



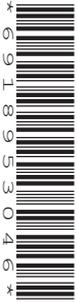
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A Level History A

Y210/01 Russia 1645–1741

Tuesday 19 June 2018 – Morning

Time allowed: 1 hour



You must have:

- the OCR 12-page Answer Booklet (OCR12 sent with general stationery)

INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink.
- Choose either Question 1 or Question 2 and answer all parts of the question.
- Write your answers in the Answer Booklet. The question number(s) must be clearly shown.
- Do **not** write in the barcodes.

INFORMATION

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

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

1 (a) Which of the following was most affected by the demands of Peter the Great?

- (i) the nobility
- (ii) the peasantry

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

(b)* Assess the importance of the church in opposing the reforms of Russian rulers in the period 1645–1725. [20]

OR

2 (a) Which of the following rulers experienced greater problems during their reign?

- (i) Catherine I and Peter II
- (ii) Anne and Ivan VI

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

(b)* To what extent did the West influence the rulers of Russia in the period 1645–1698? [20]

END OF QUESTION PAPER

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