

**LIFE ORIENTATION
COMMON ASSESSMENT TASK
PART B
MARKING GUIDELINES – ADDENDUM**

Please note that the following questions have been identified as allowing for a number of student responses, which has created some anxiety around the marking.

Therefore additional response options have been created to assist in the marking process for the below identified questions only.

- 1.1 According to the source, what is the priority of the 'World Day of Social Justice'?

Closing the inequalities gap ✓ (to achieve social justice). (1)

- 1.2 Identify ONE barrier/bias that people face because of their gender, age, race or disability.

Marker's discretion – this question is a little ambiguous; hence ...

Either of the two interpretations are acceptable:

1. Learners may identify one viable barrier in **any** of the four categories (for 1 mark) and then explain the barrier (for 3 marks). Why does the barrier exist/what are the consequences of the barrier, etc.

OR

2. Learners may provide one barrier for **each** of the four categories and therefore receive one mark per barrier identified.

For example:

- Gender – females are seen as inferior/weaker sex in many communities/viewed as their only role in society is to reproduce and satisfy a man's needs, etc. ✓/+ explanation. ✓✓✓
- Age – very young people are not taken seriously and seen as naive/elderly people are seen as no longer useful to society. ✓/+ explanation. ✓✓✓
- Race – some races are seen as inferior to others/labelled as criminals/stupid. ✓/+ explanation. ✓✓✓
- Disability – People with disabilities are viewed as incapable or helpless to do anything for themselves. ✓/+ explanation. ✓✓✓ (4)

- 3.3 Paragraph 2 refers to a sense of mistrust. Describe this sense of mistrust as it is referred to in this context: who is mistrusted and why?

Any viable response – marker's discretion: learner response must reflect the context of Source 2, but can respond from either of these 3 angles: – the citizens in these neighbourhoods either feel the mistrust towards others or towards each other or are mistrusted by society in general.

OPTION 1

WHO: ✓ Police, authority and society at large are mistrusted.

WHY: ✓✓ They mistrust authority because they have been disappointed so many times by society/abused by police and authorities – who put them in this position in the first place/empty promises by people who have offered to assist/treated with disrespect.

OR

OPTION 2

WHO: ✓ The citizens in these communities do not trust each other.

WHY: ✓✓ Those exhibiting violent and/or criminal behaviour often act in their own neighbourhoods and within their own families as access is easier and it is easier to get away with, etc.

OR

OPTION 3

WHO: ✓ Society at large mistrusts marginalised citizens/people living in poorer communities.

WHY: ✓✓ A large proportion of violence and crime originated from within these poorer communities and are carried out in more affluent communities where it is easier to obtain wealth etc. Society at large tends to generalise and assume that all poorer citizens are criminals, etc.

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