

Assessment Schedule – 2023**Geography: Demonstrate geographic understanding of environments that have been shaped by extreme natural event(s) (91007)****Assessment Criteria**

Achievement	Achievement with Merit	Achievement with Excellence
<i>Demonstrating understanding</i> involves: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • describing aspects of how extreme natural event(s) shape environments • including supporting evidence. 	<i>Demonstrating in-depth understanding</i> involves: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • explaining aspects of how extreme natural event(s) shape natural and cultural environments • including detailed supporting evidence. 	<i>Demonstrating comprehensive understanding</i> involves: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • fully explaining aspects of how extreme natural event(s) shape natural and cultural environments, using geographic terminology and concepts, and showing insight • 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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • processes • the effects • vulnerability. 	Describes ONE of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • processes • the effects • vulnerability. 	Describes TWO of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • processes • the effects • vulnerability. Includes supporting case study evidence.	Describes ALL of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • processes • the effects • vulnerability. Includes supporting case study evidence.	Partially explains ALL of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • processes • the effects • vulnerability. <i>(One may be weaker.)</i> Includes detailed supporting case study evidence.	Explains ALL of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • processes • the effects • vulnerability. Includes detailed supporting case study evidence.	Fully explains ALL of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • processes • the effects • vulnerability. <i>(One may be weaker.)</i> Integrates detailed supporting case study evidence. Shows some insight by linking the effects to vulnerability (an accurate and deep understanding). Applies ONE geographic concept and uses some geographic terminology.	Fully explains ALL of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • processes • the effects • vulnerability. Integrates detailed supporting case study evidence. Shows insight by linking the effects to vulnerability (a comprehensive and full understanding). Applies TWO geographic concepts and uses geographic terminology.

N0 = No response; no relevant evidence.