



**GCE AS/A level**

1231/02

**HISTORY – HY1**

**UNIT 1**

**PERIOD STUDY 2**

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

P.M. MONDAY, 16 January 2012

1½ hours

#### **ADDITIONAL MATERIALS**

In addition to this examination paper, you will need an 8 page answer book.

#### **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Use black ink or black ball-point pen.

Answer **two** (1232-08) 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, Government and the Crown, c. 1603-1642**

- (a) Explain why Ship Money was unpopular. [24]
- (b) To what extent were religious issues mainly responsible for the tension between Parliament and the Crown in the period 1603-1642? [36]

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

- (a) Explain why the King was put on trial in 1648. [24]
- (b) To what extent was the Restoration of the Monarchy the most significant development in the period 1648-1685? [36]

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

- (a) Explain why the Leveller Movement failed. [24]
- (b) To what extent was the downfall of Laud the most important influence on the growth in radicalism and dissent in the period 1645-1681? [36]