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Option A: Vergil

Extract 1 Vergil, Aeneid 1.23–41

- (a) Award [1] each up to [2] for any response supported by the context of the previous lines, such as: Juno fears that Carthage will fall; at the hands of the descendants of Troy/of the Romans; from which will descend a powerful race of people; she fears the decree of Fate.
 - (b) Award **[1]** each up to **[4]** for the following: the judgment of Paris; her beauty scorned; her hatred for the Trojans; Jupiter's favour for Ganymede.
 - (c) Award [1] each up to [4] for any answer supported by the context of the passage, such as: it took place on the whole sea (*aequore toto*); Juno kept stopping them from reaching Latium (*arcebat longe Latio*); it was not straightforward (*errabant*); it had taken many years (*annos*); they had sailed all/many seas (plural is required) (*maria omnia*). Also accept references to the magnitude of the enterprise (*tantae molis*).
 - (d) Award [3] if the meaning has been fully communicated, and vocabulary and grammar are rendered correctly. Award [2] if the meaning has been communicated, and vocabulary and grammar are rendered adequately despite inaccuracies. Award [1] if the meaning has not been communicated adequately, and vocabulary and grammar are not rendered adequately. Award [0] if the work does not reach a standard described by the descriptors above.
 - (e) Award **[1]** each up to **[2]** for the following: Pallas Athena burnt the Argive fleet; and drowned them/sank it.

Option A: Vergil

Extract 2 Vergil, Aeneid 1.385–405

- (a) Award [1] each up to [2] for: Venus wants Aeneas to continue (*perge*); go to Dido's court (*te perfer reginae ad limina*). Award [1] each up to [2] for: he will find his companions returned (*reduces socios*); and the fleet returned (*classem relatam*) and/or: the fleet safe (*in tutum*). NB: *reduces/relatam/in tutum* are required.
 - (b) Mark only for length of syllables. Award **[1]** per line if all correct; **[0]** otherwise.
 - (c) Carthage; in Libya; Tunisia; North Africa (not simply Africa) or any other answer that locates the city with precision [1]; it was founded from Tyre [1].
 - (d) Award [2] for each two elements of Latin correctly identified <u>as an equivalent pair</u>, such as: the swans (*cycnos*) are like the ships (*puppes*) [2]; reaching land (*terras capere*) is like reaching harbour (*portum tenet*) [2]; approaching land (*captas despectare*) is like approaching harbour (*subit ostia*) [2]. Accept references to the the storm/s or the the Trojans' troubles (*aetheria plaga; Iovis ales*) or the joy of the birds (*ludunt; cantus dedere*) awarding [1] for each.
 - (e) Award [3] if the meaning has been fully communicated, and vocabulary and grammar are rendered correctly. Award [2] if the meaning has been communicated, and vocabulary and grammar are rendered adequately despite inaccuracies. Award [1] if the meaning has not been communicated adequately, and vocabulary and grammar are not rendered adequately. Award [0] if the work does not reach a standard described by the descriptors above.

Option B: History

Extract 3 Tacitus, Annals 2.73

- (a) *Imagines* are the death masks of ancestors [1] worn at funerals [1]. *Pompa* is the procession [1], plus one further detail such as: the delivery of eulogies, or a public display of social status [1].
 - (b) Award **[1]** each up to **[4]** for points of analysis supported by a specific example. While ideally an analysis will contain both similarities and differences, award marks for either:

Similarities such as: both handsome; both of famous lineage; both young (not much exceeding thirty); both died abroad; by treason; both were warriors.

Differences such as: Germanicus was kind to his friends; moderate in his pleasures; content with a single wife and legitimate children; Germanicus was less rash than Alexander; Germanicus was more forgiving, self-controlled.

- (c) Germanicus was not sole decision maker (*solus arbiter rerum*) [1]; nor did he hold kingly power (*iure/nomine regio*) [1].
- (d) Germanicus's corpse was incinerated in Antioch [1]; and buried in Rome [1].
- (e) Award [3] if the meaning has been fully communicated, and vocabulary and grammar are rendered correctly. Award [2] if the meaning has been communicated, and vocabulary and grammar are rendered adequately despite inaccuracies. Award [1] if the meaning has not been communicated adequately, and vocabulary and grammar are not rendered adequately. Award [0] if the work does not reach a standard described by the descriptors above.

