Dance marking guide

External assessment

Extended response (35 marks)

Assessment objectives

This assessment instrument is used to determine student achievement in the following objectives:

- 1. demonstrate an understanding of the elements of dance, structure, production elements and dance skills in a selected dance work
- 2. apply written literacy skills using relevant dance terminology and language conventions to communicate ideas and meaning
- 4. analyse and interpret elements of dance, structure, production elements and dance skills used in a selected dance work
- 8. evaluate the selected dance work, justifying the use of elements of dance, structure, production elements and dance skills to communicate stated meaning.

Note: Objectives 3, 5, 6 and 7 are not assessed in this instrument.



Purpose

This document is an External assessment marking guide (EAMG).

The EAMG:

- · Provides a tool for calibrating external assessment markers to ensure reliability of results
- Indicates the correlation, for each question, between mark allocation and qualities at each level of the mark range
- Informs schools and students about how marks are matched to qualities in student responses.

Mark allocation

Where a response does not meet any of the descriptors for a question or a criterion, a mark of '0' will be recorded. Where no response to a question has been made, a mark of 'N' will be recorded.

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Criterion: Understanding dance concepts and skills (2 marks)

The response:	M	Notes
shows knowledge and understanding of dance concepts and skills, allowing for some errors	1	
does not satisfy any of the descriptors above.	0	

Criterion: Analysing and interpreting dance concepts and skills (16 marks)

For excerpt 1, the response:	M	For excerpt 1, the response:	M	For excerpt 2, the response:	M	For excerpt 2, the response:	М
For one dance concept and skill: • identifies valid interrelationship s between relevant characteristics • provides detailed description of how it is manipulated to communicate meaning	4	For the other dance concept and skill: • identifies valid interrelationship s between relevant characteristics • provides detailed description of how it is manipulated to communicate meaning	4	For one dance concept and skill: • identifies valid interrelationship s between relevant characteristics • provides detailed description of how it is manipulated to communicate meaning	4	For the other dance concept and skill: • identifies valid interrelationship s between relevant characteristics • provides detailed description of how it is manipulated to communicate meaning	4
For one dance concept and skill: • identifies connections between relevant characteristics • provides description of how it is manipulated to communicate meaning	3	For the other dance concept and skill: • identifies connections between relevant characteristics • provides description of how it is manipulated to communicate meaning	3	For one dance concept and skill: • identifies connections between relevant characteristics • provides description of how it is manipulated to communicate meaning	3	For the other dance concept and skill: • identifies connections between relevant characteristics • provides description of how it is manipulated to communicate meaning	3

For excerpt 1, the response:	М	For excerpt 1, the response:	M	For excerpt 2, the response:	M	For excerpt 2, the response:	М
For one dance concept and skill: • identifies appropriate isolated examples with characteristics • provides ideas about how it is manipulated to communicate meaning	2	For the other dance concept and skill: • identifies appropriate isolated examples with characteristics • provides ideas about how it is manipulated to communicate meaning	2	For one dance concept and skill: • identifies appropriate isolated examples with characteristics • provides ideas about how it is manipulated to communicate meaning	2	For the other dance concept and skill: • identifies appropriate isolated examples with characteristics • provides ideas about how it is manipulated to communicate meaning	2
For one dance concept and skill: • identifies an - example from the excerpt • provides ideas about the excerpt	1	For the other dance concept and skill: • identifies an example from the excerpt • provides ideas about the excerpt	1	For one dance concept and skill: • identifies an example from the excerpt • provides ideas about the excerpt	1	For the other dance concept and skill: • identifies an example from the excerpt • provides ideas about the excerpt	1
does not satisfy any of the descriptors above.	0	does not satisfy any of the descriptors above.	0	does not satisfy any of the descriptors above.	0	does not satisfy any of the descriptors above.	0

Criterion: Evaluating and justifying dance (12 marks)

For excerpt 1, the response:	M	For excerpt 1, the response:	М	For excerpt 2, the response:	M	For excerpt 2, the response:	М
For one dance concept and skill: • provides valid judgments about how it communicates meaning • identifies detailed and credible examples that support these judgments	3	For the other dance concept and skill: • provides valid judgments about how it communicates meaning • identifies detailed and credible examples that support these judgments	3	For one dance concept and skill: • provides valid judgments about how it communicates meaning • identifies detailed and credible examples that support these judgments	3	For the other dance concept and skill: • provides valid judgments about how it communicates meaning • identifies detailed and credible examples that support these judgments	3
For one dance concept and skill: • provides valid judgments about how it communicates meaning • identifies credible examples that support these judgments	2	For the other dance concept and skill: • provides valid judgments about how it communicates meaning • identifies credible examples that support these judgments	2	For one dance concept and skill: • provides valid judgments about how it communicates meaning • identifies credible examples that support these judgments	2	For the other dance concept and skill: • provides valid judgments about how it communicates meaning • identifies credible examples that support these judgments	2

For excerpt 1, the response:	M	For excerpt 1, the response:	M	For excerpt 2, the response:	М	For excerpt 2, the response:	M
For one dance concept and skill: • provides an opinion about the excerpt • identifies an example from the excerpt	1	For the other dance concept and skill: • provides an opinion about the excerpt • identifies an example from the excerpt	1	For one dance concept and skill: • provides an opinion about the excerpt • identifies an example from the excerpt	1	For the other dance concept and skill: • provides an opinion about the excerpt • identifies an example from the excerpt	1
does not satisfy any of the descriptors above.	0	does not satisfy any of the descriptors above.	0	does not satisfy any of the descriptors above.	0	does not satisfy any of the descriptors above.	0

Criterion: Applying written literacy skills (5 marks)

The response:	M	The response:	M
uses dance terminology, including the titles of works or choreographers/dancers' names, that is relevant to the chosen question	2	 communicates dance ideas and meaning in a sustained, organised and cohesive sequencing of information uses language conventions appropriately and with clarity 	3
uses dance terminology, allowing for some errors	1	communicates dance ideas and meaning uses language conventions, allowing for some loss of clarity	2
does not satisfy any of the descriptors above.	0	communicates dance ideas	1
		does not satisfy any of the descriptors above.	0