**20-mark data handling source question technique**

1. Locate 5 different coloured highlighter pens.
2. Identify the first part of the viewpoint.
3. Identify the two or three component parts of the first part of the viewpoint.
4. Assign a highlighter colour to each component part of the first part of the viewpoint.
5. Identify the second part of the viewpoint.
6. Identify the two or three component parts of the second part of the viewpoint.
7. Assign a highlighter colour to each component part of the second part of the viewpoint.
8. Underline the evaluation terms used in each component (eg: convincingly, significant defeat, significant margin, in all sections of society, in all regions, defeated in all areas, disaster, great success etc)
9. Spend up to 15 minutes processing the information in the sources and assigning the relevant colour of highlighter (linked to each component part of the viewpoints) to the relevant data and/or textual information.
10. Note the aspects that each source refers to. NB: each component of each part of the viewpoint (5 in total) will relate to up to four aspects (minimum number of aspects = 2 for a component part of the viewpoint). Aspects can be related to age, gender, ethnicity, year, region, income group, general election performance including vote share by constituency or Electoral College etc. The data will only relate to elections – these can relate to any election anywhere in the world. No background knowledge is required.
11. Begin the write up. You will write 5 paragraphs worth 4 marks each:

**NB:**

* There will always be 5 components within the main viewpoint shown in the box.
* There will always be between 2 and 4 aspects of data that relate to each component part of each viewpoint that you MUST identify.

**Marks are allocated as follows:**

If ONE aspect of data (out of a possible 2,3 or 4 aspects) is identified = 1 mark

If ALL aspects of data are identified correctly (the mark is the same if you have to write about 2, 3 or 4 aspects of data) = 2 marks

If ALL aspects of data are identified correctly (the mark is the same if you have to write about 2, 3 or 4 aspects of data) AND if there is synthesis/a link shown between evidence = 3 marks

If ALL aspects of data are identified correctly (the mark is the same if you have to write about 2, 3 or 4 aspects of data) AND if there is synthesis/a link shown between evidence AND the evidence is EVALUATED in relation to the viewpoint WITH justification = 4 marks.