Option B: History

Extract 4 Tacitus, Annals 3.2

- (a) Award [1] each up to [2] for any two relevant details about the praetorian cohorts, such as: they were formed by Augustus; were the emperor's personal guard; they were stationed in Rome; they were later stationed by Sejanus in a camp; they served a political and military purpose, *etc.* Award [1] for any relevant comment, such as: they could be trusted to be loyal; they were generally considered elite troops, thus able to handle the demands of the mission; it would be a mark of honour, *etc.*
 - (b) Award [1] each up to [4] for any of the following details: they were carried by tribunes and centurions (*tribunorum centurionumque ... portabantur*); standards were unadorned (*incompta signa*); and fasces were upside down/reversed (*versi fasces*); the population was dressed in mourning/black (*atrata plebes*); the knights were in official clothes (*trabeati equites*); sacrifices and burnt offerings were made along the route (*vestem or odores or funerum sollemnia cremabant*); people set up ritual offerings (*statuentes victimas or aras*); and displayed signs of grief (*dolorem testabantur*).
 - (c) Award [1] each up to [3] for figures of speech with relevant quotation, such as: asyndeton *passim*; alliteration (*eg mortem male dissimulari*); parallelism (*eg atrata plebes, trabeati equites*); tricolon (*vestem odores aliaque funerum sollemnia*), oxymoron (*laetam ... mortem*), chiasmus (*Claudio fratre liberisque Germanici*) etc.
 - (d) Tarracina is south/close to/one day's journey from Rome [1]; being close to Rome (or: only one day's journey) this was no great honour, or escorting the ashes into Rome is a mark of honour [1].
 - (e) Award [3] if the meaning has been fully communicated, and vocabulary and grammar are rendered correctly. Award [2] if the meaning has been communicated, and vocabulary and grammar are rendered adequately despite inaccuracies. Award [1] if the meaning has not been communicated adequately, and vocabulary and grammar are not rendered adequately. Award [0] if the work does not reach a standard described by the descriptors above.

Option C: Love poetry

Extract 5 Catullus, Carmina 8

- 5. (a) Award [1] each up to [2] for any circumstance described in lines 4–7, such as: Catullus followed the beloved around; he loved her fully; they had fun; she was not unwilling to do what he wanted to do.
 - (b) Award [3] if the meaning has been fully communicated, and vocabulary and grammar are rendered correctly. Award [2] if the meaning has been communicated, and vocabulary and grammar are rendered adequately despite inaccuracies. Award [1] if the meaning has not been communicated adequately, and vocabulary and grammar are not rendered adequately. Award [0] if the work does not reach a standard described by the descriptors above.
 - (c) This phrase is denigratory/rude [1]; other answers on their merits as long as they support the basic dismissive and rude/angry tone of the phrase. Catullus addresses her this way because she has rejected him (or similar) [1].
 - (d) Award [1] for each identified figure of speech; and [1] for each relevant explanation, such as: anaphora of the interrogative (*quae* ... *quis* ... *cui* ...) produces an anticlimactic effect as the poet seems to return to desire; repetition (or polyptoton) of verbs such as *obdurare* (*obdura* ... *obdurat*) create an effect of determined resolve; *etc*.
 - (e) Award [1] each up to [2] for each relevant point of discussion; and [1] each up to [2] for examples from the text, such as: <u>contrast</u> between present sorrow and past happiness (*fulsere ... soles*); the girl's <u>change</u> from love to rejection (*nunc iam non vult*); anger <u>in spite of</u> his love (*at tu dolebis, etc*); persistence of love <u>in spite of</u> contrary statements (*eg quod vides* ... *ducas*; *nec quae ... obdura*); <u>contrast</u> between the lover and possible rivals (*quis nunc ... mordebis*).

