

# GCE AS/A LEVEL - NEW

HISTORY – AS unit 1 PERIOD STUDY 6 Europe in an Age of Absolutism and Revolution c. 1682-1815

WEDNESDAY, 17 MAY 2017 - AFTERNOON

1 hour 30 minutes

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### **ADDITIONAL MATERIALS**

A WJEC pink 16-page answer booklet.

### **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Use black ink or black ball-point pen. Answer **ONE** question from **Section A** and **ONE** question from **Section B**.

### **INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

The number of marks is given in square brackets at the end of each part-question. You are advised to spend around 45 minutes on answering each question.

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# PERIOD STUDY 6

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Answer ONE question in Section A and ONE question in Section B.

# Section A

# Answer one question only from this section

- 1. How far do you agree that Peter the Great's religious reforms were his most important achievement during the period 1696-1725? [30]
- 2. How effective was Louis XVI in dealing with the challenges he faced 1774-1789? [30]

### Section B

### Answer one question only from this section

- **3.** To what extent were Frederick the Great's reforms a successful solution to the problems of Prussia, 1740-1788? [30]
- 'The Seven Years War was the most significant conflict between the Great Powers during the period 1756-1815.' Discuss. [30]

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