# 2011 Classical Studies 

## Intermediate 1

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## Section A

## Classical Drama - Sophocles, Oedipus the King

## Marks

1. (a) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 2 marks).

- They are suffering from a plague
- People and animals are dying
- Any other reasonable point
(b) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 2 marks).
- He has rescued them from the Sphinx
- He has sent Creon to Delphi
- Creon has to ask the gods how to end the plague
- Any other reasonable point

2. (a) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 1 mark).

- Oedipus is the killer of Laius
(b) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 3 marks).
- He insults Teiresias
- He mocks his blindness
- He accuses Teiresias of plotting with Creon to take control of Thebes
- Any other reasonable point


## Roman Archaeology and Civilisation

## Marks

3. (a) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 1 mark).

- Vase - used for holding oil

Or

- Strigil or scraper - used to remove oil
(b) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 2 marks).
- Clothes or personal possessions
(c) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 1 mark).
- Floor was heated

4. (a) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 1 mark).

- Emperor during conquest
(b) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 1 mark).
- Romans believed emperor became god after his death
(c) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 2 marks).
- Any reasonable answer such as

Julius Caesar - first Roman to land in Britain
Hadrian - built wall in northern England
Antoninus - built wall in Scotland
Agricola - led legions into Scotland
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## Classical Mythology

## Marks

5. (a) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 1 mark).

- Any one of Titans/hundred handed giants/Cyclopes
(b) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 1 mark).
- They were ugly and/or giants
(c) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 2 marks).
- He attacked Uranus
- He married Rhea
- He took control
- Any 2 or any other reasonable answer

6. (a) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 2 marks).

Candidates should mention such features as

- Water up to the neck
- Reaching for fruit
- Fruit and water never reach Tantalus' mouth
- In some versions rock threatens Tantalus
(b) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 2 marks).

Candidates should mention such points as

- Stole food from the gods
- Fed his son to gods
- Persephone ate part of shoulder


## Section B

## Classical Drama - Sophocles, Oedipus the King

Marks

1. (a) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 2 marks).

- He takes the pins from her dress
- He stabs out his eyes
- Any other reasonable point
(b) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 3 marks).
- She was his wife and mother
- He was the killer of his father
- He cannot bear to look upon them in the afterlife
- His children are the products of incest
- Any other reasonable point

2. (a) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 2 marks).

Oedipus deserves this because:

- He knew the prophecy that he would marry his mother and kill his father
- He didn't try to find out whom he had killed on his journey to Thebes
- He married Jocasta without making any enquiries into his birth
- Any 2 of the above or any other reasonable point
(b) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points (maximum 3 marks).

Oedipus does not deserve this because:

- Everything that happened was out of his control; he was a victim of fate
- He tried to avoid fate by leaving Corinth
- Too harsh a fate for any man

3. (a) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 1 mark).

- Boudicca
(b) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 1 mark).
- She and her daughters had been raped/flogged/land taken from them/ taxed too much
(c) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 3 marks).

Candidates should mention such events as

- Burning of main cities like Colchester, London, St Albans
- Massacre of inhabitants
- Final defeat and death of Boudicca

4. (a) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 2 marks).

Candidate should mention such features as

- Appearance of emperor and other Romans
- Titles of emperors
- Knowledge of use of coinage
- Any other reasonable point
(b) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 3 marks).

Candidates should mention such features as

- How people wrote
- Language of inhabitants
- Day-to-day living of people (eg party invitations, soldiers' requests etc)


## Classical Mythology

## Marks

5. (a) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 1 mark).

- They built an ark/boat and floated until the flooding stopped
(b) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 1 mark).
- To punish men for their crimes
(c) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 3 marks).
- They asked the gods for more people
- They were instructed to cover their heads and throw the bones of their mother behind them
- They threw the rocks of earth over their shoulders and they turned into men and women

6. (a) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 1 mark).

- Sisyphus
(b) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 1 mark).
- It rolls back down
(c) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 1 mark).
- Escaped Underworld by tricking Hades
- Arranged to return to his home town as his body was not buried, then refused to return home
(d) Candidates should be awarded one mark for any of the following points, (maximum 1 mark).
- Chained to a fiery wheel

