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CLASSICAL  
STUDIES  
INTERMEDIATE 1

Answer **Section A** and **Section B**.

50 marks are allocated to this paper.



## Section A

Answer only five questions from Section A.

**Classical Drama—*Sophocles, Oedipus the King***

1. Oedipus: There is nothing I will not do to find the killer of Laius.
- (a) Why is Oedipus keen to find the killer of Laius? 2
- (b) What steps does he take to find the killer? 2
- (4)**
2. Messenger: I am looking for the house of Oedipus.
- (a) Why has this messenger come to the house of Oedipus? 1
- (b) What important information does the messenger tell Oedipus about his own birth? 3
- (4)**

**Roman Archaeology and Civilisation**

3. “The remains of many temples have been found in Roman Britain.”
- (a) Describe any **two** features found in a Roman temple. 2
- (b) Sacrifices were often held outside temples.
- (i) What was usually sacrificed? 1
- (ii) Why were sacrifices held outside the temple? 1
- (4)**
4. “Metal detectors are a useful tool for archaeologists.”
- (a) Name **two** different types of objects which could be found by someone using a metal detector. 2
- (b) Sometimes members of the public can make finds using metal detectors. Are there any problems with this? Give **two** reasons for your answer. 2
- (4)**

Section A (continued)

Classical Mythology

5. "Pandora was told not to open this box."  
(a) Who was Pandora? 1  
(b) Why did Zeus want Pandora to open the box? 2  
(c) What remained in the box after Pandora opened it? 1  
(4)
6. "The gods inflicted savage punishment on those who angered them."  
Look at the picture below. It shows **three** men the gods punished. (4)



Choose **two** of these, and describe the reasons for their punishment. (4)

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## Section B

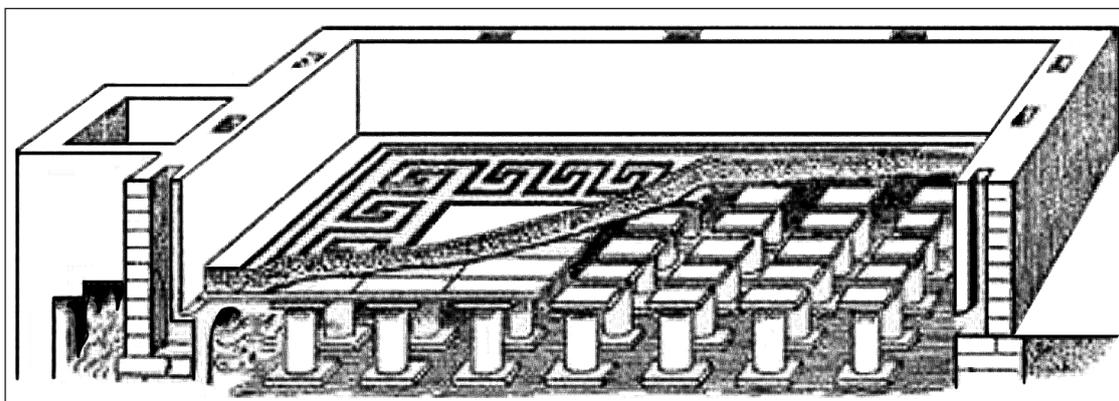
Answer all questions in Section B.

**Classical Drama—*Sophocles, Oedipus the King***

1. What does Oedipus discover as a result of his investigation into the death of Laius? (5)
2. Do you think that Oedipus was a good king? (5)

**Roman Archaeology and Civilisation**

3. Some Britons may have joined the Roman army.
  - (a) In what ways would joining the army have been attractive to Britons? 3
  - (b) In what ways would it **not** have been attractive? 2
4. The picture below shows how Romans heated some of their buildings. (5)



Hypocaust or heating chamber

- (a) Describe how this system worked. 2
  - (b) In what buildings in Britain did the Romans use this system? 1
  - (c) What advantages or disadvantages does this have over the ways that we heat our homes? 2
- You can give advantages and disadvantages in your answer. 2
- (5)

**Section B (continued)**

**Classical Mythology**

5. (a) In what way did Rhea first trick Cronos? **1**
- (b) Why did Rhea trick Cronos in this way? **1**
- (c) In what way did Rhea and Zeus later trick Cronos and what happened as a result? **3**
- (5)**
6. Choose **two female** characters from the myths associated with the Underworld, and describe the myths they feature in. **(5)**

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