



Paper 1: Thematic study and historic environment

Option 11: Medicine in Britain, c1250–c1500

End of Unit Test

Name _____

Class _____





1. Explain **one** way in which explanations about the cause of disease were different in the period c1250-c1500 to the period c1700-c1900.

[4 marks]

2. Explain why methods of preventing disease in the period c1250-c1500 were often unsuccessful.

You may use the following in your answer:

- The influence of Hippocrates and Galen
- The role of religion

You must also use information of your own.

[12 marks]



3. 'The care and treatment provided by women in the family home was more significant than that provided by physicians in the period c1250-c1500.' How far do you agree? Explain your answer.

You may use the following in your answer:

- Medical training
- Herbal and folk remedies

You **must** also use information of your own.

[16 marks + 4 marks SPaG = 20 marks]

