Question Number	Answer		Mark
1 (a)	C Herschel discovered infrared radiation		(1)
Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1 (b)(i)	384 440 (km)	385 000 – 560 (even if calculated value from this is incorrect)	(1)
		accept 384 000	
Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1(b)(ii)	An explanation linking any two		(2)
	change of relative positions in orbits (1)	on same side and opposite sides of Earth – may be shown by calculation or diagram	
	2. different radii orbits (1)	different distances (from Earth) moon is further away	
	3. different (orbital) {speeds / times} (1)	(moon/Hubble) moves faster than other	
		mention of {not perfect circle / elliptical / different orbital planes} on its own is insufficient – needs qualifying	

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1 (c)(i)	Correct plotting (1)	+/- ½ a small square	(1)
		if line is drawn exactly through the point accept for the mark even if point is not obvious	

one moves faster than the other and overtakes it = 2 marks

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1(c)(ii)	Line of best fit drawn	straight line to be within lower two printed dots and upper 3 printed dots does not need to pass through origin	(1)
		ignore line below the given points	

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
1 (d)	A description including		(2)
	1. expansion (of space) (1)	ignore expansion of Earth, particles and other objects	
	and any one of	unqualified 'explosion' is insufficient, a reference to expansion is needed	
	2. continuing (expansion) (1)	(this point only is dependent on first)	
	3. from very {hot/dense} start (1)		
	4. from a {point /small volume} (1)	singularity	
	5. origin of Universe (1)	{Universe / Space} still expanding = 2 marks	

Total for Question 2 = 8 marks

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
2(a)(i)	X amplitude (1)		(2)
	Y wavelength (1)		

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
2 (a)(ii)	A (1)		(1)
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Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
2 (b)(i)	mirror (1) linked to:	reflector (reflection / reflects is insufficient)	(2)
	(which is) converging / concave / parabolic (1)	curved	
		ignore any reference to lenses, converging lenses and eyepieces	

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
2 (b)(ii)	magnifies	makes it (look) bigger	(1)
		ignore closeness, clearness, more detail etc. ignore focus the image ignore zoomed in	

Questi Numbe		Indicative Content	Mark		
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QWC	*2 (c)	A description including some of the following points evidence for • idea of Sun, Moon, stars or planets moving across the sky (not just orbiting) • in the same direction • pattern is repeated • appear to be going around the Earth • same every day	(6)		
		 evidence against moons of {Jupiter/ other planet (with moons)} appear to {orbit/ go around} {Jupiter/ other planet} movement of Sun etc. not quite the same each day planets do not move in a simple path retrograde (west-east) motion of planets If no other marks scored heliocentric model = Level 1 			
Level	0	No rewardable content			
1	1 - 2	 a limited description stating one fact for or against e.g. for -Sun / stars move across the sky OR against - Jupiter has moved of the Galileo of the Start for or against - (Galileo) produced the Start for or against - (Galileo) produced the Start for or against - Jupiter has moved of the Start for or against e.g. for or against e.g	oons red} uses e		
2	 spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with limited accurated a simple description involving (linked) facts e.g. the Sun and state move across the sky AND do the same thing each day OR moor orbit Jupiter OR one fact for AND one against e.g. the sun moves across the but changes from day to day the answer communicates ideas showing some evidence of clarical and organisation and uses scientific terminology appropriately experience of clarical and organisation and grammar are used with some accuracy. spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with some accuracy. 				
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Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
3(a)(i)	 Description including any two of: gravity (1) (causes the) nebula to collapse/contract (1) 	Pulls {particles/gas} together Forms protostar	(2)
	• (causes the) temperature to increase (1)	ke transferred to thermal energy KE/GPE ->thermal GPE -> KE until it was hot enough to start the reaction until fusion starts	

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
3(a)(ii)	D white dwarf		(1)

Question Number	Answer				Acceptable answers	Mark
3(b)(i)	Y drawn a e.g	500	to the rig	ght of X	Accept any clear indication of where line should be line doesn't have to be labelled Reject lines both sides of X	(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
3(b)(ii)	explanation linking: • (distant) galaxy moving away (1)		(2)
	• (so) line shifted to longer λ (1)	shifted to red/redshift/lower frequency	
		λ (appears to be) increasing	
		Do not allow: galaxy appears red λ and f contradictions	

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
3(c)(i)	D is expanding did not have a		(1)
	beginning		

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
3(c)(ii)	Cosmic Microwave Background (Radiation)	[order of words unimportant] CMB(R) reject 'CMB and red shift'	(1)

