

Friday 26 May 2023 – Afternoon GCSE (9–1) Latin

J282/02 Prose Literature A

Time allowed: 1 hour

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INSTRUCTIONS

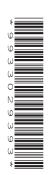
- Use black ink.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided. If you need extra space use the lined pages at the end of this booklet. The question numbers must be clearly shown.
- Answer all the questions.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is **50**.
- 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 12 pages.

ADVICE

· Read each question carefully before you start your answer.



1 Read the passage and answer the questions.

ne Vorenus quidem sese vallo continet sed omnium veritus existimationem subsequitur. tum mediocri spatio relicto Pullo pilum in hostes immittit atque unum ex multitudine procurrentem traicit; quo percusso et exanimato, hunc scutis protegunt, in hostem tela universi coiciunt neque dant regrediendi facultatem.

Caesar, Bravery and strategy in battle, lines 9-13

(a)	ne Vorenus subsequitur (lines 1–2): what motivated Vorenus to attack the enemy outs the rampart?	
(b)	Pick out and translate the Latin word in line 2 which shows which weapon Pullo used.	
	Latin word:	
	English translation:	
		[2]
(c)	quo percusso facultatem (lines 3–4): how did the enemy react after one of them was killed by Pullo? Make two points.	
	1	
	2	
		[2]

2 Read the passage and answer the question.

quanto erat in dies gravior atque asperior oppugnatio, et maxime quod magna parte militum confecta vulneribus res ad paucitatem defensorum pervenerat, tanto crebriores litterae nuntiique ad Caesarem mittebantur.

Caesar, Bravery and strategy in battle, lines 26-29

[4]

How does Caesar show the difficulty of the situation facing the Romans? Make two points, each referring to the Latin .
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3 Read the passage and answer the questions.

Gallus periculum veritus, ut erat praeceptum, tragulam mittit. haec casu ad turrim adhaesit neque ab nostris biduo animadversa tertio die a quodam milite conspicitur, dempta ad Ciceronem defertur. ille perlectam in conventu militum recitat, maximaque omnes laetitia adficit.

Caesar, Bravery and strategy in battle, lines 45-49

(a)	Gallus mittit (line 1): why did the Gaul do as he had been instructed?	[41]
(b)	haec animadversa (lines 1–2): how did things go wrong at first?	. [1]
(c)	tertio defertur (lines 2-3): what happened on the third day?	
(d)	ille adficit (lines 3–4): how does this show that Caesar's plan was successful? Give a reason for your answer.	
		[2]

4* Read the passage and answer the question.

eo provectas Romanorum cupidines ut non corpora, ne senectam quidem aut virginitatem impollutam relinquant. adesse tamen deos iustae vindictae: cecidisse legionem, quae proelium ausa sit; ceteros castris occultari aut fugam circumspicere. ne strepitum quidem et clamorem tot milium, nedum impetus et manus perlaturos: si copias armatorum, si causas belli secum expenderent, vincendum illa acie vel cadendum esse. id mulieri destinatum: viverent viri et servirent.

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Tacitus, *Inspiration for the fight*, lines 5–13

How does Tacitus make the speech of Boudicca rousing and dramatic?

In your answer you may wish to consider:

- the description of the Romans
- · how the speech encourages the Britons to fight

You should refer to the Latin and discuss Tacitus' use of language.	[8]
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5 Read the passage and answer the question.

imbelles inermes cessuros statim ubi ferrum virtutemque vincentium toties fusi adgnovissent. etiam in multis legionibus paucos qui proelia profligarent; gloriaeque eorum accessurum quod modica manus universi exercitus famam adipiscerentur.

Tacitus, Inspiration for the fight, lines 17-21

Translate this passage into English.

.....[5]

6 Read the passage and answer the question.

et miles ne mulierum quidem neci temperabat, confixaque telis etiam iumenta corporum cumulum auxerant. clara et antiquis victoriis par ea die laus parta: quippe sunt qui paulo minus quam octoginta milia Britannorum cecidisse tradant, militum quadringentis ferme interfectis nec multo amplius vulneratis. Boudicca vitam veneno finivit.

Translation:

The soldiers also were not even holding back from the killing of women, and the beasts of burden also, pierced by the weapons, had increased the pile of bodies. The glory won on that day was famous and equal to the victories of old. For there are some who say that a little less than 80,000 Britons fell, with about four hundred Roman soldiers killed and not many more wounded. Boudicca ended her life with poison.

How does Tacitus, by his style of writing, emphasise the Roman victory over the Britons? Make

Tacitus, Inspiration for the fight, lines 32–37

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[4]

two points, each referring to the Latin.
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7 Read the passage and answer the questions.

discubuimus omnes praeter illam, cui tamen Quintus de mensa misit; illa reiecit. quid multa? nihil meo fratre lenius, nihil asperius tua sorore mihi visum est ... ego inde Aquinum. Quintus in Arcano remansit et in Aquinum ad me postridie mane venit mihique narravit nec secum illam dormire voluisse et cum discessura esset fuisse eius modi qualem ego vidissem.

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Cicero.	, Marital	conflict.	lines	10-	-16

(a)	discubuimus multa (lines 1–2): what do you think Quintus was feeling at this point? Give a reason for your answer.
(b)	nihil meo visum est (line 2): what contrast does Cicero make between his brother Quintus and Pomponia (tua sorore)?
(c)	Quintus venit (lines 3-4): when did Quintus go to his brother at Aquinum?
(d)	mihique vidissem (lines 4–5): how did Quintus criticise his wife Pomponia? Make one point.
	[1]

'There is plenty to interest the reader in the texts of Caesar, Tacitus and Cicero.'

may ii	d support your answer with a range of references to the texts you have read, and depassages printed on the question paper.	you [10]

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