

**Friday 7 June 2013 – Afternoon**

**A2 GCE CLASSICS: CLASSICAL CIVILISATION**

**F387/01/I** Roman Britain: life in the outpost of the Empire

**INSERT – QUESTION BOOKLET**

**Duration:** 2 hours



**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- Read each question carefully and make sure that you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Answer **one** question from Section A and **one** question from Section B.

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

- The number of marks is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question.
- In this paper you are encouraged to use diagrams, sketches etc., where appropriate, to illustrate your answers.
- The total number of marks for this paper is **100**.
- This document consists of **8** pages. Any blank pages are indicated.

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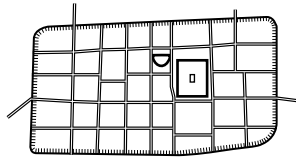
Answer **one** question from Section A and **one** question from Section B.

### Section A – Commentary Questions

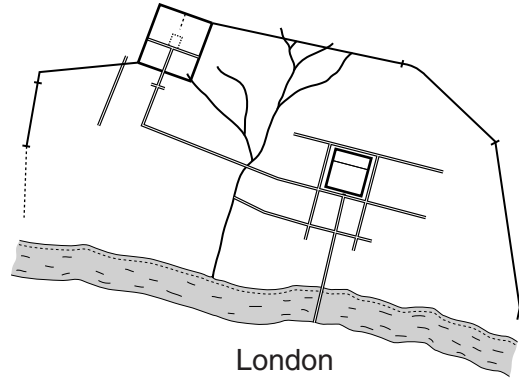
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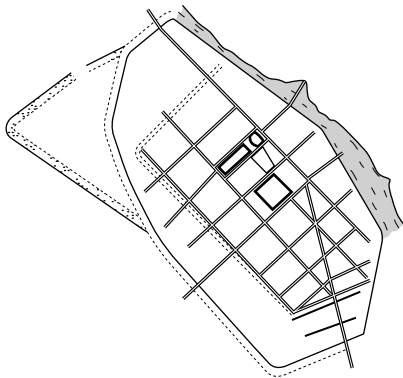
**1** Study the town plans below and answer the questions.



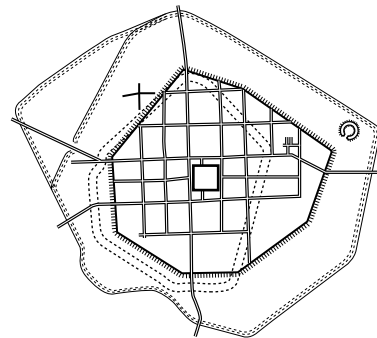
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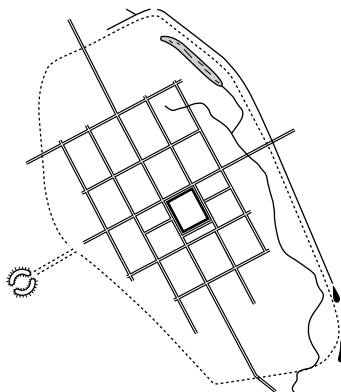
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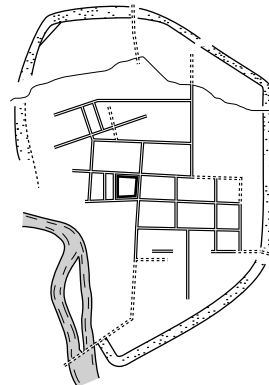
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### Plans of some Romano-British towns

- (a) To what extent do these town plans show that the development of towns in Roman Britain followed a consistent pattern? [25]
- (b) 'All towns in Roman Britain grew and prospered in similar ways.' How far does **other** evidence support this view? [25]

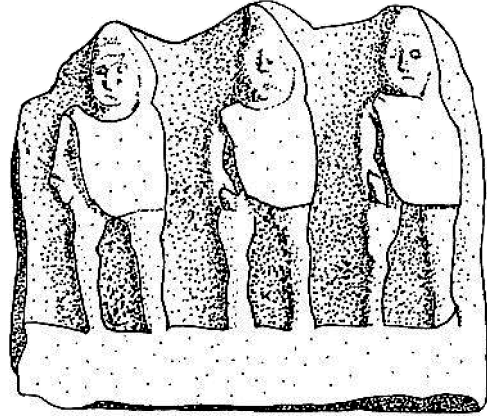
Do **not** answer this question if you have already answered Question 1.

**Marks are awarded for the quality of written communication in your answer.**

2 Study the sources below and answer the questions.



Mosaic from the villa at Hinton St Mary, Dorset.  
4th century AD



The Genii Cucullati from Netherby, Cumbria.  
Undated.



Altar to Cocidius, Bewcastle, Cumbria.  
3rd century AD

*To Holy Cocidius, Aurunceius Felicessemus,  
tribune, promoted from evocatus, willingly and  
deservedly fulfilled his vow.*

Inscription on the altar to Cocidius, Bewcastle,  
Cumbria. 3rd century AD

- (a) How useful are these sources as evidence for great diversity in religious practice in Roman Britain during the Roman occupation? [25]
- (b) How far does **other** evidence support the view that the Britons were free to follow whatever religion they chose under Roman rule? [25]

[Section A: Total 50]

**Section B – Essays**

Answer **one** question.

Start your answer on a new page.

**Marks are awarded for the quality of written communication in your answer.**

- 3** 'Villas in Roman Britain are conclusive evidence that the Romans had a wide-ranging effect on the whole province of Britain.' How far do you agree with this view? **[50]**
- 4** To what extent, and for what reasons, did the economy of Roman Britain undergo major changes during the Roman occupation? **[50]**

**[Section B: Total 50]**



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