

Pendle Hill High School

Assessment Task Cover Sheet

| Faculty/Subject: | Ancient History | Assessment Task No: | 1 |
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| Year: | 12 | Assessment weighting: | 25% |
| Date Given: | 13/11/19 | Due date and time: | 11/12/19 |
| Student name: | | Teacher: | Miss Fonti |

Submission Instructions

- The task must be completed by the due date. Hard copies must be handed to your regular classroom teacher during school hours and signed for.
- > Email submissions must be sent to the following email account: shannon.fonti1@det.nsw.edu.au
- Assignments received after **3:15pm** on the due date will be classed as a late submission, unless an alternate time is stated on the assessment cover sheet.
- > Students must attend school and all scheduled classes on the due date of the assessment. See assessment handbook for details.

Absence/Late Submission

Late submission:

Student Signature:

- For students in Years 11 and 12, the penalty is zero for work submitted after the due date and time. An immediate N award warning letter will be mailed to parents.
- For students in Years 7, 8, 9 and 10 the penalty is 20% of total mark per day (not marks scored). The penalty includes weekend and public holidays. This will result in an N award warning letter being mailed to parents for Year 9 and 10 students.

Absence:

- Year 11 -12 you are required to complete and submit to the front office an Assessment Appeal form within 48 hours of returning to school.
- > Year 7 -10 if you are absent from school on the day the task is to be completed, you are required on your return to school to provide a medical certificate or other documentation to the front office and your class teacher.
- Failure to provide adequate documentation will result in late submission penalties being applied.

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| the wo | ork of others. I understand that plagiarised work will receive zero marks and an N award warning letter. |
| | I have attached a complete bibliography - where appropriate. |
| 0 | I have kept a copy of my assignment. |
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Assessment Task Receipt

Students are to complete before handing in. Teacher signs the receipt that must be kept by the student.

| Student Name: _ | | Subject: | Ancient History |
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<u>Year 12 Ancient History</u> <u>Assessment Task 1 - Source Analysis and Report</u>

Cities of Vesuvius

Date issued: 13/11/19

Date due: 11/12/19

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OUTCOMES:

- AH 12-1 accounts for the nature of continuity and change in the ancient world
- AH 12-2 proposes arguments about the varying causes and effects of events and developments
- AH 12-6 analyses and interprets different types of sources for evidence to support an historical account or argument
- AH 12-8 plans and conducts historical investigations and presents seasoned conclusions, using relevant evidence from a range of sources
- AH 12-9 communicates historical understanding, using historical knowledge, concepts and terms, in appropriate and well-structured forms
- AH 12-10 analyses issues relating to the ownership, custodianship and conservation of the ancient past

TASK:

In class, we have been studying the sites of Pompeii and Herculaneum. In this task, you will focus on the problems that have arisen as a result of the excavations at both sites.

This task has two components:

- Source analysis and bibliography
- Written report

You are to research the problems caused by water at either Pompeii or Herculaneum and **one** other problem from this list:

- Plants (weeds, parasitic plants, etc)
- Animals (Pigeons, stray dogs, etc)
- Damaging restoration techniques
- Poor site security
- Tourism

PART A (Source analysis and bibliography) - 10%

You are to **research** the two problems of conservation in Pompeii and/or Herculaneum by locating six sources (3 sources for each problem). You must include at least one:

- Primary source
- Secondary source
- Written source
- Archaeological source

You are to **analyse** each source by filling out and completing the attached Source Analysis Table. You are to complete a Source Analysis Table for each source in **150-200** words. An image of the archaeological sources you have found must also be attached to the table.

A **bibliography** must be included listing all **six** sources and any additional sources that are used to complete your written report. Refer to the attached material for a guide on how to properly present this information.

PART B (Written report) - 15%

Using the sources you are to write an **800 word** report on the **two** problems of conservation in Pompeii and/or Herculaneum that you have chosen to research. In your report, you MUST provide knowledge of your own topic and use a variety of sources, both archaeological and written.

In your report:

- 1. **Explain** the problems that water has caused at Pompeii and/or Herculaneum.
- 2. Explain how the problem of water has been managed at Pompeii and/or Herculaneum.
- 3. Assess the success of water management at Pompeii and/or Herculaneum.
- 4. **Explain** the effect your second problem has caused at Pompeii and/or Herculaneum.
- 5. Explain how the problem has been managed at Pompeii and/or Herculaneum.
- 6. Assess the success of the management of the problem at Pompeii and/or Herculaneum.
- 7. **Include** relevant sources to support your argument.

Refer to the attached material for a scaffold on how to properly structure your report.

HOW TO WRITE A BIBLIOGRAPHY

Your bibliography must be correctly referenced as shown below.

Book:

Mason, K.J. (2002). Experience of Nationhood: Modern Australia since 1900. McGraw Hill (4th ed).

Book with multiple authors:

Cameron, K., Lawless, J., and Young, C. (2000). *Investigating Australia's 20th Century History*. Nelson, Southbank.

Books with an editor:

Evans, CL. (ed) (1992). The Kingfisher illustrated history of the world. Kingfisher, London.

Website:

McCulloch, J. (2001). *Jim's Buddhism page*. [Internet]. Available from: http://home.austin.rr.com/ jmcculloch> 27 March 2002.

Journal article:

Bird, M L. (2002) Waiting for a change. Time. No. 11, 25 March. Pp 40-45.

