



General Certificate of Education
Advanced Subsidiary Examination
January 2012

History

HIS1D

Unit 1D Britain, 1603–1642

Monday 16 January 2012 1.30 pm to 2.45 pm

For this paper you must have:

- an AQA 12-page answer book.

Time allowed

- 1 hour 15 minutes

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Write the information required on the front of your answer book. The **Examining Body** for this paper is AQA. The **Paper Reference** is HIS1D.
- Answer **two** questions.

Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 72.
- There are 36 marks for each question.
- You will be marked on your ability to:
 - use good English
 - organise information clearly
 - use specialist vocabulary where appropriate.
- In answering the questions you must use your own knowledge and understanding of the period. In particular you should:
 - refer to relevant historical information
 - show an understanding of change and continuity
 - show a knowledge of historical interpretations.

Answer **two** questions.

Question 1

- 0 | 1** Explain why Parliament criticised James I's financial policies in the years 1604 to 1610. (12 marks)
- 0 | 2** How far was Parliament to blame for the Crown's financial difficulties in the years 1614 to 1625? (24 marks)

Question 2

- 0 | 3** Why did Charles I's religious attitudes cause concern among Puritans in the years 1625 to 1629? (12 marks)
- 0 | 4** How successful was Charles I in reforming the English Church in the years 1629 to 1640? (24 marks)

Question 3

- 0 | 5** Why did Charles I dissolve Parliament in 1629? (12 marks)
- 0 | 6** How important were the actions of John Pym during the Long Parliament in explaining the outbreak of civil war in 1642? (24 marks)

END OF QUESTIONS