### Criterion A: Theatre in Context: The tradition

- **Marks 1-2**: This work is limited:
  - the student lists a world theatre tradition, demonstrating a limited & superficial understanding of the cultural and/or theoretical context(s), referencing sources that are inappropriate or irrelevant to the work.

- **Marks 3-4**: This work is underdeveloped:
  - the student outlines a world theatre tradition (from the prescribed list) demonstrating some appropriate understanding of the tradition and its cultural and/or theoretical context(s) referencing some appropriate sources that are mostly appropriate to the work.

- **Marks 5-6**: This work is good:
  - The student outlines their understanding of a specific performance convention selected from the researched theatre tradition, referencing some appropriate sources that are mostly appropriate to the work. This work is underdeveloped.

- **Marks 7-8**: This work is excellent:
  - The student describes a world theatre tradition (from the prescribed list), demonstrating a clear understanding of the tradition and its cultural and/or theoretical context(s), adequately supporting their work with a range of appropriate sources.

The work does not reach a standard described by the descriptors.

To what extent does the student explain a world theatre tradition (chosen from the prescribed list) demonstrating an understanding of the tradition and its cultural and/or theoretical context(s), effectively supporting their work with a range of appropriate sources.

To what extent does the student effectively & clearly explain a specific performance convention selected from the researched theatre tradition, effectively supporting their work with a range of appropriate sources.

Candidates who do not select a world theatre tradition from the prescribed list will not be awarded a mark higher than 2 in this criterion.

### Criterion B: Theatre processes: practical research and approaches to application

- **Marks 1-2**: This work is limited:
  - the student lists how they have practically and physically explored the performance convention selected from the world theatre tradition in the prescribed list. This work is limited in scope and contains mainly irrelevant information.

- **Marks 3-4**: This work is underdeveloped:
  - the student outlines how and why they have practically and physically explored the performance convention selected from the world theatre tradition in the prescribed list, demonstrating a partially appropriate approach for their exploration.

- **Marks 5-6**: This work is good:
  - The student describes how and why they have practically and physically explored the performance convention selected from the world theatre tradition in the prescribed list, demonstrating a clear and appropriate approach for their exploration.

- **Marks 7-8**: This work is excellent:
  - The student explains how and why they have practically and physically explored the performance convention selected from the world theatre tradition in the prescribed list, demonstrating an effective and appropriate approach for their exploration.

The work does not reach a standard described by the descriptors.

To what extent does the student explain how and why they have practically and physically explored the performance convention selected from the world theatre tradition in the prescribed list?

To what extent does the student explain how and why they have approached the application of the performance convention to an appropriate moment of theatre?

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<td><strong>Criterion C:</strong> Presenting Theatre: The presentation of the moment of theatre</td>
<td>- the student communicates little or no understanding of the selected performance convention from the world theatre tradition (chosen from the prescribed list) through the demonstration of their moment of theatre, which lacks clarity and coherence</td>
<td>- the student uses their body and/or voice with some confidence but this is underdeveloped.</td>
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<td>- the student uses their body and/or voice confidently.</td>
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<td>To what extent does the student practically communicate an understanding of the selected performance convention from the world theatre tradition (chosen from the prescribed list) through the demonstration of their specific moment of theatre?</td>
<td>- the student uses their body and/or voice effectively and confidently.</td>
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<td>- the student has had as a performer.</td>
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<td><strong>Criterion D:</strong> Presenting Theatre: The learner (i.e. YOU)</td>
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<td>To what extent does the student explain how the selected performance convention compares to ONE other performance practice?</td>
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