

History

# Paper 3

Politics

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## Instructions for this paper

- Answer *only* two questions.

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## Essay questions

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1. (25 marks) **Classics: Greeks.** Select *one* of the following prompts.
  - (a) Did we gain anything from the Greek Dark Ages?
  - (b) To what extent was Athenian democracy foolish?
  - (c) To what extent did Alexander's conquests create a Greek world?
2. (25 marks) **Classics: The Latin republic.** Select *one* of the following prompts.
  - (a) Write a history of the Punic wars from the Carthaginian perspective.
  - (b) To what extent was Cicero as a person erased in the centuries after the fall of the republic?
  - (c) 'The fall of the republic was a terrible thing.' Discuss.
3. (25 marks) **Classics: The Latin empire.** Select *one* of the following prompts.
  - (a) 'The invasion of Dacia was a mistake.' Discuss.
  - (b) To what extent did the Latin people create a nation?
  - (c) To what extent did the fall of the Western Latin Empire change the political landscape of western Europe?
4. (25 marks) **Politics.** Select *one* of the following prompts.
  - (a) 'There is a duty not to secede.' Discuss.
  - (b) To what extent is executive discretion illegitimate?
  - (c) Is there a marketplace of ideas?
5. (25 marks) **Political economy.** Select *one* of the following prompts.
  - (a) To what extent are natural resources a curse?
  - (b) 'History is fundamentally a question of material factors.' To what extent is this true?
  - (c) 'Britain has had enough of experts'. Within the scope of the economy: has it?

## Essay 1

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