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GCSE (9–1) Classical Civilisation

J199/11 Myth and religion

Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes



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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 questions 1–21 and **either** Question 22 **or** Question 23.
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INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is **90**.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets [].
- This document has **16** pages.

ADVICE

- Read each question carefully before you start your answer.

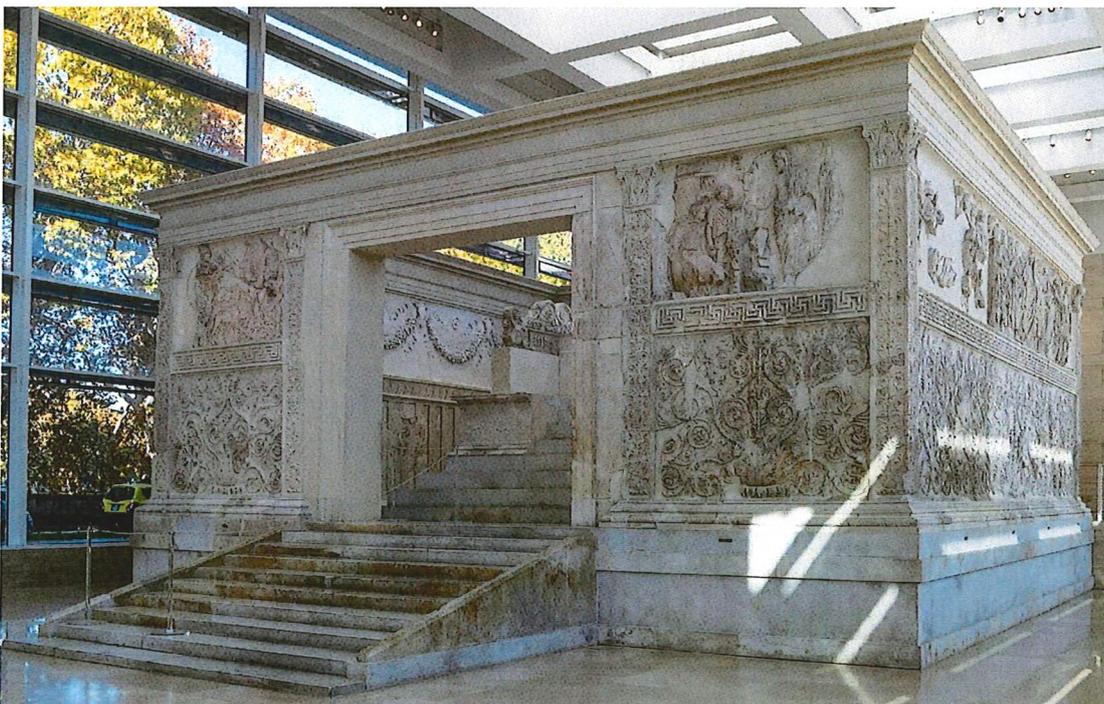
Source E: The British Museum's Theseus Kylix**Source F: An extract from the Roman writer Livy**

I believe, however, that the fates were intent on founding this great city, and aiding the beginnings of an empire second only to the heavens. The Vestal was abducted, and when she had given birth to twin boys, claimed that Mars was the father of her uncertain children; whether she believed it, or because it seemed more honourable if a god was responsible for her misdeed. But neither gods nor men protected her or her offspring from the king's cruelty.

Source G: A row of tombs outside one of the entrance gates to the Roman town of Pompeii



Source H: A reconstruction of a Roman religious building



Source I: An extract from the Res Gestae Divi Augusti in which Augustus recalls his achievements

From Spain, Gaul, and the Dalmatians (a region to the east of Italy), I recovered, after conquering the enemy, many military standards which had been lost by other generals. Then I compelled the Parthians to restore to me the spoils and standards of three Roman armies, and to seek as suppliants the friendship of the Roman people. These standards I deposited in the inner shrine which is in the Temple of Mars Ultor (the Avenger).

Source J: The Prima Porta of Augustus



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SECTION B
Rome

Study Source F

10 (a) What is the name of the 'great city' (line 1) Livy is referring to in **Source F**?
..... [1]

(b) What is the name of the 'Vestal' (line 2) that had been abducted?
..... [1]

(c) What is the name of the king (line 5) who is acting cruelly?
..... [1]

11 Give **three** details of what happened to the twins **after** the events described in **Source F** but **before** they were discovered by the shepherd Faustulus.

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2
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3
..... [3]

12 (a) Name the two hills that Romulus and Remus wanted to found their city on.

1
2 [2]

(b) How did Romulus and Remus decide which hill should be chosen?

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..... [1]

Study Source G

13 Give **three** reasons why the Romans chose this location in a town to bury their dead.

- 1
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- 2
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- 3
- **[3]**

14 State **two** ways a wealthy Roman might make a funeral procession more impressive.

- 1
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- 2
- **[2]**

15 (a) Describe a Roman funerary mask. Make **two** points.

- 1
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- 2
- **[2]**

(b) What role did a funerary mask play in the Roman burial process?

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- **[1]**

Study Source H

16 (a) What is the name of this religious structure?

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..... [1]

(b) Where in Rome was the structure shown in **Source H** originally located?

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..... [1]

(c) Why was this an appropriate place for this structure?

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..... [1]

17 State **two** ways that this structure was decorated to promote fertility and prosperity of the Roman Empire.

1
.....
2
..... [2]

