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**Generic Marking Principles**

These general marking principles must be applied by all examiners when marking candidate answers. They should be applied alongside the specific content of the mark scheme or generic level descriptors for a question. Each question paper and mark scheme will also comply with these marking principles.

**GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 1:**

Marks must be awarded in line with:

- the specific content of the mark scheme or the generic level descriptors for the question
- the specific skills defined in the mark scheme or in the generic level descriptors for the question
- the standard of response required by a candidate as exemplified by the standardisation scripts.

**GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 2:**

Marks awarded are always **whole marks** (not half marks, or other fractions).

**GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 3:**

Marks must be awarded **positively**:

- marks are awarded for correct/valid answers, as defined in the mark scheme. However, credit is given for valid answers which go beyond the scope of the syllabus and mark scheme, referring to your Team Leader as appropriate
- marks are awarded when candidates clearly demonstrate what they know and can do
- marks are not deducted for errors
- marks are not deducted for omissions
- answers should only be judged on the quality of spelling, punctuation and grammar when these features are specifically assessed by the question as indicated by the mark scheme. The meaning, however, should be unambiguous.

**GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 4:**

Rules must be applied consistently e.g. in situations where candidates have not followed instructions or in the application of generic level descriptors.

**GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 5:**

Marks should be awarded using the full range of marks defined in the mark scheme for the question (however; the use of the full mark range may be limited according to the quality of the candidate responses seen).

**GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 6:**

Marks awarded are based solely on the requirements as defined in the mark scheme. Marks should not be awarded with grade thresholds or grade descriptors in mind.

Question	Answer	Marks
1(a)	<p><u>Destructive wave:</u> waves are close together wave plunges downwards as it breaks</p> <p><u>Constructive wave:</u> waves are far apart wave spills forward as it breaks</p> <p>4 correct = 2 marks 2 or 3 correct = 1 mark 1 correct = 0 marks</p>	2
1(b)	<p>Use stopwatch / timer / clock for 1 minute Count number of waves breaking / going up beach / hitting stick or person or rock in 1 minute <b>'1 minute' is only required once</b> – either with 'stopwatch' or 'count number of waves ....' Take an average (of their measurements) Do method on both beaches</p>	3
1(c)(i)	<p>Create a transect line / line from sea to back of beach / pole at back of beach and tape to sea / pole at back and pole at sea and tape between poles Put poles at each break of slope OR at equal intervals up beach Measure distance between poles Ensure poles are vertical Same length of pole above surface at each point / resting on surface / same depth in ground Use a clinometer to <b>measure</b> angle / <b>read</b> angle / <b>read</b> degrees Hold clinometer next to top / at agreed height on marker pole / eye level Sight other marker pole at top / agreed height / string connects same height Repeat along transect / different places up beach</p>	4
1(c)(ii)	<p>Hypothesis is <b>true / correct</b> / Afandou beach profile is produced by constructive waves (✓HA)</p> <p>Average wave frequency (per minute) is 7.3 In the frequency range for constructive waves / between 6 and 9 per minute</p> <p>Beach profile is similar to profile of <b>constructive beach</b> / beach formed by <b>constructive waves</b> Ripples / undulates near the sea / from 30 m to the sea Increases in height between 0 – 9 m / height decreases after ridge Has a ridge at 8 / 10 m / has a ridge not steep slope</p> <p>Reserve 1 mark for frequency and profile</p>	4

Question	Answer	Marks
1(d)(i)	<p>Line along / up beach / transect line</p> <p><u>How sampling sites are chosen:</u> Systematic sampling / Select pebbles at equal / regular distances / equal number of paces / pick up pebble every metre OR Random sampling / Could use random number tables to decide distance apart of pebbles / pick up pebbles at different distances along beach / from back of beach / throw quadrat over shoulder</p> <p><u>How pebbles are chosen at each site or beach:</u> e.g. random numbers / randomly choose / select from quadrat</p> <p>Pick up same number of pebbles at each site / on each beach / do the same task on both beaches</p>	3
1(d)(ii)	<p>Measure pebble with tape / ruler / callipers / pebbleometer Adjust callipers / pebbleometer to hold pebble / put pebble between teeth of callipers / blocks of wood Measure long axis / longest side / maximum length (not length) Read in mm / cm</p>	2
1(d)(iii)	Plot pebble 1 = 8.5 cm on Fig. 1.6	1
1(d)(iv)	<p>Hypothesis is <b>false / incorrect</b> – 1 mark reserve (✓HA)</p> <p>Beach material / pebbles are larger at beach formed by destructive waves OR Beach material / pebbles are smaller at beach formed by constructive waves</p> <p>At <b>Afandou</b> beach pebbles / average size / median size is <b>smaller</b> where the wave frequency is <b>lower / constructive</b> waves OR At <b>Archangelos</b> beach pebbles / average size / median size is <b>larger</b> where the wave frequency is <b>higher / destructive</b> waves</p> <p>Afandou beach <b>average</b> size = 9.6 cm (0.6 cm smaller), at Archangelos beach = 10.2 cm (0.6 cm larger) Afandou beach <b>median / middle</b> size = 9 cm (0.5 cm smaller), at Archangelos beach = 9.5 cm (0.5 cm larger)</p> <p>Specific feature of pebble sizes e.g. 5 pebbles over 14 cm at Archangelos beach and 1 pebbles over 14 cm at Afandou beach</p> <p>Credit <b>2 marks</b> maximum for comparative figures, 1 mark reserve for data</p>	4

