

# **2012 HSC Italian Extension Marking Guidelines**

## Section I — Response to Prescribed Text Part A

#### Question 1 (a)

Criteria		
Provides a thorough explanation of the quote in the context of this scene	2	
Provides some explanation of the quote in the context of this scene	1	



### Question 1 (b)

Criteria	Marks
• Explains fully the purpose of the scene in relation to developments later in the film	3
• Explains partially the purpose of the scene in relation to developments later in the film	2
Provides some relevant information	1

#### Question 1 (c)

Criteria	Marks
Provides a thorough explanation of the director's use of imagery and colour in this scene	4
Provides a satisfactory explanation of the director's use of imagery and colour in this scene	3
• Provides a limited explanation of the director's use of imagery and colour in this scene	2
Provides some relevant information	1

#### Question 1 (d)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides a thorough and perceptive response on how the director lifts our spirits by celebrating human resilience	6
• Provides a thorough response on how the director lifts our spirits by celebrating human resilience	4–5
Provides a satisfactory response on how the director lifts our spirits by celebrating human resilience	3
Provides a limited response on how the director lifts our spirits by celebrating human resilience	2
Provides some relevant information	1



### Section I — Response to Prescribed Text Part B

#### **Question 2**

Criteria	Marks
Demonstrates a perceptive and sensitive understanding of the prescribed text	
Demonstrates flair and originality in the approach taken	9–10
Manipulates Italian language authentically and creatively to meet the requirements of the task	9–10
Organises information and ideas to meet the requirements of the task	
Demonstrates a comprehensive understanding of the prescribed text	
Demonstrates some flair in the approach taken	
Manipulates Italian language with some degree of authenticity and creativity to meet the requirements of the task	7–8
Organises information and ideas to meet the requirements of the task	
Demonstrates an understanding of the prescribed text	
Demonstrates a satisfactory control of Italian vocabulary and sentence structures	5–6
Organises information and ideas to meet the requirements of the task	
Demonstrates some understanding of the prescribed text	
Demonstrates a basic knowledge and understanding of Italian vocabulary and sentence structures	3–4
Writes within the parameters of the task	
Demonstrates a limited understanding of the prescribed text	
Demonstrates an elementary knowledge and understanding of Italian vocabulary and sentence structures	1–2



### Section II — Writing in Italian

### Questions 3 and 4

	Criteria				
•	Presents and develops a sophisticated, coherent argument, discussion or explanation				
•	Writes effectively and perceptively for a specific audience, purpose and context	13–15			
•	Demonstrates breadth and depth in the treatment of relevant ideas				
•	Writes in Italian with a high level of grammatical accuracy, and breadth and sophistication of vocabulary and sentence structures				
•	Presents and develops a coherent argument, discussion or explanation				
•	Writes effectively for a specific audience, purpose and context				
•	Demonstrates breadth and some depth in the use of relevant supporting material and examples	10–12			
•	Writes accurately using a range of Italian vocabulary and sentence structures				
•	Attempts to present and develop a coherent argument, discussion or explanation				
•	Writes with some understanding of audience, purpose and context	7–9			
•	Supports points with relevant material and examples				
•	Writes using a range of Italian vocabulary and sentence structures				
•	Presents some relevant information, opinions or ideas				
•	Demonstrates the use of appropriate supporting materials	4–6			
•	Demonstrates evidence of the use of complex sentences in Italian				
•	Presents some relevant information, opinions or ideas	1–3			
•	Communicates primarily in simple sentences or set formulae in Italian	1–3			

### **Italian Extension**

### 2012 HSC Examination Mapping Grid

#### **Oral Examination**

Question	Marks	Content	Syllabus outcomes
1	10	Racism – monologue	H1.1, H1.2
2	10	Peace – monologue	H1.1, H1.2

#### **Written Examination**

Section I — Response to Prescribed Text Part A

Question	Marks	Content	Syllabus outcomes
1 (a)	2	La vita è bella	H2.1, H2.2, H2.3
1 (b)	3	La vita è bella	H2.1, H2.2, H2.3
1 (c)	4	La vita è bella	H2.1, H2.2, H2.3
1 (d)	6	La vita è bella	H2.1, H2.2, H2.3

#### **Written Examination**

Section I — Response to Prescribed Text Part B

Question	Marks	Content	Syllabus outcomes
2	10	La vita è bella – letter	H2.1

Written Examination Section II — Writing in Italian

Question	Marks	Content	Syllabus outcomes
3	15	Prescribed issue – article	H1.1, H1.2
4	15	Prescribed issue – article	H1.1, H1.2