

Monday 3 June 2024 - Morning

A Level Classical Civilisation

H408/31 Greek Religion

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You must have:

• the OCR 12-page Answer Booklet



INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink.
- Write your answer to each question in the Answer Booklet. The question numbers must be clearly shown.

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- · Fill in the boxes on the front of the Answer Booklet.
- Answer **all** the questions in Section A and **one** question in Section B.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 75.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets [].
- Quality of extended response will be assessed in questions marked with an asterisk (*).
- This document has 4 pages.

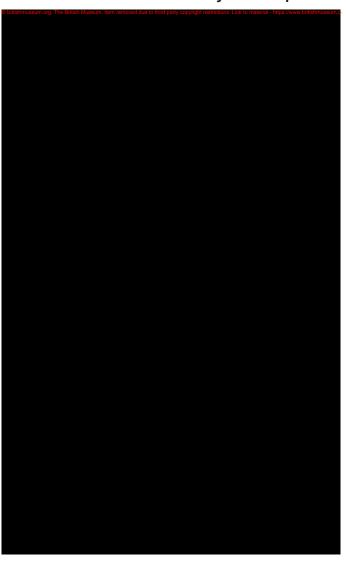
ADVICE

Read each question carefully before you start your answer.

Section A

Start your answer to each 10, 20 and 30 mark question on a new page.

Source A Votive relief from a sanctuary of Asclepius



1 Why was Asclepius important to the Greeks?

Name the location of one of Asclepius' sanctuaries. 2 [1]

3 Analyse how useful **Source A** is as a source of information about what happened in the sanctuary of Asclepius.

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[10]

[1]

Hesiod stated that all Greeks should wash their hands before pouring a libation to their gods and goddesses. If they did not do this, then their prayers would be ignored.

4 State **one** example of something poured during a libation. [1]

- 5 State **two** other examples, apart from not washing, of what the Greeks would consider impious behaviour. [2]
- 6 'Impiety was always taken seriously by the Greeks.' Explain how far you agree with this statement. [10]
- **7*** 'Fear of being punished was the only reason the Greeks worshipped their gods and goddesses at household and *polis* levels.'

Assess how far you agree with this statement. Justify your response. [20]

[Section A Total: 45]

Section B

Answer **one** question from this section.

Use classical sources, and secondary sources, scholars and/or academic works to support your argument. You should also consider possible interpretations of sources by different audiences.

Either

8* 'The popularity of the Eleusinian Mysteries shows that the Greeks wanted more from religion than other types of worship could provide.'

Evaluate how far you agree with this statement.

[30]

Or

9* 'The layout, role and importance of the Acropolis in Athens were vastly different from other sanctuaries in Greece.'

Comparing the Acropolis in Athens with **either** the sanctuary at Delphi **or** the sanctuary at Olympia, evaluate how far you agree with this statement.

[30]

[Section B Total: 30]

END OF QUESTION PAPER



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