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Classical Civilisation

CIV3D

Unit 3D Augustus and the Foundation of the Principate

Thursday 9 June 2011 9.00 am to 10.30 am

For this paper you must have:

- a photographic insert (enclosed)
- an AQA 12-page answer book.

Time allowed

- 1 hour 30 minutes

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen. Do **not** use pencil or gel pen.
- Write the information required on the front of your answer book.
The **Paper Reference** for this paper is CIV3D.
- Answer questions from **two** options.
Choose **one** option from Section One and **one** option from Section Two.
Answer **all** questions from the options you have chosen.
- Do all rough work in your answer book. Cross through any work that you do not want to be marked.
Do **not** tear out any part of the book. All work must be handed in.
- If you use more than one book, check that you have written the information required on each book.

Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 75.
- You will be marked on your ability to:
 - use good English
 - organise information clearly
 - use specialist vocabulary where appropriate.

Section One

Choose **either** Option A **or** Option B.

Answer **all** questions from the option you have chosen.

EITHER

Option A

Read the passage below and answer Questions 01 to 05 which follow.

The whole of Italy of its own free will swore allegiance to me and demanded me as the leader in the war in which I was victorious at Actium. The Gallic and Spanish provinces, Africa, Sicily and Sardinia swore the same oath of allegiance.

Res Gestae Divi Augusti 25.2

- 0 1** Give the names of **two** of Augustus' opponents at the battle of Actium. (2 marks)
- 0 2** Give **two** reasons why Augustus won the battle of Actium. (2 marks)
- 0 3** Give **one** way in which this oath of allegiance was important to Augustus. (1 mark)
- 0 4** How significant was the battle of Actium in securing Augustus' power? (10 marks)
- 0 5** In the period 44 to 31 BC, how easily had Augustus overcome the difficulties he faced in gaining power? (20 marks)

OR

Option B

Study **Photographs A** and **B** on the insert, which show parts of the frieze of the Ara Pacis Augustae, and answer Questions 06 to 08 below.

- 0 6** What is happening on the frieze **and** who are involved? Make **five** points. (5 marks)
- 0 7** What was the significance of the Ara Pacis Augustae? (10 marks)
- 0 8** To what extent does the Ara Pacis Augustae convey similar messages to those of the Prima Porta statue of Augustus **and** to what extent do they differ? (20 marks)

Section Two

Choose **either** Option C **or** Option D and answer the question below.

EITHER

Option C

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'Augustus used his wealth to benefit all classes of Rome and Italy equally.'

To what extent do you agree? Explain your views with reference to **both** the *Res Gestae* **and** Suetonius' *Augustus*. (40 marks)

OR

Option D

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How important a part did Augustus' building programme play in his principate? Explain your views with reference to **both** the *Res Gestae* **and** Suetonius' *Augustus*. (40 marks)

END OF QUESTIONS

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