**These are the approved NEA questions for 2017-18**

REMEMBER – the 100 year rule (see the important NEA mark scheme – see separate document)

1. In the context of 1096-1192, to what extent was religion the main reason for joining the Crusades?
2. In the context of 1096-1192, to what extent was material gain the main reason for joining the Crusades?
3. In the context of 1096-1192, to what extent was poor leadership the most important cause of failures during the Crusades? (Examiner advice – answers must adequately cover the period. Some of the essays will be concerned with the actual crusades – leaving big gaps which have to be filled by ‘other long-term factors’)
4. How important was Christian disunity in the Western failures in the Crusades between 1096-1192?
5. How far was Muslim disunity responsible for the survival of the Crusader states in the twelfth century?