Commentary on candidate evidence

Candidate 6

The evidence for this candidate has achieved the following marks for each question of this course assessment component.
NB: the commentaries for each question refer to the wording of the marking instruction for this paper

The candidate was awarded **25 marks**

**Question 1 (2 marks available)**
- 1 mark for comment on ‘music produced by machines’
- 1 mark for comment on ‘music is just an undercurrent’
- A further mark could have been awarded for comment on idea of ‘music is everywhere’ but candidate has already been awarded full marks
(Total: 2 marks)

**Question 2 (4 marks available)**
- 1 mark for more basic comment on ‘thrust’
- 1 mark for more basic comment on ‘very bones’
- 1 mark for more basic comment on ‘victim’
- 1 mark for more basic comment on ‘experiments in endurance’
- A further mark could have been awarded for comment on ‘deadly’, suggesting very unpleasant, but candidate has already gained full marks.
(Total: 4 marks)

**Question 3 (2 marks available)**
- 1 mark for comment on ‘choice/commitment’
- 1 mark for comment on ‘participation’
- A further mark could have been awarded for comment on ‘community’ but candidate has already gained full marks.
(Total: 2 marks)
Question 4 (4 marks available)

- 1 mark for more basic comment on ‘It follows you about’
- 2 marks for detailed/insightful comment on ‘place of refuge’
- 1 mark for more basic comment on the list ‘music is no longer a language…conclusions’
- A further comment could be awarded for comment on ‘carpet’ but candidate has already gained full marks for imagery.

(Total: 4 marks)

Question 5 (4 marks available)

- 1 mark for more basic comment on ‘maddeningly’
- 1 mark for more basic comment on ‘inflicting’
- 1 mark for more basic comment on ‘far worse’
- 1 mark for more basic comment on ‘pollution’
- Further marks could have been awarded for more basic comments on ‘poisons’ and use of questions but candidate has already gained full marks.

(Total: 4 marks)

Question 6 (3 marks available)

- 0 marks for comment on ‘underestimate’ as comment does not address the question
- 0 marks for limited comment on ‘dampening’
- 1 mark for more basic comment on ‘empty lyrics’
- 0 marks for limited comment on ‘impoverished fragments’

(Total: 1 mark)

Question 7 (2 marks available)

- 1 mark for more basic comment on transition from criticising muzak to appreciating music

(Total: 1 mark)

Question 8 (4 marks available)

- 1 mark for more basic comment on ‘very soon’
- 1 mark for more basic comment on ‘worthy of praise’
- 0 marks for limited comment on ‘gradually’
- 1 mark for more basic comment on ‘our civilisation’

(Total: 3 marks)
Question 9 (5 marks available)

♦ 0 marks for inaccurate identification of key idea of ‘dislike of muzak’
♦ 1 mark for identification of key idea of ‘powerlessness’
♦ 1 mark for identification of key idea of ‘spoils events’
♦ 2 marks for detailed/insightful use of supporting evidence
(Total: 4 marks)

Total for paper: 25 marks (out of available 30 marks)