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A Level History A

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

Wednesday 21 June 2017 – Morning

Time allowed: 1 hour



You must have:

- the OCR 12-page Answer Booklet
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INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink.
- Choose either Question 1 or Question 2 and answer all parts of the question.
- Write your answer to each question on the Answer Booklet.
- 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 of greater importance in the failure of the Second Crusade?

(i) Events in Anatolia, Antioch and Acre

(ii) The siege of Damascus

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

(b)* How important were internal rivalries in the problems facing the Crusader States in the twelfth century? [20]

OR

2 (a) Which of the following was of greater importance to the outcome of the Third Crusade?

(i) Richard I

(ii) Philip Augustus

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

(b)* How important were the military tactics of the Crusaders in explaining their capture of Jerusalem in 1099? [20]

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