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History
PAPER 2: British depth study
Option B2: The reigns of King Richard I and King John, 1189–1216

Time: 55 minutes

In the boxes below, write your name, centre number and candidate number.

Surname					
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YOU MUST HAVE

Nil

YOU WILL BE GIVEN

Nil

INSTRUCTIONS

**Answer questions 1(a), 1(b) and
EITHER 1(c)(i) OR 1(c)(ii).**

**Answer the questions in the spaces provided
– there may be more space than you need.**

INFORMATION

The total mark for this paper is 32.

**The marks for EACH question are shown
in brackets – use this as a guide as to how
much time to spend on each question.**

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ADVICE

Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.

Check your answers if you have time at the end.

**The reigns of King Richard I and
King John, 1189–1216**

**Answer Question 1(a), Question 1(b)
and EITHER Question 1(c)(i) OR
Question 1(c)(ii).**

- 1 (a) Describe TWO features of the Interdict.
(4 marks)

Feature 1

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Feature 2

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**(b) Explain why John was able to secure his power when he became king.
(12 marks)**

You MAY use the following in your answer:

- **claim to the throne**
- **Eleanor of Aquitaine**

You MUST also use information of your own.

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**Answer EITHER Question 1(c)(i) OR
Question 1(c)(ii)**

EITHER

**(c) (i) ‘The main consequence of the
Third Crusade was the financial
burden on England.’**

**How far do you agree? Explain
your answer.
(16 marks)**

**You MAY use the following in
your answer:**

- ransom
- Richard’s brother, John

**You MUST also use information
of your own.**

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OR

(c) (ii) ‘John’s failure to regain Normandy in 1214 was the main reason for the rebellion of 1215.’

**How far do you agree? Explain your answer.
(16 marks)**

You MAY use the following in your answer:

- **the Battle of Bouvines**
- **arbitrary power**

You MUST also use information of your own.

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Indicate which question you are answering by marking a cross in the box ☐. If you change your mind, put a line through the box ☒ and then indicate your new question with a cross ☐.

Chosen question number:

Question 1(c)(i) ☐

Question 1(c)(ii) ☐

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