

Total Marks

English Language
PAPER 1: Fiction and Imaginative Writing

Time: 1 hour 45 minutes

In the boxes below, write your name, centre number and candidate number.

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YOU MUST HAVE

Source Booklet

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Nil

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer ALL questions in Section A and ONE in Section B.

You should spend about 1 hour on Section A.

You should spend about 45 minutes on Section B.

Answer the questions in the spaces provided – there may be more space than you need.

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INFORMATION

The total mark for this paper is 64.

The marks for EACH question are shown in brackets – use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.

Questions labelled with an ASTERISK (*) are ones where the quality of your written communication will be assessed – you should take particular care on these questions with your spelling, punctuation and grammar, as well as the clarity of expression.

ADVICE

Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.

Check your answers if you have time at the end.

SECTION A

Reading

Read the text in the Reading Text Insert provided and answer ALL questions.

You should spend about 1 hour on this section.

Write your answers in the spaces provided.

- 1 From lines 5–8, identify a word or phrase which shows why Oliver was feeling stupefied.**

(Total for Question 1 = 1 mark)

- 2 From lines 14–22, give TWO things that the reader learns about the weather that night.**

You may use your own words or quotations from the text.

1 _____

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(Total for Question 2 = 2 marks)

- 3 In lines 40–68, how does the writer use language and structure to describe what happens as they arrive at the house?**

Support your views with reference to the text.

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(Total for Question 3 = 6 marks)

- 4 In this extract, there is an attempt to create tension.**

Evaluate how successfully this is achieved.

**Support your views with detailed reference to the text.
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(Total for Question 4 = 15 marks)

TOTAL FOR SECTION A = 24 MARKS

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SECTION B

Imaginative Writing

Answer ONE question. You should spend about 45 minutes on this section.

Write your answer in the space provided.

EITHER

- *5 Write about a time when you, or someone you know, stood up for something important.**

Your response could be real or imagined.

***Your response will be marked for the accurate and appropriate use of vocabulary, spelling, punctuation and grammar.**

(Total for Question 5 = 40 marks)

OR

***6 Look at image 1 and image 2 provided on pages 26–29.**

Write about a time when the weather was memorable.

Your response could be real or imagined. You may wish to base your response on one of the images.

***Your response will be marked for the accurate and appropriate use of vocabulary, spelling, punctuation and grammar.**

(Total for Question 6 = 40 marks)

Begin your answer on page 30.

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Image 1

Photograph 1 is a black and white photograph and shows a man trying to walk in a city street in strong wind. He is holding an open umbrella with both hands and trying to shelter from the wind behind the umbrella. His overcoat is being blown behind him. He is wearing a hat pulled down over his ears. He is also trying to carry his briefcase in his right hand. In the background is a group of tall buildings and offices. The higher parts of these buildings are obscured from view by misty clouds.

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Image 2

Photograph 2 is a black and white photograph and shows a mother and son, approximately 5 years old playing on a beach. They are making sandcastles. Both are wearing sunhats, short sleeved T shirts and shorts. The mother is wearing flip flops, the boy is wearing trainers. In the sky there are high wispy clouds. In the background there are holiday makers in the sea. The day would seem to be warm.

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Indicate which question you are answering by marking a cross in the box ☒. If you change your mind, put a line through the box ☒ and then indicate your new question with a cross ☒.

Chosen question number:

Question 5 ☐

Question 6 ☐

Write your answer to Section B here:

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TOTAL FOR SECTION B = 40 MARKS
TOTAL FOR PAPER = 64 MARKS
END OF PAPER

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