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Latin

Unit A402/01: Latin Language 2: History (Foundation Tier)

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Mark Scheme for June 2014

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Annotation	Meaning
BP	Blank Page – this annotation must be used on all blank pages within an answer booklet (structured or unstructured) and on each page of an additional object where there is no candidate response.
0	Award 0 mark
1	Award 1 mark
2	Award 2 marks
3	Award 3 marks
4	Award 4 marks
BOD	Benefit of doubt
×	Incorrect point
	Major error
REP	Repeated error
✓	Correct point
^	Omission mark

MARK SCHEME

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
1	many (1) years (1)	[2]	
2	they made (1) Tarquinius king (1)	[2]	novum not required.
3	he was a good (1) leader (1)	[2]	tam not required.
4	after he overcame (1) fierce (1) enemies (1) in war (1)	[3]	Max. 3 points.
5(a)	a wall (1)	[1]	Do not require ingens.
5(b)	around (1) the city (1)	[2]	
6	a big (1) temple (1)	[2]	
7a	the sons (1) of Ancus (1)	[2]	Do not allow 'son'.
7b	to kill (1) the king (1) in the middle (1) of the palace (1)	[4]	

Question 8: Unseen Translation

Section	Answer	Marks	Guidance		
			Content	Levels of response	
1	filii Anci invenerunt duos <u>pastores</u> qui regem necare volebant. The sons of Ancus found two shepherds who wanted to kill the king.	4	invenerunt: 'looked for' – major error. regem: 'ruler' – OK.	Correct translation, with one minor error allowed.	
2	hi <u>pastores</u> , <u>ferramenta</u> portantes, <u>regiae</u> appropinquaverunt. These shepherds, carrying farming tools, approached the royal palace.	4	portantes taken as main verb – minor error.	(3) Overall sense clear, with one major AND one minor error, or three minor errors allowed. (2) Part correct, but with	
3	subito ferociter inter se pugnare simulaverunt. Suddenly they pretended to fight fiercely among themselves.	4	pugnare: 'attack' – minor error.	overall sense lacking/unclear (see * below). (1) No continuous sense	
4	tam vehementer <u>pastores</u> clamabant ut voces in <u>regia</u> <u>audirentur</u> . The shepherds shouted so loudly that their voices were heard in the royal palace.	4		correct; isolated knowledge of vocabulary only (see ** below). (0) Totally incorrect.	
5	itaque custodes eos ad regem duxerunt. Therefore guards led them to the king.			NB Consequential errors should not be penalised.	
6	ubi <u>Tarquinius</u> rogavit <u>pastores</u> cur pugnarent, When Tarquinius asked the shepherds why they were fighting,	4	ubi incorrect or omitted – major error.		

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7	unus multis verbis ei respondit. one replied to him with many words.	4	'one gave many words in reply' – allow.		
8	cum rex eum audiret, alter securem in caput eius pepulit. When the king was listening to him, the other drove an axe into his head.	4	'with the king listening' – major error		
9	rex, graviter vulneratus, ad terram <u>cecidit</u> . The king, seriously wounded, fell to the ground.	4	graviter = 'greatly' – major error.		
10	mox cives tristissimi intellexerunt <u>Tarquinium</u> interfectum esse. Soon the citizens very sadly learnt that Tarquinius had been killed.	4	'Soon the citizens were very sad to learn that' – allow.		
	Total	40			

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