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School

2018 Academic Scholarship

History

Time Allowed: **1 hour and 30 minutes**

Answer any **two** questions

1) Why did Harold Godwinson lose the throne of England in 1066?

2) To what extent was Thomas Becket to blame for his own murder?

3) Explain the military successes of **ONE** of the following kings: Edward I, Edward III or Henry V.

4) What were the consequences of the Black Death?

5) How far was **EITHER** Edward II **OR** Richard II to blame for his own downfall?

6) How far does Richard III deserve his villainous reputation?

7) How did Henry VII strengthen the power of the monarchy?

8) To what extent were changes to the English Church, in his reign, a result of Henry VIII's desire to divorce Catherine of Aragon?

9) Why were the reigns of Edward VI and Mary so troubled?

10) How successful a monarch was Elizabeth I?

11) Write about **EITHER** a history book **OR** programme you have enjoyed. Explain why it was interesting and enjoyable.