

Candidate 2

***The Cone Gatherers* by Robin Jenkins**

The evidence for this candidate has achieved the following marks for each question of this Course Assessment component.

Question 29 – 3 marks

The candidate provides a more basic comment on idea of 'charming' (1 mark).

The reference to listing is not clearly linked to positive impression and so no marks are awarded.

The candidate provides an insightful comment on her sense of fairness and justice (2 marks).

Question 30 – 0 marks

The candidate did not attempt this question.

Question 31 – 1 mark

(This answer appears at the end of the script.)

The candidate provides a more basic comment on what it is like to miss a loved one. However, the answer deals only with Duror with no reference to Peggy (1 mark).

Question 32 – 6 marks

Commonality – 1 mark

Candidate comments on idea of evil but not sympathy.

From the extract – 0 marks

Candidate does not deal with the extract in the answer.

From elsewhere in the novel – 5 marks

The candidate provides a detailed comment on Duror's hostility to Calum despite his affliction (2 marks).

The candidate provides an insightful comment on Duror's desire to humiliate Calum and the comparison with Jesus (2 marks).

There is a more basic comment on Duror's hatred of his wife due to her obesity (1 mark).

(The final comment on Duror's attempt to end both his and Calum's lives is less clear. However, this comment could not be awarded marks in any case: this answer deals only with evil and not sympathy, therefore can score a maximum of 5 marks for this part of the answer.)

Total marks for Candidate 2: 10/20