



Task Number	1	Task Name	Source-based research task
Course	Year 11 Ancient History	Faculty	HSIE
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Issue date	Week 2, Term 1 2019	Due date	Friday 22nd March, 2019 (by 3.15pm)
Focus (Topic)	Ancient Thera	Task Weighting	40%

Outcomes

A student:

AH11-1: describes the nature of continuity and change in the ancient world

AH11-3: analyses the role of historical features, individuals and groups in shaping the past

AH11-6: analyses and interprets different types of sources for evidence to support an historical account or argument

AH11-7: discusses and evaluates differing interpretations and representations of the past

AH11-10: discusses contemporary methods and issues involved in the investigation of ancient history

Task description

Part 1

a) Locate and select at least 5 different sources from Ancient Thera. Types of sources can include:

- frescoes
- pottery
- sculptures
- buildings
- other artefacts.

b) For each source you need to:

- i. include a photo/drawing of the original source
- ii. identify the type of source (see above)
- iii. identify where and when the source was found
- iv. write a short description of the source (3-5 sentences)
- v. write a short explanation of the purpose of the source (3-5 sentences).

You may present Part 1 in any format you like (eg PowerPoint, website, report, multimedia presentation, etc).

Part 2

Although the archaeological evidence from Akrotiri is compelling, it is difficult to gain a thorough understanding of the people and society of Thera due to the lack of written evidence.

In regard to the above statement, what does the archaeological evidence reveal about the society of Ancient Thera? Refer to at least THREE sources from Part 1 and other information in your response.

Write between 500-700 words.

11 Ancient History – Assessment Task 1 Marking Criteria

Criteria	Outstanding – A 21-25	High – B 16-20	Sound – C 11-15	Basic – D 6-10	Limited – E 0-5
Describes the nature of archaeological sources from Ancient Thera	Extensive description of the nature of archaeological sources from Ancient Thera	Thorough description of the nature of archaeological sources from Ancient Thera	Satisfactory description of the archaeological sources from Ancient Thera	Attempts to describe of sources from Ancient Thera	Little/no attempt to describe sources
Analyses and interprets different types of sources from Ancient Thera	Comprehensive and detailed analysis and interpretation of a range of different sources from Ancient Thera	Detailed analysis and interpretation of a range of different sources from Ancient Thera	Some analysis and/or interpretation of different sources from Ancient Thera	Attempts to analyse and/or interpret sources from Ancient Thera	Little/no attempt to analyse/interpret sources
Discusses and evaluates what the archaeological evidence reveals about the society of Ancient Thera	Extensive discussion and evaluation of what the archaeological evidence reveals about the society of Ancient Thera	Thorough discussion and evaluation of what the archaeological evidence reveals about the society of Ancient Thera	Satisfactory discussion and/or evaluation of the archaeological evidence from Ancient Thera; may refer to Ancient Thera society	Attempts to discuss and/or evaluate some evidence from Ancient Thera	Little/no attempt to discuss/evaluate evidence
Identifies and discusses the issues involved with the available evidence for Ancient Thera	Correctly identifies with insightful discussion of the issues involved with the available evidence for Ancient Thera	Correctly identifies and discusses the issues involved with the available evidence for Ancient Thera	Identifies some issues involved with the available evidence for Ancient Thera	Attempts to identify issues with evidence from Ancient Thera	Little/no attempt to identify issues with evidence
Late submission – no misadventure – malpractice – assessment not submitted					
Parental notification					

Comments:

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