Extra Time calculation for 25% of 25 minutes = \_\_\_\_\_ minutes on short response section.

### **Graphs & Charts.**

The first thing you are going to see is a chart, table or map linking to Unit 1 – Settlement. Don't freak out if you've never studied Settlement in that country. **IT DOESN'T MATTER** and you are not going to be tested on that. Stay calm, study the titles, axis, key, numbers and patterns carefully. You do not have much time here and the charts can be a little tricky to interpret at first inspection.

Turn over for some examples from November 2018.

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### November 2018 – The nasty time-consuming maps.

2 (a) Study Fig. 2.1, which shows information about the world's population living in urban areas.



Fig. 2.1

(i) Tick the one feature in the table which is typical of an urban area.

	Tick (✓)
Few sources of employment are available	
Low population density	
Large amounts of housing, shops and entertainment	
Large areas of open space	
Most land is used for farming	

Part 1 – Calm down and study the graphic carefully. 1 & 2 mark questions.

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(ii) Using Fig. 2.1, complete the table below by inserting the names of the following four countries.

The countries should be arranged in rank order of the percentage of their total population living in urban areas.

Brazil	Ethiopia	India	South Africa

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(b) Study Figs. 2.2, 2.3 and 2.4 (Insert), which are photographs taken in an urban area in an LEDC.

(i) Using evidence from Figs. 2.2, 2.3 and 2.4 only, identify three pull factors attracting people to urban areas in LEDCs.

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Time to get the insert booklet out and get studying those photos. Here they are testing you on your observational skills and on your ability to spot things in the photo that might **PULL** people away from rural areas. Look closely at the photos below and give it a shot! Do not just write one word like "School". Expand and finish the sentence to explain why it is a **PULL** factor.



