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HISTORY–HI1

PERIOD STUDY 2

UNIT 1

**ASPECTS OF THE HISTORY OF
WALES AND ENGLAND, c. 1603-1715**

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(45 minutes)

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

In addition to this examination paper, you will need an 8 page answer book.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer **one** question.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The number of marks is given in square brackets at the end of each question or part-question.

The time you spend on a question should be in proportion to the marks available.

You are reminded that marking will take into account the quality of written communication used in your answers.

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Answer one question.

1. The reign of James I, 1603-1625.

- (a) Explain why relations broke down between England and Ireland. [24]
- (b) To what extent was finance the main problem faced by James I in the period 1603-1625? [36]

2. The reign of Charles I, 1625-1637.

- (a) Explain why Charles I decided to rule without Parliament. [24]
- (b) To what extent was foreign policy mainly responsible for the problems faced by Charles I in the period 1625-1637? [36]

3. The collapse of the Personal Rule, the Long Parliament and the First Civil War, 1637-1646.

- (a) Explain why the Bishops' Wars broke out. [24]
- (b) To what extent was Charles I's use of the royal prerogative mainly responsible for the problems he encountered in the period 1637-1646? [36]