

CLASSIC 1001/CLASSIC 1011 (2019/20)

Commentaries

Choose **four** items from the following five and comment on them, indicating the context and discussing any points of literary, historical or artistic interest.

a) Homer, *Odyssey* 11.355-378, 'Odysseus answered with careful tact...' to '... the dangers you have passed.'

b) Hesiod, *Works and Days* 202–18 (= pp. 42–3 West): 'Now I will tell a fable...' to 'The fool learns only by experience.'

c) Theognis 39–52 (= p. 65 West)

d) Herodotus 4. 201, 'For a long time, then, the siege wore on' to 'the oath became null and void'

e) Image:



