

Friday 16 October 2020 – Afternoon

A Level History A

Y218/01 International Relations 1890–1941

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 was the greater success of the 1920s?
 - (i) The League of Nations
 - (ii) The Locarno Treaties

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

[10]

(b)* 'The period from 1918 to 1941 was one of increasing friction between Japan and the USA.' How far do you agree? [20]

OR

- 2 (a) Which had the greater impact on international relations in the 1930s?
 - (i) The Spanish Civil War
 - (ii) The Nazi-Soviet Pact

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

[10]

(b)* 'The outcome of World War One on the Eastern Front was determined by Russian weakness.' How far do you agree? [20]

END OF QUESTION PAPER



Copyright Information

OCR is committed to seeking permission to reproduce all third-party content that it uses in its assessment materials. OCR has attempted to identify and contact all copyright holders whose work is used in this paper. To avoid the issue of disclosure of answer-related information to candidates, all copyright acknowledgements are reproduced in the OCR Copyright Acknowledgements Booklet. This is produced for each series of examinations and is freely available to download from our public website (www.ocr.org.uk) after the live examination series.

If OCR has unwittingly failed to correctly acknowledge or clear any third-party content in this assessment material, OCR will be happy to correct its mistake at the earliest possible opportunity.

For queries or further information please contact The OCR Copyright Team, The Triangle Building, Shaftesbury Road, Cambridge CB2 8EA.

OCR is part of the Cambridge Assessment Group; Cambridge Assessment is the brand name of University of Cambridge Local Examinations Syndicate (UCLES), which is itself a department of the University of Cambridge.

© OCR 2020 Y218/01 Jun20