**‘A Star Is Born’ R4UAE Qs-Higher**

1. Look at paragraph 1. In your own words, explain why the writer claims that ‘A Star is Born’ is a familiar tale. **2 marks**
2. Reread paragraph 1. How does the writer’s use of both word choice AND imagery indicate their high opinion of Lady Gaga’s performance? Give two examples. **4 marks**
3. Look at paragraph 2. By referring to TWO examples, discuss how the writer’s contrasting use of language demonstrates the audience’s changing view of Cooper’s character in the film. **4 marks**
4. Look at paragraph 4. In your own words, outline the problems facing Bradley Cooper’s character in the film. **4 marks**
5. Look at paragraph 5. In your own words, explain what attracts Cooper’s character Jackson to Gaga’s Ally. **2 marks**
6. Look at paragraph 6. How does the writer’s use of language indicate that Lady Gaga’s beauty is unusual? Use two examples in your answer. **4 marks**
7. Reread paragraphs 6 and 7. How does the opening line of paragraph 7 act as an effective link in the writer’s argument? **2 marks**
8. Look at paragraph 7. In your own words, summarise why the writer believes the film encapsulates the fame industry. **3 marks**
9. Look at both passages.

The writers agree about success of the film ‘A Star Is Born’. Identify three key areas on which they agree.

You should support the points by referring to important ideas in both passages.

You may answer this Q in continuous prose or in a series of developed bullet points. **5 marks**

**30 marks**