



GCE AS/A level

1231/01

HISTORY – HY1

UNIT 1

PERIOD STUDY 1

**Aspects of the History of Wales and England,
c. 1483-1603**

P.M. WEDNESDAY, 14 May 2014

1 hour 40 minutes plus your additional time allowance

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

In addition to this examination paper, you will need a 12 page answer book.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Use black ink, black ball-point pen or your usual method.

Answer TWO questions.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

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

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

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

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In your answer to part (a) you are advised to provide a linked and coherent explanation.

In your answer to part (b) you are advised to evaluate the issue named in the question against a range of other important issues.

**1. POLITICS, GOVERNMENT AND THE CROWN,
c. 1483-1543**

(a) EXPLAIN WHY Cardinal Wolsey fell from power.

[24]

(b) To what extent did Henry VII make the MOST IMPORTANT CONTRIBUTION to the changes in government in the period 1483-1543? [36]

**2. RELIGIOUS REFORMATION AND CHANGE,
c. 1529-1570**

- (a) **EXPLAIN WHY** the Elizabethan Church Settlement was introduced. [24]
- (b) To what extent was the break with Rome the **MOST SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPMENT** in religion in the period 1529-1570? [36]

**3. PROTEST, DISORDER AND REBELLION,
c. 1529-1569**

- (a) **EXPLAIN WHY** Kett's rebellion of 1549 failed. [24]
- (b) To what extent were religious grievances **MAINLY RESPONSIBLE** for causing rebellion in the period 1529-1569? [36]

**4. SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC CHANGE IN WALES
AND ENGLAND, c. 1525-1588**

**(a) EXPLAIN WHY vagrancy had become widespread
after 1547. [24]**

**(b) To what extent was the growth of industry the
MOST SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPMENT in the society
and economy of Wales and England 1525-1588?**

[36]

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