Source Analysis Table

Source reference (how you would write it for your bibliography):

Location of Artefact (only necessary for archaeological source):

Type of source: e.g. Primary, Secondary, Archaeological, Written.

Comment on the PURPOSE, USEFULNESS and RELIABILITY of the source

The following questions can be used as a guide.

PURPOSE:

What is the source? (E.g. a building, an article, etc)

Why was it created? (Written sources - E.g. To inform? To persuade? To entertain? To educate?)

(Archaeological sources - give the original purpose of the item)

USEFULNESS:

What information can I get from this source?

Is this information relevant to my question/topic?

How can I use the information to help me answer my question/topic?

RELIABILITY:

Where did this information come from?

Who wrote/published this information? Why are these people/organisations reliable?

Is the information accurate - i.e. sourced and referenced correctly?

Can I trust this source? Why/why not?

If the source is archaeological, how do you know it is genuine and can be trusted?

Complete this table SIX times!!

Report Scaffold

| Introduction | Introduce the topic. This may include a short description, definition or classification of the subject/topic. |
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| Body Paragraphs 2, 3, 4, etc | Each paragraph describes ONE aspect of the topic or answers ONE question. |
| | Short and informative headings or subheadings can be used. |
| | Each paragraph follows the TEEL structure: |
| | Topic sentence |
| | Explanation |
| | Evidence - sources you have analysed |
| | Link (back to the question) |
| Conclusion | Concluding information or summary paragraph - what conclusion can |
| Last paragraph | you make from the evidence gathered and what suggestions for future |

Language

- Use specific technical vocabulary and descriptive language.
- Use third person objective language. Don't use 'I', 'we', 'us', etc.
- Determine which tense is appropriate to your report.
 - * Present tense: "The platypus is one of Australia's most interesting marsupials." OR
 - * Past tense: "The ancient Egyptians worshipped the Nile River."
- The language of comparison could be used, e.g. "compared with", "smaller than", "greatest", "different from", "like ..."

Vocabulary

Analyse - examine (something) methodically and in detail, typically in order to explain and interpret it

Assess - make a judgement of value, quality, outcomes, results or size

Explain - relate cause and effect; make the relationships between things evident; provide why and/or how

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| | SOURCE ANALYSIS MARKING CRITERIA | Maximum Mark | Awarded Mark |
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| • | Selects six relevant and appropriate sources (both archaeological and written). | 9-10 | |
| • | Completes all components of the source analysis table accurately and comprehensively. | | |
| • | Writes a comprehensive, detailed and accurate comment on each source's purpose, usefulness and reliability. | | |
| • | Provides a detailed bibliography clearly showing all sources as indicated | | |
| • | Selects five relevant and appropriate sources (both archaeological and written). | 7-8 | |
| • | Completes most components of the source analysis table accurately and comprehensively. | | |
| • | Writes a mostly comprehensive, detailed and accurate comment on each source's purpose, usefulness and reliability. | | |
| • | Provides a bibliography clearly showing all sources as indicated in the | | |
| • | Selects four relevant and appropriate sources (both archaeological and written). | 5-6 | |
| • | Completes some components of the source analysis table accurately. | | |
| • | Writes a comment on each source's purpose, usefulness and reliability. | | |
| • | Provides a bibliography clearly showing most sources. | | |
| • | Selects three relevant and appropriate sources (archaeological and/or written). | 3-4 | |
| • | Completes at least two components of the source analysis table accurately. | | |
| • | Writes a comment on either the source's purpose, usefulness and/or reliability. | | |
| • | Selects one-two relevant and appropriate source. | 1-2 | |
| • | Completes one component of the source analysis table. | | |
| • | Lists the sources. | | |
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| | REPORT MARKING CRITERIA | Maximum Mark | Awarded Mark |
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| • | Provides a detailed and accurate assessment or evaluation of the problems of conservation at Pompeii and/or Herculaneum. | 13-15 | |
| • | Makes detailed and accurate references to a variety of sources, both archaeological and written. | | |
| • | Demonstrates historical knowledge and understanding relevant to the question using a range of historical terms and concepts appropriately. | | |
| • | Presents a sustained, logical and cohesive response within the stated word limit. | | |
| • | Provides a detailed assessment or evaluation of the problems of conservation at Pompeii and/or Herculaneum | 10-12 | |
| • | Makes accurate references to a variety of sources, both archaeological and written. | | |
| • | Demonstrates historical knowledge and understanding relevant to the question using historical terms and concepts appropriately. | | |
| • | Presents a sustained and logical response within the stated word limit. | | |
| • | Provides a sound assessment or evaluation of the problems of conservation at Pompeii and/or Herculaneum. | 7-9 | |
| • | Makes sound references to sources, both archaeological and written. | | |
| • | Demonstrates some historical knowledge and understanding relevant to the question using some historical terms and concepts. | | |
| • | Presents a logical response. | | |
| • | Provides some basic information on the problems of conservation at Pompeii and/or Herculaneum. | 4-6 | |
| • | Refers to some sources, both archaeological and written. | | |
| • | Demonstrates limited historical knowledge and/or understanding relevant to the question using basic historical terms and concepts. | | |
| • | Presents a more limited response. | | : |
| • | Provides some points on the problems of conservation at Pompeii and/or Herculaneum. | 1-3 | |
| • | Presents limited information through simple statements. | | |
| • | May make very limited use of historical terms and concepts. | | |
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