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ENGLISH SECOND/ADDITIONAL LANG SG: Paper 3

MARKS: 80



TIME: 2 hours

X25



This question paper consists of 9 pages.



INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION

1. Candidates are required to answer only ONE question from EACH section.
2. Number each question you have chosen exactly as it appears on the question paper.
3. Start the response to each question on a NEW page.
4. Write neatly and legibly.
5. Pay special attention to spelling, grammar and sentence construction, as well as punctuation; e.g. do not use capital letters unnecessarily.
6. We recommend that you plan your work and make rough drafts.
7. Neatly cross out all plans and rough drafts before handing in your answer book.
8. Re-read your work to check for errors before you hand in your answer book.
9. Your responses will be assessed on content, language and layout (e.g. paragraphing and format).
10. Pre-learnt or memorised work will be penalised.

SECTION A: EXTENDED WRITING**INSTRUCTIONS**

- Spend approximately 60 minutes on this section.
- Respond to only ONE of the following questions.
- Number the question you have chosen exactly as it appears on the question paper.
- Your essay should be between 250 – 300 words in length.
- Your essay must have a title. You should supply your own if no title has been given.

QUESTION 1**CARE FOR THE AGED**

Do we, our communities and the leaders in our country do enough to make old people feel comfortable during their remaining years? Do we make them feel appreciated?

Discuss your views by considering the following:

- What is being done for the aged?
- What still needs to be done for the aged?

OR**QUESTION 2****CHANGE**

On my return to the place where I grew up, I realised that many changes had taken place.

In an essay, describe some of the changes that had occurred.

OR

QUESTION 3

ON THAT DAY I LEARNT THAT WATER COULD BE VERY DANGEROUS!

Write a story inspired by this idea.

Supply your own title.

OR

QUESTION 4

FRIENDS

Write an essay in which you explain the value of friendship. Describe your friends, and what you do when you are together. Explain why they are special to you and what you value in friendship.

OR

QUESTION 5

The taxi stopped. A loud voice told me to get out.

Write a story in which the above words appear.

Supply your own title.

TOTAL SECTION A: 40

BEGIN SECTION B ON A NEW PAGE.

SECTION B: SHORTER PIECES OF WRITING**INSTRUCTIONS**

- Spend about 30 minutes on this section.
- Choose ONE of the following topics.
- Number the question you have chosen exactly as it appears on the question paper.
- Your answer should be between 120 – 150 words in length.
- If you choose a letter, the address(es), salutation and ending must not be included in the required number of words.

QUESTION 6**LETTER TO THE PRESS**

You were recently mugged and your bag was stolen at a shopping centre. The security guard came to your assistance, caught the thief and recovered your bag. You then received further assistance from the manager and staff of the shopping centre.

Write a letter to your local newspaper in which you tell the public about your experience and express your appreciation for the help you received.

OR**QUESTION 7****DIALOGUE - INTERVIEW**

A famous pop star has visited your school to launch a programme against drug abuse and promote her latest song, which deals with her fight against drugs.

The editor of the newsletter of your school had the opportunity to interview this celebrity and ask her about her programme, her song and how she overcame her drug addiction.

Write the interview (in dialogue form) which took place between the editor and the pop star, beginning with the following words:

Editor: Firstly, tell me about the programme against drug abuse...

Pop Star: ...

QUESTION 8**BUSINESS LETTER**

The following is part of a letter written by Mr T Bone. It was sent to the manager of JJ Stores.

I ordered a radio from your store four months ago, but I only received it last week. When I opened the package, I was very disappointed to find that the radio was damaged. One of the speakers is not working and the volume control knob is loose.

*I am concerned and angry about the following:
Why did it take so long to arrive?
Where or when was it damaged?
Is this the way your company does business?*

I am not in a position to pay for the repairs and I am returning the radio to you. I demand a full refund or a replacement.

I expect immediate action!

As manager of JJ Stores, write a letter in which you reply to the above complaint. Respond to the questions and concerns expressed in the letter.

TOTAL SECTION B: 20

BEGIN SECTION C ON A NEW PAGE.

SECTION C: OTHER SHORTER PIECES OF WRITING**INSTRUCTIONS**

- Spend about 30 minutes on this section.
- In this section there are THREE questions.
- Choose ONE question and answer both parts.
- Number each part of the question you have chosen exactly as it appears on the question paper.
- Follow the instructions carefully in each question.

QUESTION 9

9.1

BROCHURE – PARAGRAPHS

A new community centre, which includes a clinic and a library, has been built in your area. You have been asked to write two paragraphs that will be included in a brochure advertising these two services to the public.

Write the TWO paragraphs which advertise the clinic and the library. Give details of the services that each provides, the benefits of both to the community and the times that these places are open.

Your answer should be between 90 -100 words in length.

(10)

AND

9.2

FACSIMILE (FAX)

You have been asked to assist in ordering food and drinks from the local supermarket for the official opening of the community centre.

Write a fax to the manager of the local supermarket in which you order various types of food and drinks for 100 people. Also make sure that he/she receives clear instructions so that the food and drinks arrive on time at the correct place.

Your answer should be between 30 – 50 words in length.

(10)

OR

QUESTION 10

10.1

INVITATION

It will soon be your cousin's 21st birthday. You have been asked to assist in writing an invitation for the birthday celebration.

Write the invitation. Give all the necessary details regarding the celebration. Your answer should be between 30 – 50 words in length.

(10)

AND

10.2

DIRECTIONS

Write a set of directions that will enable an invited guest who lives in another town to find the venue of the party.

Pay careful attention to the following:

- Directions – include at least four changes in direction;
- Landmarks – include at least three landmarks, such as buildings and shops; and
- Distance – include distances where relevant.

Your answer should be between 80 – 100 words in length.

(10)

OR

QUESTION 11

11.1

INSTRUCTIONS

A local youth magazine is holding a competition which requires you to give a list of instructions on how to dress and behave when you go out with a boyfriend or girlfriend for the first time.

Enter the competition. Write your ideas in point form.

Your answer should be between 90 - 100 words in length.

(10)

AND

11.2

PARAGRAPH

You have won the first prize of R5 000,00 in the competition. The magazine editor has asked you to write a short description of yourself, which will be published in the magazine. Write a description which includes your age, occupation, interests and hobbies, why you entered the competition and how you will spend the prize money.

Write this in a short paragraph. Your answer should be between 30 – 50 words in length.

(10)

TOTAL SECTION C: 20**GRAND TOTAL: 80**