

Assessment Schedule – 2023

Geography: Demonstrate understanding of how a cultural process shapes geographic environment(s) (91427)

Assessment Criteria

Achievement	Achievement with Merit	Achievement with Excellence
<p><i>Demonstrating understanding</i> involves:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • analysing aspects of the cultural process and how they shape the geographic environment(s) • including some supporting case study evidence. 	<p><i>Demonstrating in-depth understanding</i> involves:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • analysing in detail aspects of the cultural process and how they shape the geographic environment(s) • including detailed supporting case study evidence. 	<p><i>Demonstrating comprehensive understanding</i> involves:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • providing an insightful analysis of aspects of the cultural process and how they shape the geographic environment(s) • integrating comprehensive supporting case study evidence. <p>NB: An insightful analysis includes an analysis of the links between the elements of the cultural process to draw conclusions.</p>

Cut Scores

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

Evidence

The candidate comprehensively analyses how the operation of a named cultural processes shapes the named geographic environment(s).
 Maps / diagrams / cross sections may contain information about how the cultural process operates or features within the environment, or how it shapes the environment as a whole.

Candidates may demonstrate understanding of how the environment is shaped by considering how the process operates over time or how it creates variations in different parts of the environment. Candidates are likely to demonstrate insight when they synthesise spatial and temporal aspects.

N1	N2	A3	A4	M5	M6	E7	E8
<p>Includes some relevant material; but does not address the question (very limited answer).</p>	<p>Includes little accurate information about the operation of the cultural process or shaping of the environment (in visuals and / or written answer).</p>	<p>Partially analyses, by either explaining how the environment is shaped or how the cultural process operates.</p> <p>The analysis is inferred in parts or more descriptive.</p> <p>Includes some supporting case study evidence in the written or visual components.</p> <p>Describes or infers how the process operates.</p> <p>Describes or infers how the environment is shaped.</p>	<p>Analyses how the cultural process operates to shape the environment.</p> <p>One aspect may be weaker than the other.</p> <p>Includes some supporting case study evidence in the written or visual components.</p> <p>Describes how the process operates.</p> <p>Describes how the environment is shaped.</p>	<p>Analyses, in some detail, how the cultural process operates to shape the environment.</p> <p>Includes detailed supporting case study evidence in the written or visual components.</p> <p>Explains how the process operates.</p> <p>Explains how the environment is shaped.</p>	<p>Analyses, in detail, how the cultural process operates to shape the environment.</p> <p>Includes detailed supporting case study evidence in the written and visual components.</p> <p>Explains how the process operates.</p> <p>Explains how the environment is shaped.</p>	<p>Analyses comprehensively, with some insight, how the cultural process operates to shape the environment.</p> <p>Integrates comprehensive supporting case study evidence throughout the written and visual components.</p> <p>Explains how the process operates by considering the links between the elements of the cultural process.</p> <p>Explains how the environment is shaped.</p>	<p>Analyses comprehensively, with insight, how the cultural process operates to shape the environment.</p> <p>Integrates comprehensive supporting case study evidence throughout the written and visual components.</p> <p>Explains how the process operates by considering the links between the elements of the cultural process.</p> <p>Explains how the environment is shaped.</p>

N0 = No response; no relevant evidence.