



**GCE AS/A level**

1231/03

**HISTORY – HY1**

**UNIT 1**

**PERIOD STUDY 3**

**ASPECTS OF THE HISTORY OF WALES AND ENGLAND,  
c. 1780-1886**

A.M. TUESDAY, 15 Mory 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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*Answer two questions.*

**1. Politics and government in Wales and England, c. 1780-1832**

- (a) Explain why Lord Liverpool's government introduced a policy of repression. [24]
- (b) To what extent was the achievement of Catholic Emancipation the most important development in politics and government in the period 1780-1832? [36]

**2. Economic and social change and popular protest, c. 1815-1848**

- (a) Explain why the Rebecca riots took place. [24]
- (b) To what extent was the Factory Reform Movement the most significant development in economic and social change and popular protest in the period 1815-1848? [36]

**3. Foreign policy, c. 1793-1841**

- (a) Explain why the Vienna Settlement was important for British foreign policy. [24]
- (b) To what extent was Palmerston the most influential figure in the development of British foreign policy in the period 1793-1841? [36]