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State Examinations Commission

JUNIOR CERTIFICATE 2008

MARKING SCHEME

CLASSICAL STUDIES

ORDINARY LEVEL

SECTION A

The Greek World

Topic 1 – The Wrath of Achilles.

- (a) (i) 8
(ii) 8
(iii) 8
(iv) 6+2
(v) 8
(vi) 8
- (b) (i) 8
(ii) 16 (4+4)*2
(iii) 8 (2+4+2)
- (c) (i) 6
(ii) 6 (3+1+2)
(iii) 6
(iv) 4+2

Topic 2 – Greece and Persia.

- (a) (i) 8
(ii) 8
(iii) 8
(iv) 8
(v) 8
(vi) 8
- (b) (i) 8
(ii) 8 (4+4)
(iii) 8
(iv) 8
- (c) (i) 6
(ii) 6
(iii) 6 (2+4)
(iv) 6 (4+2)

Topic 3 – The Life and Death of Socrates.

- (a) (i) 8
(ii) 8
(iii) 8
(iv) 8 (6+2)
(v) 8 (6+2)
(vi) 8
- (b) (i) 12 (6+6)
(ii) 12 (8+4)
(iii) 8 (2+6)
- (c) (i) 6
(ii) 6
(iii) 6
(iv) 6

Topic 4 – Mycenae and Troy.

- (a) (i) 8 (6+2)
(ii) 8
(iii) 8
(iv) 8
(v) 8
(vi) 8
- (b) (i) 8
(ii) 8
(iii) 8 (6+2)
(iv) 8 (1+5+2)
- (c) (i) 6
(ii) 6
(iii) 6
(iv) 6 (4+2)

Topic 5 – The Athenian Acropolis.

- (a) (i) 8
- (ii) 8
- (iii) 8
- (iv) 8
- (v) 8 (6+2)
- (vi) 8

- (b) (i) 12 (3x4)
- (ii) 8
- (iii) 12 (6+6)

- (c) (i) 6 (4+2)
- (ii) 6
- (iii) 6
- (iv) 6

SECTION B

The Roman World

Topic 6 – The Quest of Aeneas.

- (a) (i) 8
- (ii) 8 (6+2)
- (iii) 8
- (iv) 8
- (v) 8
- (vi) 8

- (b) (i) 8 (2+6)
- (ii) 8
- (iii) 8
- (iv) 8 (6+2)

- (c) (i) 6
- (ii) 6
- (iii) 6 (1+5)
- (iv) 6 (4+2) or (2+4)

Topic 7 - The Roman Theatre – Comedy: The Swaggering Soldier.

- (a) (i) 8 (6+2)
- (ii) 8
- (iii) 8
- (iv) 8
- (v) 8 (6+2)
- (vi) 8

- (b) (i) 16 (6+6+4)
- (ii) 16 (8+8)

- (c) (i) 6
- (ii) 6
- (iii) 6
- (iv) 6

Topic 8 – The Life and Times of Julius Caesar

- (a) (i) 8 (6+2)
- (ii) 8
- (iii) 8
- (iv) 8
- (v) 8
- (vi) 8

- (b) (i) 12 (6+6)
- (ii) 8
- (iii) 12 (6+6)

- (c) (i) 4
- (ii) 6
- (iii) 8 (1+5+2)
- (iv) 6

Topic 9 – A Roman City – Pompeii.

- (a) (i) 8
(ii) 8
(iii) 8
(iv) 8
(v) 8
(vi) 8 (6+2)
- (b) (i) 8
(ii) 8 (6+2)
(iii) 8 (6+2)
(iv) 8 (2+6)
- (c) (i) 4
(ii) 8 (6+2)
(iii) 6 (1+5)
(iv) 6

Topic 10 – The Roman Army

- (a) (i) 8
(ii) 8
(iii) 8
(iv) 6+2
(v) 8
(vi) 8
- (b) (i) 8
(ii) 8
(iii) 8 (6+2)
(iv) 8
- (c) (i) 6
(ii) 6 (4+2)
(iii) 6 (4+2)
(iv) 6 (4+2)