

# 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, 14 May 2013 1 hour 40 minutes

# 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 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.

#### UNIT 1

### **PERIOD STUDY 2**

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

Answer two questions.

*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. 1603-1642

(a) Explain why the Petition of Right was passed in 1628.

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- (b) To what extent was the promotion of royal favourites **mainly responsible** for the tension between the Crown and Parliament in the period 1603-1642? [36]
- 2. Developments in government: Civil War, Regicide and Republic, c. 1637-1660
  - (a) Explain why the Rump Parliament was closed in 1653.

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- (b) To what extent was the rule of the Major Generals the **most significant** development in government in the period 1637-1660? [36]
- 3. The Restoration and the reign of Charles II, c. 1660-1685
  - (a) **Explain why** there was an Exclusion Crisis in 1679-1681.

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- (b) To what extent was the Restoration Settlement the **most significant** development in the reign of Charles II 1660-1685? [36]
- 4. Religion, Radicalism and Dissent, c. 1645-1681
  - (a) **Explain why** the Fifth Monarchy movement was established.
  - (b) To what extent was religion the **most important** influence on the growth of Radicalism and Dissent in the period 1645-1681? [36]