

Assessment Schedule – 2023**Scholarship Geography (93401)****Evidence****Question ONE**

Perspectives are bodies of thought, theories, or world views that shape people's values.

Critically evaluate through perspectives the use and production of fossil fuels compared to alternative forms of energy.

The candidate critically evaluates by weighing up information, presenting a range of information supported by specific content that leads to a balanced and well-debated / well-argued response. Their argument should be shaped through perspectives.

Score		
Outstanding Scholarship	8	Refers to and incorporates specific evidence to back up their argument. Evidence is drawn both from the resources provided and from beyond. Includes appropriate and effective visuals communicated / used in a sophisticated way by integrating the information. Visuals may be adapted or original. These must be referred to. Response demonstrates ALL of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • sophisticated integration and abstraction • perception and insight • critical evaluation through perspectives • convincing communication.
	7	Response demonstrates ALL of the requirements for 8 as above, but: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • lacks consistency in one of the above performance descriptors.
Scholarship	6	Refers to and incorporates specific evidence to back up their argument. Includes appropriate visuals. Visuals may be adapted or original. These must be referred to. Response demonstrates ALL of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • integration and application of a range of ideas (from provided materials or case study) • critical evaluation through perspectives • convincing communication • logical development, precision, and clarity of ideas.
	5	Response demonstrates ALL of the requirements for 6 as above, but: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • may be confusing in parts, or lack clarity.
Below Scholarship	4	Critically evaluate through perspectives, and refers to and incorporates some specific evidence. Includes relevant visuals.
	3	Some critical evaluation. Refers to and incorporates some specific evidence. May include visuals.
	2	Little critical evaluation. May not include visuals, or they may be copied or not relevant.
	1	Answer largely descriptive, or large parts irrelevant.
	0	Nothing attempted or answer not relevant.

Question TWO

How significant is geographic location in influencing the geopolitics of global energy? Discuss.

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Outstanding Scholarship	8	<p>Refers to and incorporates specific evidence to back up their argument. Evidence is drawn both from the resources provided and from beyond.</p> <p>Includes appropriate and effective visuals communicated / used in a sophisticated way by integrating the information. Visuals may be adapted or original. These must be referred to.</p> <p>Response demonstrates ALL of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • sophisticated integration and abstraction • perception and insight • convincing communication • critical thinking.
	7	<p>Response demonstrates ALL of the requirements for 8 as above but:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • lacks consistency in one of the above performance descriptors.
Scholarship	6	<p>Refers to and incorporates specific evidence to back up their argument.</p> <p>Includes appropriate visuals. Visuals may be adapted or original. These must be referred to.</p> <p>Response demonstrates ALL of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • critical thinking • convincing communication • integration and application of a range of ideas • logical development, precision, and clarity of ideas.
	5	<p>Response demonstrates ALL of the requirements for 6 as above but:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • may be confusing in parts or lack clarity.
Below Scholarship	4	<p>Discussion refers to and incorporates some specific evidence.</p> <p>Includes relevant visuals.</p>
	3	<p>Very little depth in discussion. Refers to and incorporates some specific evidence.</p> <p>May include visuals.</p>
	2	<p>Some discussion.</p> <p>May not include visuals, or they may be copied or not relevant.</p>
	1	<p>Answer largely descriptive, or large parts irrelevant.</p>
	0	<p>Nothing attempted or answer not relevant.</p>

Question THREE

The United Nations has stated that the energy sector is the source of around three-quarters of greenhouse gas emissions. Its Paris Agreement goals state that emissions need to be reduced by 45% by 2030 and reach net zero by 2050.

Discuss the likelihood of these goals being met across the globe.

Score		
Outstanding Scholarship	8	Refers to and incorporates specific evidence to back up their argument. Evidence is drawn both from the resources provided, and from beyond. Includes appropriate and effective visuals communicated / used in a sophisticated way by integrating the information. Visuals may be adapted or original. These must be referred to. Response demonstrates ALL of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • sophisticated integration and abstraction • perception and insight • critical thinking • convincing communication.
	7	Response demonstrates ALL of the requirements for 8 as above, but: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • lacks consistency in one of the above performance descriptors.
Scholarship	6	Refers to and incorporates specific evidence to back up their argument. Includes appropriate visuals. Visuals may be adapted or original. These must be referred to. Response demonstrates ALL of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • critical thinking • convincing communication • integration and application of a range of ideas • logical development, precision, and clarity of ideas.
	5	Response demonstrates ALL of the requirements for 6 as above, but: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • may be confusing in parts, or lack clarity.
Below Scholarship	4	Some discussion. Includes relevant visuals. Refers to and incorporates some specific evidence.
	3	Some discussion (mainly descriptive). May include visuals. Refers to and incorporates some specific evidence.
	2	Some discussion (descriptive). May not include visuals, or they may be copied or not relevant.
	1	Answer largely descriptive, or large parts irrelevant.
	0	Nothing attempted or answer not relevant.

Cut Scores

Scholarship	Outstanding Scholarship
15 – 19	20 – 24