Total for Question 2 = 8 marks

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
4(a)(i)	B red giant (1)		(1)

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
4(a)(ii)	C the Milky Way (1)		(1)

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
4(a)(iii)	D Proxima Centauri (1)		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
4(b)	description to include: • method (1)	Telescope (inc. radio telescopes) Lander (e.g. robots/drones) Orbiter / Satellite	
	• relevant detail (1)	has camera / takes photos / collecting samples (e.g rocks) / analyse atmosphere / climate / signs of water / gases that will support life / can test for water/nutrients	(2)
		ignore repeat of stem	

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
4(c)(i)	 explanation linking two from: (on Earth) image is distorted / image not bright enough (ORA) (1) planets very small / far away (1) atmosphere (in way) / light pollution (1) can detect different parts 	Reverse arguments apply throughout (above atmosphere gives) more defined / clearer / better image obscured by clouds	
	of em spectrum (that are not detectable on Earth) (1) • can keep it pointed at the	waves can be detected (that are not detectable on Earth)	(2)
	same spot more easily (1)	not affected by Earth's rotation	(2)

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
4(c)(ii)	Suggestion: • planet takes 150 days to orbit the star (1)	has 150 days in a year	(1)

(Total for Question 2 = 8 marks)

Question	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
Number			
5 (a)(i)	A a black hole (1)		(1)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
5 (a)(ii)	A description including three from: MP1 in a nebula (1) MP2 (particles) attracted / come together by (force of) gravity (1)	gas / gas and dust	
	MP3 pe/ke transferred to thermal/heat energy (gas begins to glow and forms protostar) (1) MP4 until {hot / pressure / dense} enough to start nuclear reaction /fusion (1)	core becomes hot / pressure increases / density increases until fusion of hydrogen starts hydrogen starts to become helium condone "hydrogen burning"	(3)

Question Number	Answer	Acceptable answers	Mark
5 (a)(iii)	A suggestion involving two from:		
	MP1 the oldest star had not yet appeared when the { Big Bang happened / universe started} (1)	stars formed after the Big Bang	
	MP2 the Universe is older than the oldest star	the age of the oldest star is the minimum age of the Universe	
	MP3 star takes time to form (1)	estimation is not the same as	
	MP4 can't be certain of this time (1)	accurate measurement can't be sure there isn't an older star	
			(2)

Question Number	Indicative Content	Mark
QWC *5()	An explanation including some of the following points Ilight shifted to red end of spectrum Ilight waves are stretched so wavelength increases reference to black or spectral lines moving to 'red end' (of absorption spectrum) frequency of wave from a moving source changes decrease in frequency means source moving away increase in frequency means source moving towards us red shift shows galaxies are moving away from us greater red shift indicates galaxy moving away faster further away galaxies give greater red shift (nearly) all galaxies show red-shift red shift shows decrease in frequency blue shift shows increase in frequency therefore galaxies are moving apart [mention of Doppler effect] [outline of Doppler effect]	(6)

Level		No rewardable content
1	1 - 2	 a limited explanation e.g. (light from) {galaxy / planet /object} moving away from us is shifted to red end of the spectrum OR red shift means {galaxy / planet /object) is moving away from us the answer communicates ideas using simple language and uses limited scientific terminology e.g. correct use of change of colour and movement spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with limited accuracy
2	3 - 4	 a simple explanation involving detail of meaning of different red shifts OR involving frequency / wavelength e.g. red shift shows galaxies moving away from us. More distant galaxies give greater red shift showing they are travelling faster away. OR light from galaxies/stars moving away is shifted to red end of the spectrum because of an (apparent) {increase in the wavelength/decrease in the frequency} (of light). the answer communicates ideas showing some evidence of clarity and organisation and uses scientific terminology appropriately e.g. correct use of the terms galaxy/star, frequency, wavelength spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with some accuracy
3	5 - 6	 a detailed explanation correctly interpreting the (apparent) drop in frequency / increase in wavelength e.g. light from (most) galaxies is shifted towards the red end of the spectrum because of an {increase in the wavelength/decrease in the frequency}. This indicates that (most) galaxies are moving away from us, hence showing the Universe is expanding the answer communicates ideas clearly and coherently uses a range of scientific terminology accurately e.g. linkages must be clear between red-shift, movement and expansion of the Universe spelling, punctuation and grammar are used with few errors

(Total for Question 6 = 12 marks)