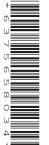


AS Level History A

Y245 Italy and Unification 1789–1896

Wednesday 25 May 2016 - Afternoon

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 answer to each question on the Answer Booklet.
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INFORMATION

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SECTION A

Answer **ONE** question.

1* How far was the failure of governments restored in 1815 in Italy responsible for the revolutions of 1848? [30]

2* How far was Italy united between 1861 and 1896?

[30]

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SECTION B

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

'Cavour was the architect of Italian unification.'

Denis Mack Smith, Italy and Its Monarchy, 1989.

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

END OF QUESTION PAPER

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