**ASSESSMENT TYPE 1: HISTORICAL SKILLS**

**TOPIC 10: THE STRUGGLE FOR PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST (1945 -)**

**TASK**

Much of history is about contestability.

We have seen how the same piece of evidence can be used to support quite different interpretations of the same events.

This task continues that exploration as you are to produce three interpretations of the same material which explores the causes and course of the **Iranian Revolution.**

Many famous images from the revolution would be seen quite differently from the perspective of the supporters of the Shah, the Western leaning supporters of the Provisional Government and the followers of Ayatollah Khomeini.

Your task is toselect four images or documents from the revolution which are visually interesting and historically important. For each provide a **long caption** from each of the three perspectives.

Also include a final long paragraph which contains a commentary which justifies your selection of the four sources.

**ASSESSMENT CONDITIONS:** 800 words maximum

**CRITERIA FOR ASSESSMENT**

UE1: Understanding and exploration of historical concepts.

AE1: Application of the skills of historical inquiry to examine and evaluate sources and interpretations.