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Question Paper Finalised Marking Instructions

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General marking principles for National 5 Art and Design

Always apply these general principles. Use them in conjunction with the detailed marking instructions, which identify the key features required in candidates' responses.

- (a) Marks for each candidate response must **always** be assigned in line with these general marking principles and the specific marking instructions for this assessment.
- (b) Marking should always be positive. This means that, for each candidate response, marks are accumulated marks for the demonstration of relevant skills, knowledge and understanding; marks are not deducted from a maximum on the basis of errors or omissions.
- (c) If a specific candidate response does not seem to be covered by either the principles or detailed Marking Instructions, and you are uncertain how to assess it, you must seek guidance from your Team Leader.
- (d) It is possible that some candidates could have investigated artists and designers who are not known to the marker. In such cases, markers are expected to research the artists/designers before marking the response.
- (e) Markers should consider the extent to which the candidate's response demonstrates their knowledge and understanding of art and design practice.
- (f) When candidates are asked to comment, marks should not be awarded for descriptive responses. To gain marks, candidates must justify points made.
For example, *'The painting has bright colours'* would not gain a mark as it is simply descriptive, but
'The painting has bright colours and the use of warm vivid colours on the flowers makes them stand out as they contrast with the cool colours in the background', would gain a mark, as this answer shows an understanding of colour theory.
- (g) No marks should be awarded for repeating information from the legend. Marks are awarded where candidates develop and use the information from the legend to justify answer.
- (h) To gain full marks, candidates must give valid responses to all aspects of the question.

Mandatory questions, part (a)

- candidates who give valid responses to only two question prompts can gain a **maximum of 5 marks**
- candidates who give valid responses to only one question prompt can gain a **maximum of 4 marks**

Optional questions, part (a)

- candidates who give valid responses to only two question prompts can gain a **maximum of 7 marks**
- candidates who give valid responses to only one question prompt can gain a **maximum of 6 marks**

- (i) The optional image questions also require candidates to give an opinion with justified reasons which are worth **2 marks**. Candidates must make two valid and substantiated points relating to the question to gain both marks.

Overview

National 5 level candidates are required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of key art and design issues, and knowledge and understanding of the work of at least one artist and one designer. The format of the questions reflects this emphasis. The paper is divided into Section 1: Expressive Art Studies and Section 2: Design Studies and each is equally demanding.

The questions are designed to test candidates' ability to respond critically to images of art and design works and to form and substantiate judgements about identified aspects of art practice and design issues.

The questions require candidates to demonstrate their understanding of art and design issues in an **extended response format**.

Mandatory questions (Q1 and Q7)

In these questions, candidates are required to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of key art and design issues and knowledge and understanding of the work of one artist and one designer.

The questions are divided into two parts

Part (a)

This part of the question assesses the candidates' ability to comment on the art and design works with explicit reference to the use of visual art/design elements.

1 mark should be awarded for each relevant, justified point, which responds to the question prompts up to a **maximum of 6 marks**. Marks should be awarded as follows:

- **6 marks** are available for responding to prompts relating to expressive and design issues
- if the candidate responds to only two of the three prompts effectively, then **1 mark** cannot be accessed, and a **maximum of 5 marks** can be gained by the candidate for this aspect of the question
- if the candidate responds to only one of the three prompts effectively, the candidate can gain a **maximum of 4 marks** for this aspect of the question

Candidates are expected to demonstrate their knowledge and understanding with reference to specific artworks/designs.

Part (b)

This part of the question assesses the candidates' knowledge and understanding of the impact of social, cultural and other influences on the work and practice of their selected artist and designer from part (a).

There are a total of 4 marks available for this part of the question. Marks are awarded as follows:

- you should award 1 mark for each correct influence identified up to a **maximum of 2 marks**
- you should award 1 mark for each description of how an influence can be seen in any of the selected artist's or designer's work up to a **maximum of 2 marks**

Examples of influences may include:

- living conditions, including economic conditions
- influence of family and community
- influence of other artists/designers
- influence of art/design movements
- exposure to different cultures
- physical environment/geography
- new and emerging technology
- politics
- gender
- religion/belief
- national/world events
- developments in other fields for example science, literature
- personal circumstances
- health and wellbeing

In Expressive Art Studies questions, where the term ‘artwork’ is used it should be interpreted in its broadest sense, covering painting, printmaking, photography, sculpture, installation, animation, film and video.

