



Coimisiún na Scrúduithe Stáit
State Examinations Commission

JUNIOR CERTIFICATE 2012

MARKING SCHEME

ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL STUDIES

ORDINARY LEVEL

GENERAL PRINCIPLES AND MARKING SCHEME

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1 Procedures

The procedures for marking will consist of:

- (a) Careful reading and analysis of all answers.
- (b) Allocation of marks to the components according to the agreed scheme.
- (c) Addition of the marks with attention to:
 - (i) Maximum per section
 - (ii) Maximum per question.

2 Components

- (a) Facts
 - (i) Identification of visually prepared data
 - (ii) Stating facts.
- (b) Significant Relevant Statements (SRS)
 - (i) A fact, aspect or phase of the topic
 - (ii) An explanation of a term or concept relevant to the topic
 - (iii) A valid interpretation, comment, opinion, judgement relevant to the topic
 - (iv) 2/3 tentative statements of fact, etc
 - (v) An important cause/effect
 - (vi) Valid introductory material.

3 Marking

- (a) Starting from the beginning of the answer, tick clearly thus (/) each fact or SRS.
- (b) The Cumulative Mark

Award the marks agreed on the marking scheme to each fact or SRS.
- (c) Total the marks awarded to each part of the question in the margin thus > before marking the remainder. Put in the grand total for the question number in the left-hand margin.
- (d) Read all the answers, even the excess, repeated or cancelled. The answer gaining most marks is accepted within the rubrics of the examination paper.
- (e) After each answer is marked and totalled, add the marks to those for the previous question in a box at the bottom of the page. This is a check to ensure the marks on the front cover are totalled correctly at the end.

QUESTION 1

(24 marks)

(A) MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

(12 marks)

12 correct answers from the following:

- 1 (c) metres
- 2 (d) direction
- 3 (a) monastery
- 4 (d) factories
- 5 (a) red spot on black line
- 6 (b) blue with circle of gold stars
- 7 (a) boat
- 8 (a) finance
- 9 (c) Fairtrade
- 10 (d) moat
- 11 (c) Normans
- 12 (c) steam
- 13 (b) cook meat
- 14 (d) sunlight

(1m x 12) = 12m

(B) ANCIENT WORLDS

(6 marks)

Two relevant statements on **one** of the topics
from **one** of the civilisations.

(3+3) = 6m

(C) CASTLES

(6 marks)

- 1 **TWO** valid materials such as stone, mortar, slate, glass (1 + 1) 2m
- 2 **TWO** valid defensive features of the castle (2 + 2) 4m

QUESTION 2 (24 marks)
Choice of (A) Ulster Plantation OR (B) Brazil

(A) PLANTATION IN 17TH CENTURY IRELAND (24 marks)

- 1 Pynnar 1m
- 2 1619 1m
- 3 Six 2m
- 4 Ulster 2m
- 5 Castles with bawns **AND** without bawns (1 + 1) 2m
- 6 126 2m
- 7 Any **ONE** valid reason for the number of castles 2m
- 8 Undertaker Bawn Servitor
Valid explanation of **TWO** of the three terms (2 + 2) 4m
- 9 Three SRS (3 + 3 + 2) on **ONE** of four headings 8m

OR

(B) BRAZIL IN THE 20TH CENTURY (24 marks)

- 1 main cause 2m
- 2 Brazil **AND** Indonesia (2 + 2) 4m
- 3 **THREE** valid reasons for deforestation (2 + 2 + 2) 6m
- 4 **ONE** valid effect of deforestation on local people 2m
- 5 Yes = 2m
Any **ONE** valid point of explanation = 2m 4m
- 6 **THREE** SRS (2 + 2 + 2) on FAVELAS 6m

QUESTION 3 (A) plus (B) or (C) (24 marks)

(A) THE INDUSTRIAL REVOLUTION (12 marks)

- 1 **THREE** SRSs (2 + 2 + 2) on **TWO** of the three headings:
Child Workers; Urban Living Conditions; Improvements in Transport 12m

AND

(B) WORLD WAR I *optional* (12 marks)

- 1 Any **ONE** valid interpretation 2m
2 **TWO** new weapons (2 + 2) 4m
3 **THREE** SRSs on living conditions in the trenches (2 + 2 + 2) 6m

OR

(C) WORLD WAR II *optional* (12marks)

- 1 From her diary 3m
2 Any **ONE** valid example of the Nazis' anti-Jewish laws 3m
3 **THREE** SRSs (2 + 2 + 2) on **ONE** of four headings 6m

QUESTION 4 (24 marks)

(A) DIFFERENCES IN IRELAND (12 marks)

- 1 Any **TWO** valid differences (1 + 1) 2m
- 2 Any **TWO** valid ways of making a living in Co Clare (1 + 1) 2m
- 3 Any **TWO** valid ways of making a living in Dublin (1 + 1) 2m
- 4 **ONE** valid reason why Co Clare would be a healthy place to live 2m
- 5 Any **TWO** valid reasons for a move from Clare to Dublin (1 + 1) 2m
- 6 Any **TWO** valid reasons for a move from Dublin to Clare (1 + 1) 2m

(B) MIGRATION: PUSH-PULL FACTORS (12 marks)

- 1 **EIGHT** Blanks correctly filled in for 1m each 8m
- 2 **TWO** valid problems faced by migrants in a new country (2 + 2) 4m
Point + development OR two points

QUESTION 5 (24 marks)

- 1 Any **TWO** lakes named in Irish or English for 2m each 4m
- 2 a is FALSE 1m
b is FALSE 1m
c is TRUE 1m
d is TRUE 1m 4m
- 3 Milltown/ Ballyheabough/ Garlinny/ Owenalondrig/ Glounshavanowen, etc
Any **TWO** rivers for 2m each 4m
- 4 Any **TWO** piece of evidence of fishing facilities in the photograph (2 + 2) 4m
- 5 Youth hostel 4m
- 6 Any **TWO** items relating to sports and/or history (2 + 2) 4m