7.3 Anglo-Saxon and Norman England, 1066: The Rival Claimants, Gate Fulford and Stamford Bridge: 10-minute Pack

EDEXCEL 1HI0 · about 10 minutes

Total Marks

Name: _____ Date: ____ / ____ / _____

Answer ALL questions. Write in full sentences for the 12-mark and 16-mark questions.

1 Name the Norman duke who claimed the English throne in 1066.

(Total for Question 1 is 1 mark)

2 Name the port on the River Somme from which William's invasion fleet finally sailed in September 1066.

(Total for Question 2 is 1 mark)

3 Name the elite guard of Constantinople in which Hardrada served as a young man.

(Total for Question 3 is 1 mark)

4 State one claim William made to the English throne, according to Norman sources.

(Total for Question 4 is 1 mark)

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5 State one reason why Tostig joined Hardrada's invasion.

(Total for Question 5 is 1 mark)

6 Describe two features of Harold's army after the battle of Stamford Bridge.

(Total for Question 6 is 4 marks)

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Mark scheme · 7.3 Anglo-Saxon and Norman England, 1066: The Rival Claimants, Gate Fulford and Stamford Bridge: 10-minute Pack

Question 1

any one of: William of Normandy; William, Duke of Normandy; William **B1**

Answer: William of Normandy

Question 2

any one of: Saint-Valery; Saint-Valery-sur-Somme **B1**

Answer: Saint-Valery

Question 3

any one of: Varangian Guard; the Varangian Guard **B1**

Answer: Varangian Guard

Question 4

any one of: Edward had promised him the throne; Harold had sworn to support his claim; Edward's mother Emma was William's great-aunt (family link) **B1**

Answer: Edward had promised him the throne

Question 5

any one of: he wanted to regain his earldom of Northumbria; he had been exiled from England; he wanted revenge on Harold; or any other valid reason **B1**

Answer: he wanted to regain his earldom of Northumbria

Question 6

first valid feature (any accurate, relevant feature; examples: Harold marched his army south after Stamford Bridge; the army was made up of housecarls and the fyrd; Harold gathered his forces near London before marching; the army had marched a long way and had fought a battle) **B1**

accurate supporting detail developing that first feature **B1**

second, different valid feature (any accurate, relevant feature) **B1**

accurate supporting detail developing that second feature **B1**

Answer: march south; housecarls and fyrd; gathered near London; tired

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