

# Tuesday 13 June 2023 - Morning

# A Level History A

**Y216/01** The USA in the 19th Century: Westward expansion and Civil War 1803–c.1890

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 Question 1 or Question 2.

- 1 (a) Which of the following was the more important cause of westward expansion?
  - (i) The fur trade
  - (ii) Prospecting for gold

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

[10]

(b)\* 'Native American resistance to westward expansion in the 19th Century was a complete failure.' How far do you agree? [20]

OR

- 2 (a) Which of the following was of greatest significance in the course of the Civil War?
  - (i) The battle of Shiloh
  - (ii) The battle of Antietam

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

[10]

(b)\* 'Differences in their economic systems were the main cause of tension between the North and South in the period from 1850 to 1861.' How far do you agree? [20]

# **END OF QUESTION PAPER**



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