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**Section A – Knowledge and understanding of choreographic processes and performing skills**

**37.5% (30 marks) – you should spend about 30 minutes on this section**

You are choreographing a **group dance for four dancers** using the text below as stimulus.

*Serene eventide  
A ready, small pen pinches  
Under the pillow*

**01** Outline a dance idea that you could consider from this stimulus. **1 mark**

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**02.1** Describe a formation that you could use for this dance. **2 marks**

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**02.2** Outline **one** way your chosen formation might communicate the meaning of your dance. **1 mark**

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**03.1** Name **three** relationships, **other** than formation, that you could use in your dance. **3 marks**

**Relationship 1** .....

**Relationship 2** .....

**Relationship 3** .....

**03.2** Outline how **one** of the relationships you have named supports your chosen dance idea. **1 mark**

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**04** Describe **two** ways you could use manipulation of number in your dance. **4 marks**

**Way 1** .....

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**Way 2** .....

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**05.1** Identify **three** dynamics that you could use when choreographing this dance. **3 marks**

**Dynamic 1**.....

**Dynamic 2**.....

**Dynamic 3**.....

**05.2** Give **one** way in which **each** of these dynamics could enhance your chosen dance idea. **3 marks**

**Dynamic 1**.....

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**Dynamic 2**.....

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**Dynamic 3**.....

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**06.1** Describe the ending you would choreograph for the dance. **2 marks**

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**06.2** Describe how this choice of ending supports your dance idea. **2 marks**

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The following questions refer to students' knowledge and understanding of performing skills.

**07** Identify the physical skill defined below: **1 mark**

*'An independent movement of part of the body'*

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**08** Describe a short movement phrase that includes the physical skill identified above. Your answer should refer to actions, space **and** dynamics. **3 marks**

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**09** Identify two **technical skills** that require flexibility. **2 marks**

**Skill 1** .....

**Skill 2** .....

**10** Describe one exercise a dancer could do to improve their flexibility in the hamstrings. **2 marks**

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**Section C – Critical appreciation of professional works**

**40% (32 marks) – you should spend about 35 minutes on this section**

In this section, all questions refer to the professional dance works in the GCSE Dance anthology.

- 14** Name a choreographic device used in **Emancipation of Expressionism** that helps support the theme of order and chaos. **1 mark**

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- 15** Explain how the choreographic device you have named in Q14, helps the audience's understanding of the theme of order and chaos in **Emancipation of Expressionism**. **6 marks**

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**18** Using your knowledge of the similarities and differences in the costume used in **Within Her Eyes** and **Artificial Things**, discuss how costume is used to enhance our appreciation of these two works. **12 marks**

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