
GENERAL PAPER

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2 hours

No Additional Materials are required.

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

An answer booklet is provided inside this question paper. You should follow the instructions on the front cover of the answer booklet. If you need additional answer paper ask the invigilator for a continuation booklet.

Answer **two** questions.

Each question must be taken from a **different** section.

Use examples to support your arguments.

Each answer should be about 500–600 words in length. Short answers may score lower marks.

All questions in this paper carry equal marks.

This document consists of **2** printed pages, **2** blank pages and **1** Insert.

Each essay should be 500–600 words long. Use examples to support your arguments.

Section 1

- 1 How far is it possible for an individual to make a stand against the society in which they live?
- 2 'It is important for nations as well as people to remember and celebrate anniversaries.' Discuss.
- 3 Examine the measures needed to make **your** country more equal.
- 4 Consider the extent to which women in positions of political power could make a difference.

Section 2

- 5 'Science will never be able to provide solutions to everything.' Discuss.
- 6 Given the global catastrophes of the last half-billion years, consider how far humans and other species might survive in the future.
- 7 Environmental concerns are widespread today. How effectively are some of these being addressed?
- 8 'Advertising relies too much on stereotyping people.' To what extent do you agree?

Section 3

- 9 How relevant are the performing arts in education today?
- 10 Explain why there is more to fairy tales, myths **and/or** fables, than merely simple stories.
- 11 War and conflict often produce great literature, music and art. Why should this be so?
- 12 Consider the cultural significance of food to **you** and **your** region.

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