

Assessment Schedule – 2024**Geography: Demonstrate geographic understanding of a large natural environment (91240)****Assessment Criteria**

Achievement	Achievement with Merit	Achievement with Excellence
<p><i>Demonstrating geographic understanding of a named large natural environment</i> involves the candidate:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • explaining aspects of the large natural environment • including supporting case study evidence. 	<p><i>Demonstrating in-depth geographic understanding of a named large natural environment</i> involves the candidate:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • explaining, in detail, aspects of the large natural environment • including detailed supporting case study evidence. 	<p><i>Demonstrating comprehensive geographic understanding of a named large natural environment</i> involves the candidate:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • fully explaining aspects of the large natural environment, including the use of geographic terminology and concepts, showing insight • including comprehensive supporting case study evidence.

Evidence

N1	N2	A3	A4	M5	M6	E7	E8
Briefly describes how the elements or processes of the large natural environment form or change over time.	Describes how the large natural environment forms or changes over time. OR Describes how a person or group's perception changes over time. Includes some evidence from the case study.	Explains how the large natural environment forms or changes over time. OR Explains how a person or group's perception changes over time. Includes some evidence from the case study.	Explains how the large natural environment forms or changes over time. OR Explains how a person or group's perception changes over time. Includes evidence from the case study.	Explains in detail how the large natural environment forms and changes over time. AND Explains how a person or group's perception changes over time. Includes detailed evidence from the case study. One part of the explanation may be less detailed.	Explains in detail how the large natural environment forms and changes over time. AND Explains in detail how a person or group's perception changes over time. Includes detailed evidence from the case study.	Fully explains how the large natural environment forms and changes over time showing some insight . AND Explains in detail how a person or group's perception changes over time, showing some insight . Integrates comprehensive evidence from the case study within some parts of the answer. Uses geographic terminology and geographic concepts appropriately.	Fully explains how the large natural environment forms and changes over time showing insight . AND Explains in detail how a person or group's perception changes over time, showing insight . Integrates comprehensive evidence from the case study within all parts of the answer. Uses geographic terminology and geographic concepts appropriately.

N0 = No response; no relevant evidence.

Cut Scores

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