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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.

Answer **EITHER** all of Question 1 **OR** all of Question 2.

- 1 (a) Which of the following caused the greater problems for Italy during the years from 1896 to 1915?

- (i) Industrial growth
- (ii) Colonial conflicts

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

[10]

- (b)* 'Involvement in the Spanish Civil War marked the greatest failure of Mussolini's foreign policy during the years from 1922 to 1940.' How far do you agree?

[20]

OR

- 2 (a) Which was the greater failure of the Fascist government in Italy in the 1930s?

- (i) The Corporate State
- (ii) Jewish policy

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

[10]

- (b)* 'Giolitti's ministries during the years from 1896 to 1915 were failures.' How far do you agree?

[20]

END OF QUESTION PAPER

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