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ENGLISH GENERAL PAPER

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Paper 1 Essay

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1 hour 15 minutes

You must answer on the enclosed answer booklet.

You will need: Answer booklet (enclosed)

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer **one** question.
- Follow the instructions on the front cover of the answer booklet. If you need additional answer paper, ask the invigilator for a continuation booklet.
- Dictionaries are **not** allowed.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 30.
- All questions are worth equal marks.

This document has **4** pages. Any blank pages are indicated.

Answer **one** question.

You are advised to write an essay of 600–700 words. Use examples to support your arguments.

- 1 International organisations are of essential importance in today's world. To what extent do you agree with this statement? [30]
- 2 Technological advances will make learning to speak other languages unnecessary. Evaluate to what extent this statement is true. [30]
- 3 To what extent is health education effective in **your** country? [30]
- 4 Evaluate the extent to which literature can change how people think. [30]
- 5 Traditional arts and crafts are not appreciated enough in **your** country. To what extent do you agree with this statement? [30]
- 6 The desire to make a lot of money is having a positive effect on today's world. Discuss. [30]
- 7 Evaluate the view that space exploration should be publicly funded. [30]
- 8 To what extent has digital media negatively impacted attendance at live performances? [30]
- 9 Human rights are still **not** given enough importance in today's world. Discuss. [30]
- 10 To what extent are the problems of water pollution being successfully addressed in **your** country? [30]

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