

# GCE AS/A level

1231/02

HISTORY - HY1
UNIT 1
PERIOD STUDY 2
ASPECTS OF THE HISTORY OF WALES AND ENGLAND,
c. 1603-1715

A.M. TUESDAY, 15 May 2012 1½ hours

# ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

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

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Use black ink or black ball-point pen.

Answer two questions.

# 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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#### **PERIOD STUDY 2**

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

Answer two questions.

# 1. Politics, Government and the Crown, c. 1603-1642

- (a) Explain why the relationship between Charles I and Parliament broke down. [24]
- (b) To what extent were financial issues mainly responsible for the problems facing the Crown in the period 1603-1642? [36]

# 2. Regicide, Republic and the Restoration of the Monarchy, c. 1648-1685

- (a) Explain why the Major-Generals were established by Cromwell. [24]
- (b) To what extent was the Restoration Settlement the most significant development in politics and government in the period 1648-1685? [36]

## 3. Religion, radicalism and dissent, c. 1645-1681

- (a) Explain why the Anglican Church was re-established in 1660. [24]
- (b) To what extent did Parliament have the most important influence on the growth and spread of radicalism and dissent in the period 1645-1681? [36]