

2.1 Comparative multimedia argument: supported rehearsal

Name: _____ Class: _____ Date: _____

Total: 6 marks

Objective

Supported preparation: Compare films through a focused topic and cultural context; Build a sourced multimedia argument rather than two summaries. This is original rehearsal, not completion of the assessed task.

1 Key knowledge and worked examples

Choose a focused filmic relationship, select moments from both films and compare their operation through contextual evidence. Plot summary alone cannot establish an argument about film form or culture. Keep clip, image and music permissions and exact credits.

Original source / task evidence

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Separate what is stated from the interpretation.
Comparative multimedia argument

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2 Practice

2.1 For the worked case, identify the evidence and a conclusion it can support. Explain one material limit. [3]

3 Exam-style questions

3.1 A sound cue reveals emotion before the delayed reaction image. Qualify the order argument. Give a reasoned answer, evidence or method, and a relevant qualification. [3]

Solutions

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3.1 Delayed visual information does not necessarily withhold the emotional response if sound already communicates it. Compare sound and image together, limiting the claim to what remains uncertain. This counterexample refines the mechanism rather than making editing irrelevant. Authored points for a relevant judgement, reason tied to the case and justified qualification or method. Accept a supported alternative.