

Answer **EITHER** all of Question 1 **OR** all of Question 2.

- 1 (a) Which of the following caused the most difficulties for the early Republic in the period from 1783 to 1796?

- (i) Relations with Spain
- (ii) Relations with Britain

Explain your answer with reference to both (i) and (ii). [10]

- (b)* 'The most important reason for the defeat of the British in the American War of Independence was the quality of the British military leadership.' How far do you agree? [20]

OR

- 2 (a) Which of the following was more significant in the failure of the British to win the war in the period from 1775 to 1777?

- (i) General Howe
- (ii) General Burgoyne

Explain your answer with reference to both (i) and (ii). [10]

- (b)* How important were developments in political thought in bringing about the American Revolution? [20]

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