Option C: Love poetry

Extract 6 Propertius, *Elegies* 1.1.19–36

- 6. (a) Award [1] each up to [3] for powers of witches, supported by quotes, such as: they bring down the moon (*deductae* ... *lunae*); they perform rituals (*sacra piare*); they use magic fires (*magicis focis*); they can influence minds/make people fall in love (*mentem convertite*; *illa palleat*).
 - (b) Award [3] if the meaning has been fully communicated, and vocabulary and grammar are rendered correctly. Award [2] if the meaning has been communicated, and vocabulary and grammar are rendered adequately despite inaccuracies. Award [1] if the meaning has not been communicated adequately, and vocabulary and grammar are not rendered adequately. Award [0] if the work does not reach a standard described by the descriptors above.
 - (c) Mark only for length of syllables. Award **[1]** per line if all correct; **[0]** otherwise.
 - (d) Cytaeine refers to Colchis [2] (NB: look out) and is related/refers to Medea [1]; award [1] for any relevant further detail, such as: Medea did what she did out of love; Medea was known as a witch.
 - (e) Award [1] each up to [3] for any figure of speech supported by an example, such as: polysyndeton (*et sidera et amnis et ferrum et ignis*); alliteration (*fortiter et ferrum*); repetition (*ferte ... et ferte; per extremas et per undas*); enjambment (*sua moretur* | *cura*); personification (*saevos ignis; ira loqui*). Accept *lapsum* as metaphor.

Option D: Women

Extract 7 Cicero, Pro Caelio 39

- Caelius has devoted his life to love and pleasure (both required) [1]; Cicero defends this lifestyle [1].
 - (b) Award [3] if the meaning has been fully communicated, and vocabulary and grammar are rendered correctly. Award [2] if the meaning has been communicated, and vocabulary and grammar are rendered adequately despite inaccuracies. Award [1] if the meaning has not been communicated adequately, and vocabulary and grammar are not rendered adequately. Award [0] if the work does not reach a standard described by the descriptors above.
 - (c) Award [1] each up to [4] for qualities with supporting quotation, such as: vigour of mind (*robore animi*); virtue and continence (*virtutis ac continentiae*) (both required); resistance to pleasures (*respueret voluptates*); dedication to physical or mental labour (*cursum in labore corporis/in animi contentione conficeret*) [1]; endurance (*non quies, non remissio*); maturity (*non aequalium studia/ludi/convivium delectaret*); devotion (or similar) to glory or dignity (*nisi cum laude/cum dignitate coniunctum*).
 - (d) Award [1] each up to [3] for any relevant detail for each name, such as: Camillus, honoured for military prowess/conquered Veii; Fabricius, revered for his austerity and incorruptibility/ fought Pyrrhus; similarly Curius, credited with ending the Samnite Wars/defeated Pyrrhus.
 - (e) Award [1] each up to [3] for figures of speech such as: tricolon (*haec ... sic ... ob causam*); anaphora (*non quies, non remissio, non studia, non ludi, non convivium*); asyndeton (*non quies, non remissio, non studia, non ludi, non convivium*); rhetorical question/hypothetical statement (*dicet aliquis*); chiasmus (*in labore corporis atque in animi contentione*). Juxtaposition/contrast (*minimis tanta*). (NB: the same Latin can be quoted twice if exemplifying two different figures of speech). Do not accept (*hanc tu vitam*) as hyperbaton.

