Assessment Schedule – 2021

Geography: Demonstrate geographic understanding of population concepts (91008)

Assessment Criteria

Achievement	Achievement with Merit	Achievement with Excellence
Demonstrating geographic understanding involves:	*Demonstrating in-depth geographic understanding* involves:	*Demonstrating comprehensive geographic understanding* involves:
• **describing** population concepts in geography	• **explaining** population concepts in geography	• **fully explaining** population concepts **using geographic terminology and concepts**, and **showing insight**
• including **supporting evidence**.	• including **detailed supporting evidence**.	• **integrating detailed supporting evidence**.

Cut Scores

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

Evidence

N1	N2	A3	A4	M5	M6	E7	E8
Attempts to describe ONE of:	**Describes** ONE of:	**Describes** TWO of:	**Describes** THREE of:	**Explains** THREE of	**Explains** THREE of	**Fully explains** THREE of:	**Fully explains** THREE of:
• population pattern (natural factor)	• population pattern (natural factor)	• population pattern (natural factor)	• population pattern (natural factor)	• population pattern (natural factor)	• population pattern (natural factor)	• population pattern (natural factor)	• population pattern (natural factor)
• population pattern (cultural factor)	• population pattern (cultural factor)	• population pattern (cultural factor)	• population pattern (cultural factor)	• population pattern (cultural factor)	• population pattern (cultural factor)	• population pattern (cultural factor)	• population pattern (cultural factor)
• population diversity.	• population diversity.	• population diversity.	• population diversity.	• population diversity. *(One may be weaker.)*	• population diversity.	• population diversity. *(One may be weaker.)*	• population diversity.
		Includes supporting case-study evidence.	Includes supporting case-study evidence.	Includes **detailed** supporting case-study evidence.	Includes detailed supporting case-study evidence.	**Integrates** detailed supporting case-study evidence.	Integrates detailed supporting case-study evidence.
						Shows **some** insight (an accurate and deep understanding).	Shows insight (a comprehensive and full understanding).
						Uses **some** geographic terminology.	Uses geographic terminology.

N0 = No response; no relevant evidence.