

2013 HSC History Extension Marking Guidelines

Section I

Question 1

	Criteria	Marks
•	Demonstrates extensive knowledge, clear understanding and critical insight into relevant historiographical issues raised in the Source	
•	Demonstrates critical and sustained integration of the Source and at least TWO other relevant sources	21–25
•	Communicates perceptive judgement in a detailed, logical and cohesive response	
•	Demonstrates thorough knowledge and clear understanding of relevant historiographical issues raised in the Source	
•	Demonstrates thorough integration of the Source and at least TWO other relevant sources	16–20
•	Communicates reasoned judgement in a detailed, logical and cohesive response	
•	Demonstrates sound knowledge and some understanding of relevant historiographical issues raised in the Source	
•	Demonstrates sound integration of the Source and at least TWO other sources	11–15
•	Communicates a sound, detailed and logical narrative with some attempt at judgement	
•	Demonstrates limited knowledge and understanding of some historiographical issues	(10
•	Demonstrates limited use of the Source and at least ONE other source	6–10
•	Communicates a limited narrative	
•	Demonstrates minimal knowledge of historiographical issues	
•	Demonstrates minimal reference to the Source and possibly ONE other source	1–5
•	Communicates isolated observations	



Section II

Question 2

Criteria	Marks
Demonstrates extensive knowledge, clear understanding and critical insight into ONE area of debate from the chosen case study	
• Demonstrates highly effective use of the statement with the historiography of at least ONE area of debate from the chosen case study	21–25
• Communicates perceptive assessment in a sustained, logical and cohesive response	
Demonstrates thorough knowledge and clear understanding of at least ONE area of debate from the chosen case study	
• Demonstrates effective use of the statement with the historiography of at least ONE area of debate from the chosen case study	16–20
Communicates reasoned assessment in a sustained, logical and cohesive response	
Demonstrates sound knowledge and some understanding of at least ONE area of debate from the chosen case study	
• Demonstrates appropriate use of the statement with the historiography of at least ONE area of debate from the chosen case study	11–15
• Communicates a sound, logical and cohesive narrative with some attempt at assessment	
Demonstrates limited knowledge and understanding of at least ONE area of debate from the chosen case study	
• Demonstrates limited use of the statement with the historiography of at least ONE area of debate from the chosen case study	6–10
Communicates a limited narrative	
Demonstrates minimal knowledge of at least ONE area of debate from the chosen case study	
Demonstrates minimal reference to the statement with the historiography of at least ONE area of debate from the chosen case study	1–5
Communicates isolated observations	

History Extension 2013 HSC Examination Mapping Grid

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Question	Marks	Content	Syllabus outcomes
1	25	What is History? Popular interpretation and perspective of the issue. How has history been constructed and recorded over time? Changing methods of historians. How historians work.	E1.1, E2.2, E2.3

Section II

Question	Marks	Content	Syllabus outcomes
2	25	What are the historical debates? Who are the historians? What are the purposes of history?	E1.1, E2.2, E2.3