Option D: Women

Extract 8 Ovid, Heroides 1.1–14

- 8. (a) Mark only for length of syllables. Award [1] per line if all correct; [0] otherwise.
 - (b) Award [1] each up to [4] for any of the following: she would not sleep alone (*non deserto iacuissem … lecto*, or *non iacuissem frigida*; she would not complain that the days are long (*nec quererer tardos ire … dies*); she would not spend the night(s) questioning, or I would not try to trick the night(s)/to deceive (*ie* the suitors) throughout the night (*nec mihi quaerenti fallere noctem*); she would not grow tired weaving (*nec lassaret … tela manus*); I would not behave like a widow (*viduas manus*).
 - (c) Award [3] if the meaning has been fully communicated, and vocabulary and grammar are rendered correctly. Award [2] if the meaning has been communicated, and vocabulary and grammar are rendered adequately despite inaccuracies. Award [1] if the meaning has not been communicated adequately, and vocabulary and grammar are not rendered adequately. Award [0] if the work does not reach a standard described by the descriptors above.
 - (d) Award [1] for a relevant outine/definition such as: lonely, abandoned, *etc*; [1] each up to [2] for relevant quotation of examples, such as: Penelope describes herself as a widow, alone (*viduas manus*) and fearful (*quando ego non timui*).
 - (e) Award [1] each up to [3] for figures of speech such as: alliteration (*obrutus insanis esset … aquis*); anaphora (*non … nec … nec*); interlocking word order (*passim*); chiasmus (*viduas pendula tela manus*); transferred epithet (*viduas manus*); enjambment (lines 9–10).

Option F: Good living

Extract 9 Horace, *Carmina* 3.26

- 9. (a) Horace uses the image of military campaigning [1] to characterize his experience of love [1].
 - (b) Award [1] each for relevant points such as: correlation between the weapons (*arma*) and the barbiton; correlation between war and love (Venus); explanation of *foribus* as referring to his courting/girl-chasing; presenting votive offerings to symbolize the end of campaigning/love. Other answers on their merits.
 - (c) Award [3] if the meaning has been fully communicated, and vocabulary and grammar are rendered correctly. Award [2] if the meaning has been communicated, and vocabulary and grammar are rendered adequately despite inaccuracies. Award [1] if the meaning has not been communicated adequately, and vocabulary and grammar are not rendered adequately. Award [0] if the work does not reach a standard described by the descriptors above.
 - (d) Award [1] each up to [2] for each identified figure of speech and [1] up to [2] for each relevant explanation, such as: metaphor/metonymy of the barbiton for poetry equates the tools of love poetry to the tools of warfare; triple invocation to Venus to show how keen he is to have his prayers answered; paraprosdokian (a desire for Chloe's love) at the end of the poem shows that a change in lifestyle is not as simple as it appears; *etc.*
 - (e) Award [1] each up to [3] for *Cyprum* is an island, off the coast of Syria/Turkey/in the eastern Mediterranean (not simply in the Mediterranean); *Memphin* is a city/region (not: a temple), in Egypt/on the Nile; *Sithonia* is a peninsula in/part of Thessaly/Chalkidice/north Greece (not simply Greece).

Option F: Good living

Extract 10 Seneca, Epistulae Morales 1.1–3

- 10. (a) Award [1] each for up to [2] for answers such as: Seneca is encouraging Lucilius to set himself free (or similar) for himself; to keep/save/not waste his time; to believe Seneca. Award [1] for an explanation that time is taken away from us in different ways (translation/paraphrase of *quaedam ... effluunt* not needed)..
 - (b) Award [3] if the meaning has been fully communicated, and vocabulary and grammar are rendered correctly. Award [2] if the meaning has been communicated, and vocabulary and grammar are rendered adequately despite inaccuracies. Award [1] if the meaning has not been communicated adequately, and vocabulary and grammar are not rendered adequately. Award [0] if the work does not reach a standard described by the descriptors above. NB: do not penalise if the section *tota vita ... agentibus* is not translated, and do not mark it if included.
 - (c) Award [1] each up to [2] for relevant arguments, and [1] each up to [2] for supporting quotation of the extract, such as: few are properly aware of the value of time (*qui pretium tempori ponat/qui diem aestimet/qui intellegat se cotidie mori*); we think we are facing death in the future (*mortem prospicimus*); if you don't use time properly, you are wasting your life (*dum differtur, vita transcurrit*).
 - (d) Award [1] each up to [2] for a range of valid responses supported by quotation, such as: asyndeton/tricolon (*maxima pars ..., magna ..., tota ...*); sententia (*dum differtur, vita transcurrit*); anaphora/tricolon (*qui ..., qui ..., qui ...*); *etc.*
 - (e) Seneca suggests that human beings display their stupidity [1]; by valuing things of little value / that can be easily replaced [1]; but not valuing their own time, which cannot be replaced (NB: both elements required) [1].