

Assessment Schedule – 2021**History: Describe the causes and consequences of an historical event (91005)****Evidence**

ESSAY QUESTION: Discuss the causes that led to your chosen historical event.

Note: This is a holistic judgment. However, the candidate should be rewarded for depth in their causation paragraphs that directly answer the question, as opposed to many briefer paragraphs on causation; and for showing evidence of prioritisation or evaluation. However, this is not a requirement to achieve at E7 / E8.

Achievement		Achievement with Merit		Achievement with Excellence	
A3	A4	M5	M6	E7	E8
Identifies and briefly describes appropriate causes that led to the chosen historical event.	Describes appropriate causes that led to the chosen historical event.	Describes in depth relevant causes that led to the chosen historical event.	Describes in depth relevant causes that led to the chosen historical event.	Describes comprehensively relevant causes that led to the chosen historical event.	Describes comprehensively relevant causes that led to the chosen historical event.
Uses some limited supporting evidence (names, dates, examples, statistics, or case studies relevant to the context being described).	Uses limited supporting evidence (names, dates, examples, statistics, or case studies relevant to the context being described).	Attempts to link at least ONE of the identified causes to the event.	Links at least ONE cause to the event in a well-developed and convincing discussion.	Links the causes to the event in a well-developed discussion.	Links the causes to the event in a well-developed and convincing discussion.
		Uses some appropriate and accurate supporting evidence (names, dates, examples, statistics, or case studies relevant to the context being described).	Uses relevant and accurate supporting evidence (names, dates, examples, statistics, or case studies relevant to the context being described).	Uses detailed, specific, and accurate supporting evidence.	Uses convincing, specific, and accurate evidence to support all generalisations.

N0 = No response; no relevant evidence.
N1 = Identifies a historical event and may attempt to describe a cause.
N2 = Identifies a historical event and describes a cause(s).

Cut Scores

Not Achieved	Achievement	Achievement with Merit	Achievement with Excellence
0 – 2	3 – 4	5 – 6	7 – 8