#### Assessment Schedule - 2015

# Drama: Interpret a text from a prescribed playwright to demonstrate knowledge of a theatre form or period (91514)

#### Evidence

Question	Evidence
ONE	Use of a feature to convey the playwright's intention
(a)	Describes the main message the playwright intended to communicate through the text.
(b)	Explains how a feature of the text is typical of the theatre form or period.
(c)	Discusses how the feature has been used by the playwright to communicate the main message of the text.

N1	N2	А3	A4	M5	M6	E7	E8
Identifies a basic message the playwright intended to communicate	Describes a message the playwright intended to communicate	Describes the main message the playwright intended to communicate	Describes, in detail, the main message the playwright intended to communicate	Describes, in detail, the main message the playwright intended to communicate.	Describes, in detail, the main message the playwright intended to communicate.	Describes, in detail, the main message the playwright intended to communicate.	Describes, in detail, the main message the playwright intended to communicate.
OR	OR	AND EITHER	AND EITHER				
<b>Identifies</b> a feature of the text that is typical of the theatre form or period.	<b>Describes</b> a feature of the text that is typical of the theatre form or period.	<b>Explains</b> how a feature of the text is typical of the theatre form or period.	Explains, in detail, how a feature of the text is typical of the theatre form or period.	Explains, in detail, how a feature of the text is typical of the theatre form or period.	Explains, in detail, how a feature of the text is typical of the theatre form or period.	Explains, in detail, how a feature of the text is typical of the theatre form or period.	Explains, in detail, how a feature of the text is typical of the theatre form or period.
		OR	OR				
		Discusses how a feature of the text has been used by the playwright to communicate the main message.	Discusses, in detail, how a feature of the text has been used by the playwright to communicate the main message.	Discusses how a feature of the text has been used by the playwright to communicate the main message.	Discusses, in detail, how a feature of the text has been used by the playwright to communicate the main message.	Discusses, with some perceptiveness, how a feature of the text has been used by the playwright to communicate the main message.	Discusses, in perceptive detail, how a feature of the text has been used by the playwright to communicate the main message.
		Includes <b>some</b> examples and / or quotation from the text.	Includes <b>some</b> examples and / or quotation from the text.	Includes <b>appropriate</b> examples and quotation from the text.	Includes <b>appropriate</b> examples and quotation from the text.	Supports the discussion with <b>detailed</b> examples and quotation from the text.	Supports the discussion with insightful and perceptive use of examples and quotation from the text.

**N0** = No response; no relevant evidence.

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Question	Evidence
TWO	Use of space and the context of the form or period
(a)	Describes how a key character would use space in a typical performance of the theatre form or period.
(b)	Explains the social / historical / geographical context of the text.
(c)	Discusses the acting style the actor playing the key character could use in order to reflect the context of the text.

N1	N2	А3	A4	M5	М6	E7	E8
Identifies a way that a character might use space in a performance of the theatre form or period.	Describes a way that a character would use space in a performance of the theatre form or period	Describes a way that a key character would use space in a typical performance of the theatre form or period	Describes, in detail, a way that a key character would use space in a typical performance of the theatre form or period	Describes, in detail, a way that a key character would use space in a typical performance of the theatre form or period.	Describes, in detail, a way that a key character would use space in a typical performance of the theatre form or period.	Describes, in detail, a way that a key character would use space in a typical performance of the theatre form or period.	Describes, in detail, a way that a key character would use space in a typical performance of the theatre form or period.
	OR	AND EITHER	AND EITHER				
	Describes an aspect of the social / historical / geographical context of the text.	Describes an aspect of the social / historical / geographical context of the text.	Explains, in some detail, an aspect of the social / historical / geographical context of the text.	Explains, in detail, an aspect of the social / historical / geographical context of the text.	Explains, in detail, aspects of the social / historical / geographical context of the text.	Explains, with some perceptiveness, aspects of the social / historical / geographical context of the text.	Explains, in perceptive detail, aspects of the social / historical / geographical context of the text.
		OR	OR				
		Discusses the acting style the actor playing the key character could use in order to reflect the context of the text.	Discusses, in detail, the acting style the actor playing the key character could use in order to reflect the context of the text.	Discusses the acting style the actor playing the key character could use in order to reflect the context of the text.	Discusses, in detail, the acting style the actor playing the key character could use in order to reflect the context of the text.	Discusses, with some perceptiveness, the acting style the actor playing the key character could use in order to reflect the context of the text.	Discusses, in perceptive detail, the acting style the actor playing the key character could use in order to reflect the context of the text.
		Includes <b>some</b> examples from the text.	Includes <b>some</b> examples from the text.	Includes <b>appropriate</b> examples from the text.	Includes <b>appropriate</b> examples from the text.	Supports the discussion with <b>detailed</b> examples from the text.	Supports the discussion with insightful and perceptive use of examples from the text.

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Question	Evidence					
THREE	Use of a technology to create symbolic meaning					
(a)	Describes how a production technology would typically be used in the theatre form or period.					
(b)	Describes, by sketching, how the production technology might typically be used in a performance of the text.					
(c)	Discusses how the production technology could be used to create symbolic meaning within a typical performance of the text.					

N1	N2	А3	A4	M5	M6	E7	E8
Identifies a production technology that would typically be used in the theatre form or period.	Describes a production technology that would typically be used in the theatre form or period	Describes how a production technology would typically be used in the theatre form or period.	Describes, in detail, how a production technology would typically be used in the theatre form or period.	Describes, in detail, how a production technology would typically be used in the theatre form or period.	Describes, in detail, how a production technology would typically be used in the theatre form or period.	Describes, in detail, how a production technology would typically be used in the theatre form or period.	Describes, in detail, how a production technology would typically be used in the theatre form or period.
	OR	AND EITHER	AND EITHER				
	Describes, by sketching, how a production technology might be used in a performance of the text.	Describes, by sketching, how the production technology might typically be used in a performance of the text	Describes, in detail, by sketching, how the production technology might typically be used in a performance of the text	Describes, in detail, by sketching, how the production technology might typically be used in a performance of the text	Describes, in detail, by sketching, how the production technology might typically be used in a performance of the text	Describes, in detail, by sketching, how the production technology might typically be used in a performance of the text	Describes, in detail, by sketching, how the production technology might typically be used in a performance of the text
		OR	OR				
		Discusses how the production technology could be used to create symbolic meaning within a typical performance of the text.	Discusses, in detail, how the production technology could be used to create symbolic meaning within a typical performance of the text.	Discusses how the production technology could be used to create symbolic meaning within a typical performance of the text.	Discusses, in detail, how the production technology could be used to create symbolic meaning within a typical performance of the text.	Discusses, with some perceptiveness, how the production technology could be used to create symbolic meaning within a typical performance of the text.	Discusses, in perceptive detail, how the production technology could be used to create symbolic meaning within a typical performance of the text.
		Includes <b>some</b> examples applicable to the text.	Includes <b>some</b> examples applicable to the text.	Includes appropriate examples applicable to the text.	Includes <b>appropriate</b> examples applicable to the text.	Supports the discussion with <b>detailed</b> examples applicable to the text.	Supports the discussion with insightful and perceptive use of examples applicable to the text.

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## **Cut Scores**

Not Achieved	Achievement	Achievement with Merit	Achievement with Excellence	
0 – 8	9 – 13	14 – 19	20 – 24	