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Global politics Higher level Paper 2

Tuesday 25 October 2022 (morning)

1 hour 45 minutes

Instructions to candidates

- Do not turn over this examination paper until instructed to do so.
- Answer two questions, each from a different unit of study. Each question is worth [25 marks].
- The maximum mark for this examination paper is [50 marks].

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Answer **two** questions, each from a different unit of study. Each question is worth [25 marks].

Power, sovereignty and international relations

- 1. Discuss the view that cooperation is more effective than a state's use of force in global politics.
- 2. To what extent do you agree with the claim that the legitimacy of a state is challenged if it fails to protect the human rights of its citizens?

Human rights

- **3.** To what extent does cultural relativism always hinder the protection and enforcement of universal human rights?
- **4.** "Only the most powerful states can shape the role played by human rights in global politics." Discuss this view.

Development

- **5.** Examine the view that the meaning of development is contested because of the difficulties of measuring it.
- **6.** Discuss the view that the role of state and non-state actors in achieving sustainable development is positive.

Peace and conflict

- **7.** Examine the claim that non-violent methods are likely to promote justice for communities.
- **8.** "Lasting peace is unlikely to be achieved without development." Discuss this view.