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AS Level History A

Y248/01 International Relations 1890–1941

Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes



You must have:

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

INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink.
- Answer either Question 1 or Question 2 in Section A, and Question 3 in Section B.
- Write your answers in the Answer Booklet. The question number(s) must be clearly shown.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is **50**.
- 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 **4** pages.

SECTION A

Answer **ONE** question.

EITHER

- 1*** 'The outcome of World War One in 1918 was determined by the entry into the war of the USA.'
How far do you agree? **[30]**

OR

- 2*** To what extent were Anglo-French policies responsible for the outbreak of the Second World War?
[30]

SECTION B

- 3 Read the interpretation and then answer the question that follows:

‘Only one of the great European powers that entered the war in August 1914 had any clear idea of what they hoped to gain by victory: Austria-Hungary.’

Terry Morris and Derrick Murphy: *Europe 1870–1991*, published in 2004.

Evaluate the strengths and limitations of this interpretation, making reference to other interpretations you have studied. **[20]**

END OF QUESTION PAPER

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