

A large, light purple, stylized tree graphic that occupies the lower half of the page. It has a thick trunk and a canopy of irregular, leaf-like shapes.

ABORIGINAL AND INTERCULTURAL STUDIES

GENERAL COURSE

Marking key for the Externally set task
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Aboriginal and Intercultural Studies

Externally set task – marking key

1. Identify **one (1)** of the First Nations peoples that continues to employ traditional land use and/or land management practices.

Description	Marks
Correctly identifies one (1) of the First Nations peoples that continues to employ traditional land use and/or land management practices.	1
Total	1
Answer could include:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aboriginal Peoples of the Kimberley • Yolngu people of Northeast Arnhem Land • Merriam people of Mer (Murray) Island • Dayak people – Borneo • the Khoikhoi peoples – South Africa • the Yanomami – Amazon Rainforest • any other correct example of a First Nations people that employ traditional land use practices 	

2. Name **two (2)** traditional land use and/or land management practices.

Description	Marks
Correctly names two (2) traditional land use and/or land management practices.	1 mark each
Total	2
Answer could include:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • shifting cultivation: swidden agriculture or slash and burn agriculture • fire-stick farming • fish-netting, bow-fishing, or spearfishing • hunting and gathering • nomadic pastoralism • any other correct example of a traditional land use practice 	

3. Identify and explain **two (2)** of the effects of traditional land use practices on the environment. Provide specific examples to support your answer.

Description	Marks	Subtotal
Effect 1:		3
Accurately identifies an environmental effect of traditional land use practices	1	
Clearly explains an environmental effect of traditional land use practices	1	
Provides a specific example of the environmental effect	1	
Effect 2:		3
Accurately identifies an environmental effect of traditional land use practices	1	
Clearly explains an environmental effect of traditional land use practices	1	
Provides a specific example of the environmental effect	1	
Total		6
Answer could include:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • soil degradation and soil erosion • habitat loss for wildlife • problems for water supply and water quality • depletion of vegetation or wildlife of a region • any other correct example of an environmental effect of traditional land use practices 		

- 4(a) Identify an environmental issue which has resulted from contemporary land use and management practices. Outline **three (3)** specific causes of the environmental issue you have identified.

Description	Marks	Subtotal
Accurately identifies an environmental issue resulting from contemporary land use and management practices.		1
Specific cause 1:		2
Clearly outlines a specific cause of the environmental issue	2	
Outlines a cause of the environmental issue with inaccuracies	1	
Specific cause 2:		2
Clearly outlines a specific cause of the environmental issue	2	
Outlines a cause of the environmental issue with inaccuracies	1	
Specific cause 3:		2
Clearly outlines a specific cause of the environmental issue	2	
Outlines a cause of the environmental issue with inaccuracies	1	
Total		7
Issues could include:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • global warming • land clearing • use of waterways • native animal endangerment and extinctions • waste management • pollution <p>Note: Specific points made in the responses will depend on the environmental issue under consideration and what has been taught in the classroom</p>		

- (b) Identify **two (2)** effects of the environmental issue that you discussed in 4(a) above. Explain **one (1)** effect of this environmental issue. Provide examples to support your answer.

Description	Marks	Subtotal
Accurately identifies two (2) effects of the environmental issue	1 mark each	2
Explanation of one (1) effect of the environmental issue:		4
Clearly and accurately explains one (1) effect of the environmental issue	4	
Explains one (1) effect of the environmental issue with some inaccuracies or omissions	3	
Describes one (1) effect of the environmental issue with little or no explanation	2	
States one (1) effect of the environmental issue with no explanation and little detail	1	
Provision of supporting examples:		3
Provides two (2) or more examples which clearly support the answer	3	
Provides one (1) or two (2) examples that support the answer	2	
Provides one (1) example that gives limited support to the answer	1	
Total		9
Note: Specific points made in the responses will depend on the environmental issue under consideration and what has been taught in the classroom		