## Houses of the Oireachtas Work Experience Programme Application Marking Scheme 50 marks

There is a limit of 500 words (+/-10%).

To what level does the applicant set out clearly what motivates them to join this programme (5 marks)

Very Good: 4-5 marks Good: 2-3 marks Fair: 0-1 marks

To what level have they set out what benefits they hope to gain from this programme? (5

marks)

Very Good: 4-5 marks

Good: 2-3marks Fair: 0-1 marks

To what level have they shown how this programme fits in with future study/career plans

(5marks)

Very Good: 4-5 marks

Good: 2-3marks Fair: 0-1 marks

To what level have they identified a relevant area in relation to the work of the Houses of the

Oireachtas and explained why it is of special interest to them (20 marks)

Very Good: 15-20 marks Good: 10-14 marks Fair: 5-9 marks Weak: 1-4 marks

To what level have they shown evidence of research into this area (15 marks)

Very Good: 14-15 marks

Good: 10-13 marks Fair: 5-9 marks Weak: 0-4