

Assessment Schedule – 2015**Geography: Demonstrate geographic understanding of environments that have been shaped by extreme natural event(s) (91007)****Evidence**

Question One		Expected Coverage
<i>Geographic Concept: Processes</i>		
<i>Note: Both the diagrams and text should be assessed in judging this question.</i>		
(a) The following ENEs occur where: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Earthquake: Below the earth's surface • Flood: On the earth's surface • Tropical Cyclone: Above the earth's surface. 		
Not Achieved	N0	No response; no relevant evidence.
	N1	THREE locations identified correctly. No supporting diagrams or other evidence.
	N2	Partial diagrams drawn – labelled. Limited supporting evidence.
Achievement	A3	TWO locations identified correctly. AND Relevant diagrams drawn – some annotation describing the natural processes. Some supporting evidence.
	A4	TWO locations identified correctly. AND Relevant diagrams drawn – some annotation describing the natural processes. Supporting evidence.
Merit	M5	TWO locations identified correctly. AND Relevant diagrams drawn – annotation explaining the natural processes. Some detailed supporting evidence.
	M6	TWO locations identified correctly. AND Relevant diagrams drawn – annotations explaining the natural processes. Detailed supporting evidence.
Excellence	E7	THREE locations identified correctly. AND Relevant diagrams drawn –detailed annotations fully explaining the natural processes. Integrated detailed supporting evidence. Some insight shown and reference to geographic concept inferred.
	E8	THREE locations identified correctly. AND Relevant diagrams drawn – integrated annotations to fully explain the processes. Integrated detailed supporting evidence. Insight shown and reference to geographic concept.

Question Two		Expected Coverage
<i>Geographic Concept: Environments</i>		
Not Achieved	N0	No response; no relevant evidence.
	N1	Limited description of the vulnerability of the natural environment due to a cultural feature / characteristic. <i>OR</i> Limited description of the vulnerability of the cultural environment due to a natural feature / characteristic. No supporting evidence.
	N2	Partial description of the vulnerability of the natural environment due to a natural feature / characteristic. <i>OR</i> Partial description of the vulnerability of the cultural environment due to a cultural feature / characteristic. Limited supporting evidence.
Achievement	A3	Description of the vulnerability of the natural environment due to a natural feature / characteristic. <i>OR</i> Description of the vulnerability of the cultural environment due to a cultural feature / characteristic. Some supporting evidence from the case study.
	A4	Description of the vulnerability of the natural environment due to a natural feature / characteristic. <i>AND</i> Description of the vulnerability of the cultural environment due to a natural feature / characteristic. Supporting evidence from the case study.
Merit	M5	Explanation of the vulnerability of the natural and cultural environments due to natural and cultural features / characteristics. Some detailed supporting evidence.
	M6	Explanation of the vulnerability of the natural and cultural environments due to natural and cultural features / characteristics. Detailed supporting evidence.
Excellence	E7	Full explanation of the vulnerability of the natural and cultural environments due to natural and cultural features / characteristics. Integrated detailed supporting evidence. Some insight shown and some reference to the geographic concept.
	E8	Full explanation of the vulnerability of the natural and cultural environments due to natural and cultural features / characteristics. Integrated detailed supporting evidence. Insight shown and application of the geographic concept.

Question Three		Expected Coverage
<i>Geographic Concept: Change</i>		
Not Achieved	N0	No response; no relevant evidence.
	N1	Limited description of the human response to an ENE. No supporting evidence.
	N2	Partial description of the human response to an ENE. Limited supporting evidence.
Achievement	A3	Description of ONE group's response to an ENE. Some supporting evidence.
	A4	Description of ONE group's response to an ENE. Supporting evidence.
Merit	M5	Explanation of TWO or more groups' responses to an ENE. Some detailed supporting evidence from the case study.
	M6	Explanation of TWO or more groups' responses to an ENE. Detailed supporting evidence from the case study.
Excellence	E7	Full explanation of TWO or more groups' responses to an ENE Detailed integrated evidence from the case study. Some insight shown and reference to the geographic concept inferred.
	E8	Full explanation of TWO or more groups' responses to an ENE. Detailed integrated evidence from the selected case study. Insight shown and reference to the geographic concept.

Cut Scores

	Not Achieved	Achievement	Achievement with Merit	Achievement with Excellence
Score range	0 – 7	8 – 13	14 – 18	19 – 24