

Commentary on candidate evidence

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

Candidate 2

Question 1

The candidate was awarded **1 mark** because:
Interrupted cadence is correct. Through-composed and Obligato are not correct.

Question 2

The candidate was awarded **2 marks** because:
Part 1: Polyphonic is not correct. The correct answer is Homophonic.
Part 2: Diminished is not correct. The correct answer is Diminished 7th.
Part 3: Clarinet is correct.
Part 4: 4/4 is not correct. The correct answer would be either 12/8 or 6/8.
Part 5: Perfect cadence is correct.

Question 3

The candidate was awarded **0 marks** because;

- Oratorio is not correct.
- Baritone is not correct.
- Dominant 7th is not correct.

Question 4

The candidate was awarded **3 marks** because:

- The transposition is correct – both pitch and rhythm.
- The candidate has used a Roman numeral rather than an Arabic numeral. However, it was considered that the candidate's intention was sufficiently clear to identify the interval correctly as a 4th.
- The accidental is not correctly identified.
- The notes are correct – both pitch and rhythm.
- The barlines are not correct.
- Neither chord is correct.

Question 5

The candidate was awarded **0 marks** because:

- a) Irregular time signatures is not correct.
- b) Melismatic is not correct.
- c) Concertino is not correct.

Question 6

The candidate was awarded **6 marks** because:

Melody/Harmony: Major and Perfect Cadence are both correct. The candidate achieved the maximum 2 marks for this heading.

Rhythm: Irregular time signatures is correct. The candidate has also correctly identified Anacrusis, even though it was written under Melody/Harmony.

Timbre: The candidate has correctly identified Flute and Accordion. Although Bass guitar has also been correctly identified, the candidate has already achieved the maximum 2 marks for this heading.

Question 7

The candidate was awarded **3 marks** because

Time changes, Harmonic minor scale and Soul are all correct. Ripieno is not correct.

Question 8

The candidate was awarded **1 mark** because:

Although having ticked five features in Column C, only Sonata is correct.

Question 9

The candidate was awarded **2 marks** because:

- ◆ Glissando is correct on line 6.
- ◆ Rolls is correct on line 17 (and would also have been accepted on line 16).

Total mark: 18/40