

### **CARIBBEAN EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL**

# CARIBBEAN ADVANCED PROFICIENCY EXAMINATION®

# MARK SCHEME FOR SCHOOL-BASED ASSESSMENT SOCIOLOGY – UNIT 2

Module 1 – Population Studies Teacher-Provided Data

# Section 1 - Interpretation of Demographic Tables and Statistics relating to Basic Concepts (Maximum 10 marks)

Level 1	Shows little or no understanding of tables, statistics and demographic trends with respect to the data provided.	(0 - 3 marks)
Level 2	Shows some understanding of tables, statistics and demographic trends critical to the data provided	(4 - 7 marks)
Level 3	Shows a sound understanding of tables, statistics and demographic trends with respect to the data provided.	(8 - 10 marks)

#### **Section 2 - Presentation of Alternative Formats (Maximum 10 Marks)**

Level 1	Demonstrates little or no ability to select appropriate (0 - 3 marks) formats for the presentation of the data provided.		
Level 2	Demonstrates some competence to select the most appropriate formats for the presentation of the data provided.	(4 - 7 marks)	
Level 3	Demonstrates the ability to select the most appropriate formats for the presentation of the data provided.	(8 - 10 marks)	

#### MARK SCHEME FOR SCHOOL-BASED ASSESSMENT

#### Unit 2

#### Module 2 - Social Order, Social Control and Deviance

#### A. Questionnaire

#### **Design and Conduct of Survey (Maximum 5 Marks)**

Level 1 Shows little or no ability to design an appropriate questionnaire and administer it to a sample of subjects.

Level 2 Shows some ability to design an appropriate questionnaire and administer it to a sample of subjects, but not without some errors.

Level 3 Shows the ability to design an appropriate and error-free questionnaire and administer it to a sample of subjects.

(5 marks)

#### B. Interpretation and Analysis of Data (Maximum 9 marks)

Level 1 Demonstrates little or no ability to interpret and analyse data.

Level 2 Demonstrates some ability to interpret and analyse (4 - 6 marks) data, but with some errors.

Level 3 Demonstrates ability to accurately and efficiently interpret and analyse data.

#### C. Presentation of Written Report (Maximum 6 Marks)

Level 1 Displays basic weakness in writing style for a survey and skills in organising and communicating the results.

Level 2 Displays evidence of a competent writing style that can satisfactorily communicate the findings and conclusions of a survey.

Level 3 Displays an excellent writing style that can clearly and effectively communicate the findings and conclusions of a survey.

(5 - 6 marks)

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#### Module 3 - Social Development and Poverty

# Review of a Selected Study or Article on Caribbean Development or Poverty

#### A. Understanding of Definitions and Measurements (Maximum 6 Marks)

Level 1 Shows little or no understanding of the definitions (0 - 2 marks) and measurements of development and poverty used in the study or article.

Level 2 Shows an understanding of some definitions and (3 - 4 marks) measurements of development and poverty used in the study or article and provides evidence of this in the review.

Level 3 Shows a sound understanding of the definitions and measurements of development and poverty used in the study or article and provides evidence of this in the review. (5 - 6 marks)

## B. Assessment of Relevance to Caribbean Reality (Maximum 6 marks)

Level 1 Displays little ability to relate ideas and concepts (0 - 2 marks) in the selected article or study to Caribbean reality.

Level 2 Displays some ability to relate ideas and concepts (3 - 4 marks) in the selected article or study to Caribbean reality.

Level 3 Displays effectiveness and sound ability to relate ideas and concepts in the selected article or study to Caribbean reality. (5 - 6 marks)

### C. Assessment of the Value of the Study or Article (Maximum 8 Marks)

Level 1 Demonstrates little ability in analysing, synthesising (0 - 2 marks) and evaluating the study or article.

Level 2 Demonstrates satisfactory ability in analysing, (3 - 5 marks) synthesising and evaluating the study or article.

Level 3 Demonstrates effectiveness in analysing, (6 - 8 marks) synthesising and evaluating the study or article.