

6.9 Institutional Responses and Reform

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KEY WORDS liberalism shifted from laissez-faire to interventionist 从自由放任转向干预
• compulsory public education 义务教育 • government responses 政府回应

Objective

Build the skills to explain **government responses** 政府回应 to industrialisation.

You must be able to:

- state liberalism’s shift and its stated reason
- name the four urban reforms
- name the forces that moved governments
- state the three goals given for compulsory education

1 Worked examples

Study these first. Each one shows the method for a task used later.

■ Liberalism’s shift

Liberalism shifted from laissez-faire to interventionist economic and social policies in **response to the challenges of industrialisation**. The reason is stated, so this is adaptation rather than inconsistency.

■ Four reforms

Reforms transformed unhealthy and overcrowded cities by modernising infrastructure, regulating public health, reforming prisons and establishing modern police forces — building, regulating, reforming, and creating a new institution.

■ What moved governments

Reforms were enacted by governments motivated by such forces as public opinion, prominent individuals and charity organisations. “Such forces as” marks an open list.

■ Education’s three goals

Reformers promoted compulsory public education to advance public order, nationalism and economic growth. None of the three is the good of the child; the CED reports the reformers’ reasons.

2 Practice

2.1 State liberalism’s shift and the reason given. [2]

2.2 Name the four urban reforms. [2]

2.3 Compulsory education is promoted.

(a) Name the three goals the CED gives. [3]

(b) State what is absent from the list. [1]

3 Exam-style questions

3.1 “Such forces as public opinion, prominent individuals and charity organisations” indicates [1]

- A

B

C

D

A a complete list

B an open list of examples

C a legal requirement

D a single cause

3.2 Nationalism appears among the goals of compulsory schooling because school [1]

- A

B

C

D

A teaches trades only

B is a way of making a population into a nation

C replaces the family

D reduces literacy

3.3 A city builds sewers, licenses inspectors and hires a police force in one generation.

(a) State what the three have in common. [1]

(b) Explain what each leaves behind. [2]
