

OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS

Friday 15 October 2021 – Afternoon

A Level History A

**Y203/01 The Crusades and the Crusader
States 1095–1192**

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

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

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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 of the following was more important in bringing about the Third Crusade?

(i) The idea of jihad

(ii) The conquests of Saladin

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

(b)* How far was the First Crusade the result of the appeal made by Urban II? [20]

OR

2 (a) Which of the following was more important in bringing about victory in the First Crusade?

(i) The divisions in the Islamic world

(ii) The military tactics of the crusaders

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

(b)* ‘The Third Crusade achieved very little.’ How far do you agree? [20]

END OF QUESTION PAPER



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