Assessment Schedule – 2022

Geography: Demonstrate geographic understanding of a large natural environment (91240)

Assessment Criteria

Achievement	Achievement with Merit	Achievement with Excellence
Demonstrating geographic understanding of a named large natural environment involves the candidate:	Demonstrating in-depth geographic understanding of a named large natural environment involves the candidate:	Demonstrating comprehensive geographic understanding of a named large natural environment involves the candidate:
explaining aspects of the large natural environment	explaining, in detail, aspects of the large natural environment	fully explaining aspects of the large natural environment, including the use of geographic terminology and concepts, showing insight
including supporting case study evidence.	including detailed supporting case study evidence.	• integrating comprehensive supporting case study evidence.

Evidence

N1	N2	А3	A4	M5	M6	E7	E8
Describes how a group or individual interacted with the large natural environment.	Describes how a group or individual interacted with the large natural environment.	Briefly explains how a group or individual interacted with the large natural environment.	Explains how a group or individual interacted with the large natural environment.	Explains how and why a group or individual interacted with the large natural environment.	Explains in detail how and why a group or individual interacted with the large natural environment.	Explains in detail how and why a group or individual interacted with the large natural environment.	Fully explains how and why a group or individual interacted with the large natural environment.
OR	OR	OR	OR	AND	AND	AND	AND
Describes, showing limited understanding, how a group or individual's perception of the large natural environment has changed over time.	Describes how a group or individual's perception of the large natural environment has changed over time.	Briefly explains how a group or individual's perception of the large natural environment has changed over time.	Explains how a group or individual's perception of the large natural environment has changed over time.	Explains in detail how a group or individual's perception of the large natural environment has changed over time.	Explains in detail how a group or individual's perception of the large natural environment has changed over time.	Fully explains how a group or individual's perception of the large natural environment has changed over time.	Fully explains, showing insight, how a group or individual's perception of the large natural environment has changed over time.
	Includes some evidence from the case study.	Includes evidence from the case study.	Includes evidence from the case study.	Includes some detailed evidence from the case study.	Includes detailed evidence from the case study.	Integrates comprehensive evidence from the case study within some parts of the answer.	Integrates comprehensive evidence from the case study within all parts of the answer.
						Uses geographic terminology and geographic concepts appropriately.	Uses geographic terminology and geographic concepts appropriately.

N0 = No response; no relevant evidence.

Cut Scores

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