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**CLASSICAL GREEK AND ROMAN STUDIES
STANDARD LEVEL
PAPER 1**

SCHOOL BASED SYLLABUS

Topic 2: Greek and Roman Tragedy

Topic 4: War to Peace in Augustan Rome and Empire

Monday 30 April 2012 (morning)

1 hour 30 minutes

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Do not turn over this examination paper until instructed to do so.
- Section A: answer one question.
- Section B: answer one question.
- Each question is worth *[20 marks]*.
- The maximum mark for this examination paper is *[40 marks]*.

SECTION A

Greek and Roman Tragedy

Answer **one** question from this section. You should refer to each of the following plays in your answer: *Electra*, *Trojan Women*, *Phaedra*.

1. “Justice, even if slow, is certain to come.” (Solon.) Discuss the portrayal of justice in **each** of the three plays you have read in light of this statement. [20 marks]
2. Analyse **one** scene from **each** of the three plays you have read, showing how effectively the playwright has used the conventions of tragedy. [20 marks]

SECTION B

War to Peace in Augustan Rome and Empire

Answer **one** question from this section.

3. Evaluate the actions of Octavian (later Augustus) between the time of the assassination of Julius Caesar and the battle of Actium. [20 marks]
 4. Discuss the effectiveness of Augustus’s attempts at religious, political and social reform in Rome. [20 marks]
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