Candidates may also refer to groups of artists rather than individuals (for example artists who work in pairs/groups such as the Boyle family), and this is acceptable.

In the Design Studies questions, the term ‘design’ should also be inclusive of any form of design. Occasionally candidates may refer to collections of designs (particularly in fashion/textiles answers), and this is acceptable.

Candidates may also refer to groups of designers rather than individuals (for example Alessi or Timorous Beasties), and this is acceptable.

Optional questions (Q2–6 and Q8–12)

Candidates are asked to choose and respond to **one** other question from each section of the paper.

In each section, there is a **choice of five** different questions for personalisation and choice. These questions require candidates to give a personal response to one selected image from the choice of supplied questions and images in each section. They will demonstrate their understanding of specialist art and design vocabulary when commenting on key aspects of art and design practice and justifying their answers and opinions.

In Section 1, Expressive Art Studies, they will comment on an unseen image, demonstrating an understanding of important aspects of the artist’s work.

In Section 2, Design Studies, they will comment on an unseen image, demonstrating understanding of specific design issues.

The optional questions are divided into two parts.

Part (a)

This part of the question asks the candidates to comment on the artist’s/designer’s methods or approach and/or their use of specific elements in the artwork/design shown. 1 mark should be awarded for each relevant, justified point, which answers the question up to a **maximum of 8 marks**.

Marks should be awarded as follows:

- **8 marks** are available for responding to prompts relating to expressive and design issues
- if the candidate responds to only two of the three prompts effectively, then **1 mark** cannot be accessed, and a **maximum of 7 marks** can be gained by the candidate for this aspect of the question
- if the candidate responds to only one of the three prompts effectively, the candidate can gain a **maximum of 6 marks** for this aspect of the question

Part (b)

This part of the question asks the candidates to give their opinion on a specific aspect of the artwork or design from part (a), justifying their opinions. One mark should be awarded for each relevant, justified point, which answers the question up to a **maximum of 2 marks**.

Markers should follow the specific marking guidance for each aspect of the questions provided in the table.

When candidates are asked to comment, marks should not be awarded for descriptive comments. To gain marks, candidates must develop or justify points made.

Substantiated comments and valid, justified personal opinions relating to the question should be rewarded. These opinions can be either positive or negative.

If a candidate answers more than one optional question in either section of the question paper, the answers should be marked and the response that gains the highest marks should be recorded.

Marking instructions for each question

Section 1 – Expressive art studies

Question		Specific marking instructions	Max marks						
All candidates will answer this question.									
1.	(a)	<p>Candidates are expected to demonstrate their knowledge and understanding with reference to one selected artwork by an artist that they have studied.</p> <p>Candidates’ responses can be credited in a number of ways.</p> <p>Candidates are asked to identify and comment on their selected artwork referring to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• composition/arrangement• tone• subject matter/imagery <p>Appropriate answers here would include comments on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• the composition/arrangement and the effect on the works• the artists’ use of tone for expressive effect and how this has been achieved• the subject matter/imagery of the work and how this has been achieved• any other justified comment relating to composition/arrangement, tone and subject matter/imagery <p>Candidates may refer to a diverse range of artworks. The table below gives examples of points which would gain marks.</p> <table><tr><td>Composition/arrangement The focal point is the blue bottle because it is the tallest object and the artist has placed it in the centre which draws the viewer’s attention.</td><td>1</td></tr><tr><td>Tone Tone has been used to create shadows on the objects which suggests three-dimensional form.</td><td>1</td></tr><tr><td>Subject matter/imagery In her self-portrait, Kahlo chose to show herself wearing traditional costume to represent her Mexican heritage.</td><td>1</td></tr></table>	Composition/arrangement The focal point is the blue bottle because it is the tallest object and the artist has placed it in the centre which draws the viewer’s attention.	1	Tone Tone has been used to create shadows on the objects which suggests three-dimensional form.	1	Subject matter/imagery In her self-portrait, Kahlo chose to show herself wearing traditional costume to represent her Mexican heritage.	1	6
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Section 2 – Design studies

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