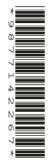


# Tuesday 23 May 2023 – Afternoon

## AS Level Classical Civilisation

H008/21 Greek Theatre

Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes



You must have:

• the OCR 12-page Answer Book et

#### INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink.
- Write your answer to each question in the Answer Booklet. The question numbers must be clearly shown.
- 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 65.
- 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

#### Source A Choregos Vase

Figure 1



1 Identify **Figure 1** on the vase in **Source A**.

[1]

- 2 What is the technical name given to the theatrical building shown on the vase in Source A? [1]
- 3 Analyse how useful **Source A** is in telling us about costumes in Greek Comedy at the time of Aristophanes. [8]

Make **four** points and support each point with reference to **Source A**.

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Source B

4	Explain why Tiresias mentions that he serves Apollo (line 4). Make <b>two</b> points.	[2]
5	Give the names of Oedipus' mother and father (line 14).	[2]
6	What is Cithaeron (line 20)?	[1]
7	Give the name of <b>one</b> of Oedipus' children (line 25).	[1]
8	Explain how successfully Sophocles makes the scene in <b>Source B</b> an exciting piece of theatrical action.	
	Make <b>four</b> points and support each point with reference to <b>Source B</b> .	[8]
9*	Assess how important you think the imagery of sight and blindness is in Sophocle <i>King</i> .	s' Oedipus the
	You may use <b>Source B</b> as a starting point in your answer.	[16]
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#### Section B

Answer one question from this section.

#### Either

**10\*** 'The first half of Aristophanes' *Frogs* (Dionysus' travels) is more enjoyable than the second half (the contest between Aeschylus and Euripides).'

Evaluate how far you agree with this statement.

Or

11\* 'Religion is the most important theme in Euripides' Bacchae.'

Evaluate how far you agree with this statement.

[25]

[25]

[Section B Total: 25]

#### END OF QUESTION PAPER



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