Question	Answer	Marks
1(e)(i)	<p>Wind drive waves / wave move in direction of (prevailing) wind  Pebbles / waves / swash come to the beach <b>at an angle</b> / oblique / waves come in at an angle / 45°  Backwash / waves takes material <b>back down</b> the beach at <b>right angles</b> / perpendicular / waves go out at 90°  Waves move in zig-zag along beach</p> <p>Credit in text or on diagram  Do not credit swash / backwash labels on diagram – need description above  No reserve mark for describe or explain</p>	3
1(e)(ii)	<p><u>Answer must focus on how far pebbles move along beach</u>  Paint pebbles / using different coloured pebbles  Identify / put a pole at starting point  Put them in the wave swash / backwash zone / where waves break / in sea near beach or shore  Leave them for period of time / one day (more than 3 hours)  Measure distance from starting point / measure distance pebbles have moved  Measure long axis of pebble  Measure distance moved and get average</p> <p>OR</p> <p><u>Answer can focus on how far pebbles move along beach or how long they take to move along beach</u>  Mark start and finish points / put poles at start and finish  Lay out tape measure along beach / measure a distance along beach  Put float / orange wave swash / backwash zone / where waves break / in sea near beach or shore  Start stopwatch when floats put in sea  Time how long it takes float to reach finish point / measure how far float moves (in set period of time / 5 minutes)  Repeat a number of times and take average</p> <p>OR</p> <p><u>Answer focuses on groynes</u>  Measure from top of groyne to beach surface  On both sides of groyne  Measure at equal distances along groyne  Calculate average distance from top to beach on both sides of groyne  Repeat for other groynes to confirm movement along beach</p>	4

Question	Answer	Marks
2(a)(i)	Learn how to do survey / agree method / know what to do / know how to use survey sheet / know how to collect data Agree what the descriptions mean Find out what doesn't work / change it / correct mistakes / to check if survey works / check if survey is appropriate Experience of working as a team / team organisation / in a group 2 @1	2
2(a)(ii)	Get into groups Students or groups go to different locations / Ratcliffe and Mossbank OR go to Ratcliffe on one day and Mossbank on the next day Agree on time of survey / both surveys done at same time / start and finish at same time Circle Ratcliffe or Mossbank on survey sheet Individual student decides the score / group discuss / agree score NOT ask people Mark score on their form / record score / fill in the form / record data in table	4
2(b)(i)	Completion of graph for Ratcliffe Traffic +2, vandalism and graffiti +3, litter +1 3 correct = 2 marks, 1 or 2 correct = 1 mark	2
2(b)(ii)	Hypothesis is <b>true</b> – 1 mark reserve (✓HA)  <b>Need comparison but no double credit</b>  <u>Ratcliffe:</u> Higher total score More positive descriptions Score for each category is higher All positive descriptions but Mossbank has negative descriptions  <u>Mossbank:</u> Lower total score More negative descriptions Score for each category is lower All negative descriptions but Ratcliffe has positive descriptions  1 mark reserved for paired data comparing the two areas Can credit 2 marks for data e.g. total for Mossbank = –10 and for Ratcliffe = 9 5 negative scores for Mossbank and 0 for Ratcliffe 6 positive scores for Ratcliffe and 0 for Mossbank 4 negative for Mossbank and 6 positive for Ratcliffe  No credit for scores of individual categories	4



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2(e)(ii)	<p>Residents' opinions are higher for Mossbank / residents say Mossbank has higher quality of life</p> <p>More excellent / good for Mossbank OR fewer excellent / good for Ratcliffe</p> <p>Fewer poor / very poor for Mossbank OR more poor / very poor for Ratcliffe</p> <p>Credit 1 mark maximum for paired <b>total</b> data to support this conclusion e.g. Excellent rating = 26 in Mossbank and 11 in Ratcliffe Very poor rating = 16 in Mossbank and 26 in Ratcliffe</p> <p>Credit 1 mark maximum for paired data of an <b>individual</b> aspect e.g. 6 opinions of excellent parks in Mossbank and 1 in Ratcliffe (5 more) OR 1 opinion of very poor community service in Mossbank and 9 in Ratcliffe (8 more)</p>	3
2(f)	<p><u>Credit any two housing features</u></p> <p>Look at features such as roof / windows / walls / paintwork / gutters / Look at other features such as garden / driveway / fencing Look at type of housing / height / building materials / age / density / prices <b>2 marks maximum</b></p> <p><u>Methods such as:</u></p> <p>A survey index / bi-polar survey Field sketches Photographs Count (number of storeys) Use secondary data such as house prices, age of housing <b>2 marks maximum (simple or developed)</b></p> <p><u>Record results:</u></p> <p>Put results in table Add up scores (if appropriate) Calculate average (if appropriate) Plot results on bar graph / land use map etc. <b>2 marks maximum (simple or developed)</b></p>	5