



GCE A level

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HISTORY – HY4

UNIT 4

PERIOD STUDY 2

**Aspects of the History of Wales and England,
c. 1603-1715**

A.M. MONDAY, 8 June 2015

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, **one** from **Section A** and **one** from **Section B**.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The number of marks is given in square brackets at the end of each question.

You are reminded that assessment will take into account the quality of written communication used in your answers.

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Answer two questions, one from Section A and one from Section B.

SECTION A

Answer one question.

1. England's relations with Ireland, Scotland and Wales, c. 1603-1649

'The main cause of tension between England and her Celtic neighbours was religion.' Discuss. [40]

2. James II, the Glorious Revolution and party politics, c. 1685-1715

To what extent did the accession of William and Mary weaken rather than strengthen the power and authority of the Crown? [40]

SECTION B

Answer one question.

1. Crime, disorder and protest, c. 1603-1715

'Economic changes were mainly responsible for the growth in crime, protest and disorder in the period between 1603 and 1715.' Discuss. [40]

2. England's changing relations with foreign powers, c. 1603-1715

To what extent were England's relations with foreign powers mainly influenced by her colonial ambitions in the period between 1603 and 1715? [40]

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