

Modified Enlarged 18pt

OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS

Wednesday 10 June 2020 – Morning

A Level History A

Y220/01 Italy 1896–1943

**Time allowed: 1 hour
plus your additional time allowance**

**YOU MUST HAVE:
the OCR 12-page Answer Booklet**

READ INSTRUCTIONS OVERLEAF



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 (*).

ADVICE

Read each question carefully before you start your answer.

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

1 (a) Which was the greater success for Fascist Italy during the years from 1925 to 1939?

(i) Propaganda

(ii) Relations with the Church

Explain your answer with reference to both (i) and (ii). [10]

(b)* ‘Mussolini’s political ability explains his success during the years from 1915 to 1925.’ How far do you agree? [20]

OR

2 (a) Which was the greater failure for Italy during the years from 1896 to 1915?

(i) Domestic policy

(ii) Foreign policy

Explain your answer with reference to both (i) and (ii). [10]

(b)* ‘Mussolini’s foreign policy during the years from 1922 to 1943 achieved nothing but his own downfall.’ How far do you agree? [20]

END OF QUESTION PAPER



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