

# Advance information June 2022

## A-level History (7042)

### Version 1.0

Because of the ongoing impacts of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic, we are providing advance information on the focus of June 2022 exams to help students revise.

This is the advance information for **A-level History (7042), 1D Stuart Britain and the Crisis of Monarchy, 1603–1702**.

## Information

- This notice covers advanced information for **7042/1D Stuart Britain and the Crisis of Monarchy, 1603–1702**.
- There are no restrictions on who can use this notice.
- This notice is meant to support final revision.
- The format/structure of the papers remains unchanged.
- You are **not** permitted to take this notice into the exam.

## Advice

- Students and teachers can discuss this advance information notice.
- Questions will be drawn from one or more of the indicated areas of specification content.
- The information is presented in specification order and not in question order.
- Students **will** be credited for using any relevant knowledge when answering questions.
- Students **will not** be disadvantaged if solely using the areas indicated in this document. There is no expectation of knowledge beyond that identified in order to achieve full marks.
- It is advised that teaching and learning should still aim to address the entire subject content in the specification.

## Focus of the June 2022 exam

This paper will sample from the following areas of the specification content for **7042/1D**.

### Part one: Absolutism challenged: Britain, 1603–1649

#### Section one: Monarchs and Parliaments, 1603–1629

- James I: character and views on monarchy; court and favourites; Charles I: character and views on monarchy; court and favourites

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- Religion and religious divisions: challenges to the Church of England from Catholics and Puritans and the development of Arminianism

### **Section two: Revolution, 1629–1649**

- Divisions over religion: Arminianism and Laudianism; Puritanism and the emergence of Millenarianism
- Political divisions: the Personal Rule and the extent of opposition to it in England, Scotland and Ireland; the Short and Long Parliaments and the leadership of Pym; divisions and the outbreak of Civil War
- Social divisions: the emergence of political and religious radicalism in the 1640s; the Levellers and Millenarian groups
- Post-war divisions between Army and Parliament and the failure to secure a post-war settlement

## **Part two: Monarchy restored and restrained: Britain, 1649–1702**

### **Section three: From Republic to restored and limited monarchy, 1649–1678**

- Cromwell and his aims; the Protectorates; Major-Generals and the relations with the Political Nation
- Charles II and the nature of restored monarchy; rule through parliament and ministers; Clarendon; the Cabal and Danby
- The emergence of Court and Country 'parties': causes, significance and consequences
- Religious divisions and conflicts: the defeat of Millenarianism; the restoration of the Church of England; Protestant Dissenters; conflict over Catholic influence at Court

### **Section four: The establishment of constitutional monarchy, 1678–1702**

- Political developments and conflicts: Exclusion, its aims, methods and its failure; James II and the attempts at absolutism and the restoration of Catholicism
- The 'Glorious Revolution': causes and nature; its consolidation in England, Scotland and Ireland
- Divisions within the Political Nation and the emergence of Whigs and Tories and their impact
- Government under William and Mary: the importance of political parties and ministers; the changing influence of Crown and Parliament and the reasons for the development of limited monarchy

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