VCE Global Politics Unit 3: 2018–2024

Performance Descriptors

| **VCE GLOBAL POLITICS**  **SCHOOL-ASSESSED COURSEWORK** | | | | | |
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| ***Unit 3***  ***Outcome 1***  ***Evaluate the power of key global actors and assess the extent to which they achieve their aims and are able to challenge state sovereignty.*** | **DESCRIPTOR: typical performance in each range** | | | | |
| **Very low** | **Low** | **Medium** | **High** | **Very high** |
| Very limited explanation of the key global politics terms and very limited use of them in context when developing an argument. | Some explanation of the key global politics terms and some use of them in context when developing an argument. | Satisfactory explanation of key global politics terms and use of them in a mostly appropriate context when developing an argument. | Detailed explanation of key global politics terms and use of them in an appropriate context when developing an argument. | Comprehensive explanation of key global politics terms and use of them in an appropriate context when developing an argument. |
| Very limited explanation of the aims and roles of some global actors and the extent to which global actors achieve their aims. | Some explanation of the aims and roles of global actors and the extent to which global actors achieve their aims. | Satisfactory explanation of the aims and roles of global actors and some assessment of the extent to which global actors achieve their aims. | Detailed explanation of the aims and roles of global actors and thorough assessment of the extent to which global actors achieve their aims. | Comprehensive explanation of the aims and roles of global actors and considered assessment of the extent to which global actors achieved their aims. |
| Very limited evaluation of the power of key global actors. | Some evaluation of the power of key global actors. | Satisfactory explanation and evaluation of the power of key global actors. | Detailed explanation and evaluation of the power of key global actors. | Comprehensive explanation and evaluation of the power of key global actors. |
| Very little analysis of the challenges facing state sovereignty. | Some analysis of the challenges facing state sovereignty. | Satisfactory analysis of the challenges facing state sovereignty. | Detailed analysis of the challenges facing state sovereignty. | Insightful analysis of the challenges facing state sovereignty. |
| Very limited evaluation of the extent to which global actors are able to challenge the sovereignty of states. | Some evaluation of the extent to which global actors are able to challenge the sovereignty of states. | Satisfactory evaluation of the extent to which global actors are able to challenge the sovereignty of states. | Detailed evaluation of the extent to which global actors are able to challenge the sovereignty of states. | Comprehensive evaluation of the extent to which global actors are able to challenge the sovereignty of states. |

KEY to marking scale based on the Outcome contributing 50 marks

| Very Low 1–10 | Low 11–20 | Medium 21–30 | High 31–40 | Very High 41–50 |
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