

DRAFT PERFORMANCE BANDS

ANCIENT HISTORY

The typical performance in this band:

Band 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• comprehensive assessment of the significance of people, events, institutions and forces in Ancient History• analyses, synthesises and interprets information to accurately address problems and issues in Ancient History• displays a superior use of ancient terms and concepts to answer historical questions• high level evaluation of factors contributing to continuity and change in the ancient world• uses of range of relevant ancient sources and evaluates their reliability• assesses different historical interpretations and perspectives• communicates a high level argument through well structured and detailed texts
Band 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• detailed assessment of significance of people, events, institutions and forces in Ancient History• accomplished analysis, synthesis and interpretation of information to accurately address problems and issues in Ancient History• displays an accurate use of ancient terms and concepts to answer historical questions• thorough evaluation of factors contributing to continuity and change in the ancient world• uses a variety of relevant ancient sources and evaluates their reliability• argues using different historical interpretations and perspectives• communicates a coherent and sustained argument through well structured and detailed texts
Band 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• clear assessment of significance of people, events, institutions and forces in Ancient History• good analysis and interpretation of information to address problems and issues in Ancient History• displays a broad use of ancient terms and concepts to answer historical questions• sound evaluation of factors contributing to continuity and change in the Ancient World• uses a variety of relevant Ancient sources to support their argument• explains different historical interpretations and perspectives• clearly communicates a general argument through well structured texts
Band 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• basic assessment of significance of people, events, institutions and forces in Ancient History• basic interpretation of information in Ancient History• uses ancient terms and concepts descriptively• basic recognition of continuity and change in the Ancient World• quotes some ancient sources in an attempt to support their argument• describes different historical interpretations and perspectives• communicates relevant information through descriptive text type
Band 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• describes people, events, institutions and forces in Ancient History• provides simple interpretations of information in Ancient History• demonstrates, comprehension of basic historical terms and concepts• demonstrates through simple sequencing of historical events, some understanding of continuity and change in the ancient world• some use of ancient sources• recognises simple historical interpretations and perspectives• provides limited coherent descriptions of people and events from the ancient past in simple narrative style
Band 1	