

Tuesday 13 June 2023 – Morning A Level History A

Y220/01 Italy 1896-1943

Time allowed: 1 hour



You must have:

• the OCR 12-page Answer Booklet

INSTRUCTIONS

- · Use black ink.
- Write your answer to each question in the Answer Booklet. The question numbers must be clearly shown.
- Fill in the boxes on the front of the Answer Booklet.
- Choose **one** question and answer **all** the parts of that question.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 30.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets [].
- Quality of extended response will be assessed in questions marked with an asterisk (*).
- This document has 2 pages.

ADVICE

• Read each question carefully before you start your answer.

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Answer Question 1 or Question 2.

- 1 (a) Which of the following had the greater impact on the development of Italy during the years from 1896 to 1915?
 - (i) Economic problems
 - (ii) Political failure

Explain your answer with reference to both (i) and (ii).

[10]

(b)* 'In the period from 1925 to 1940, Mussolini's domestic policy was a success.' How far do you agree? [20]

OR

- 2 (a) Which of the following did more to bring about the fall of Fascist Italy?
 - (i) Its preparations for war in the years before 1940
 - (ii) The domestic impact of war upon Italy during the period from 1940 to 1943

Explain your answer with reference to both (i) and (ii).

[10]

(b)* How consistent was Mussolini's foreign policy during the years 1922 to 1940?

[20]

END OF QUESTION PAPER



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