



General Certificate of Education  
Advanced Subsidiary Examination  
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## History

## HIS1C

**Unit 1C The Reformation in Europe, c1500–1564**

**Thursday 13 January 2011 1.30 pm to 2.45 pm**

**For this paper you must have:**

- an AQA 12-page answer book.

**Time allowed**

- 1 hour 15 minutes

**Instructions**

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Write the information required on the front of your answer book. The **Examining Body** for this paper is AQA. The **Paper Reference** is HIS1C.
- Answer **two** questions.

**Information**

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 72.
- You will be marked on your ability to:
  - use good English
  - organise information clearly
  - use specialist vocabulary where appropriate.
- In answering the questions you must use your own knowledge and understanding of the period. In particular you should:
  - refer to relevant historical information
  - show an understanding of change and continuity
  - show a knowledge of historical interpretations.

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**Question 1**

**0 | 1** Explain why there was a rise in religious radicalism in Germany in the 1520s. *(12 marks)*

**0 | 2** How important was weak leadership to the failure of the Radical Reformation?  
*(24 marks)*

**Question 2**

**0 | 3** Explain why Pope Paul III called a general council of the Church. *(12 marks)*

**0 | 4** How important were the Renaissance popes in weakening the Catholic Church in the years c1500 to 1527?  
*(24 marks)*

**Question 3**

**0 | 5** Explain why the Genevan Academy was founded in 1559. *(12 marks)*

**0 | 6** How important were Calvin's ideas about church organisation to the success of the Genevan Reformation?  
*(24 marks)*

**END OF QUESTIONS**