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English Language Paper 2

Revision Booklet

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Section A: Q1 – Q4

Question 1: Read again the first part of **Source A** from **lines 1 to 18**.

Choose **four** statements below which are true.

- A. Malala finds it difficult to remember what her bedroom looks like.
- B. Malala had a blue and white school uniform.
- C. Malala's bedroom shares a wall with her neighbour's house.
- D. Malala's sister is called Safina.
- E. There was a market near Malala's home.
- F. Malala's father was the headmaster of the Khushal School for Girls.
- G. Malala always speaks seriously to her father.
- H. Malala no longer lives in her childhood home.

Question 2. You need to refer to **Source A** and **Source B** for this question.

Malala's home is in Birmingham and Oliphant's home in Lasswade. What can you **infer** about the **differences** between their homes?

	Quote from Source A	Quote from Source B
<u>Difference 1</u>		
<u>Difference 2</u>		

Question 3. You now need to refer to **Source B only**.

How does Oliphant use language to show how much she loved her brother?

Type	Quote	Analyse Writer's Method and Effect on Reader
Words and Phrases		
Language Features and Techniques		
Sentence Forms		

Question 4. You need to refer to **Source A** and **Source B** for this question.

Compare how the two writers convey their different memories of their childhood home.

In your answer, you could:

- compare their different memories
- comment on the methods they use to convey their memories
- support your ideas with references to both texts

Source A's memories:	Quote from Source A	Is this similar or different to Source B's memories in Source B?	Quote from Source B

Source A Method	Source A Effect	Source B Method	Source B Effect

Section B: Q5

Question 5. 'Your identity has nothing to do with the town or country or continent you come from. Being British, European, Asian or African makes no difference to who you are.'

Write an online article aimed at teenagers, giving your thoughts in response to this statement.

Section A: Q1 – Q4

Question 1: Read again the first part of **Source A** from **lines 1 to 33**.

Choose **four** statements below which are true.

- A. You are unlikely to survive being on a sinking ship.
- B. Staying calm is very important if you are on a sinking ship.
- C. Passengers on boat trips are always provided with a survival kit.
- D. Your survival kit should include something to eat.
- E. It is important to know where your closest lifeboat is.
- F. You should carry a lifejacket at all times when on board.
- G. It is easier to tread water in the sea than in a swimming pool because of the salt water.
- H. If you hear the horn eight times, this is the signal to abandon ship.

Question 2. You need to refer to **Source A** and **Source B** for this question.

What can you **infer** about the **differences** in purpose between these two texts?

	Quote from Source A	Quote from Source B
<u>Difference 1</u>		
<u>Difference 2</u>		

Question 3. You now need to refer to **Source B lines 15-31 only.**

How does the writer use language to show Mr Derenzy's bravery?

Type	Quote	Analyse Writer's Method and Effect on Reader
Words and Phrases		
Language Features and Techniques		
Sentence Forms		

Question 4. You need to refer to **Source A** and **Source B** for this question.

Compare how the two writers convey different attitudes towards being on a sinking ship.

In your answer, you could:

- compare their different attitudes
- comment on the methods they use to convey their attitudes
- support your ideas with references to both texts

Source A's memories:	Quote from Source A	Is this similar or different to Source B's memories in Source B?	Quote from Source B

Source A Method	Source A Effect	Source B Method	Source B Effect

Section B: Q5

Question 5. “Survival skills should be a part of the school curriculum.’

Write an article for an e-magazine aimed at people your age, giving your thoughts in response to this statement.

Section A: Q1 – Q4

Question 1: Read again the first part of **Source A** from **lines 1 to 15**.

Choose **four** statements below which are true.

- A. Jay Rayner has good memories of his time in school.
- B. Jay Rayner was happy to help his son with his homework..
- C. As a boy, Jay Rayner worried about handing in his homework on Monday mornings.
- D. Jay Rayner could not think of a food metaphor to help his son.
- E. Jay Rayner was very able in school.
- F. As a boy, Jay Rayner did not enjoy doing homework.
- G. Jay Rayner looked forward to receiving feedback from his teachers.
- H. Jay Rayner makes a joke to cover up his own real exam results.

Question 2. You need to refer to **Source A** and **Source B** for this question.

What can you **infer** about the **differences** between Eddie and Henry?

	Quote from Source A	Quote from Source B
<u>Difference 1</u>		
<u>Difference 2</u>		

Question 3. You now need to refer only to Source B, the letter by Henry written to his father. How does Henry use language to try to influence his father?

Type	Quote	Analyse Writer's Method and Effect on Reader
Words and Phrases		
Language Features and Techniques		
Sentence Forms		

Question 4. For this question, you need to refer to the whole of Source A, together with Source B, the father's letter to a family friend.

- compare how the two writers convey their different attitudes to parenting and education.
- comment on the methods they use to convey their attitudes
- support your ideas with references to both texts

Source A's memories:	Quote from Source A	Is this similar or different to Source B's memories in Source B?	Quote from Source B

Source A Method	Source A Effect	Source B Method	Source B Effect

Section B: Q5

Question 5. 'Homework has no value. Some students get it done for them; some don't do it at all. Students should be relaxing in their free time.'

Write an article for a broadsheet newspaper in which you explain your point of view on this statement.

Section A: Q1 – Q4

Question 1: Read again the first part of **Source A** from **lines 1 to 13**.

Choose **four** statements below which are true.

- A. The first time Mike Doyle saw anyone surfing was in 1953
- B. Mike Doyle spent very little time at the beach as a child.
- C. In the 1950s there were very few surfers in California.
- D. Most surfers like to surf in the early morning.
- E. Surfers often stayed later in the day to entertain the crowds.
- F. Mike Doyle took the train to the beach.
- G. The first time he saw them, Mike Doyle was unimpressed by the surfers.
- H. The surfers looked fit and suntanned.

Question 2. You need to refer to **Source A** and **Source B** for this question.

Both sources describe the types of board used for surfing. What can you **infer** about the **differences** between the different boards used by the surfers?

	Quote from Source A	Quote from Source B
<u>Difference 1</u>		
<u>Difference 2</u>		

Question 3. You now need to refer only to **Source B lines 18-25.**

How does the writer use language to describe the surfers and the sea?

Type	Quote	Analyse Writer's Method and Effect on Reader
Words and Phrases		
Language Features and Techniques		
Sentence Forms		

Question 4. For this question, you need to refer to the whole of Source A, together with the whole of Source B.

Compare how the writers convey their different perspectives on surfing.

- compare their different perspectives on surfing
- comment on the methods they use to convey their perspectives
- support your ideas with references to both texts

Source A's memories:	Quote from Source A	Is this similar or different to Source B's memories in Source B?	Quote from Source B

Source A Method	Source A Effect	Source B Method	Source B Effect

Section B: Q5

Question 5. 'All sport should be fun, fair and open to everyone. These days, sport seems to be more about money, corruption and winning at any cost.'

Write an article for a newspaper in which you explain your point of view on this statement.

Section A: Q1 – Q4

Question 1: Read again the first part of **Source A** from **lines 1 to 11**.

Choose **four** statements below which are true.

- A. Paul Valley can't hide his look of horror upon sight of the Edwardian house where the prison is located.
- B. He is surprised at the sight of period features.
- C. He thinks that the prison, from the outside, looks like a spa.
- D. From its appearance, he wouldn't pay much to stay here.
- E. The car ignores the new-built brick extension and sweeps onto the front door.
- F. The reflective windows live up to his expectations.
- G. Two staff survey a bank of CCTV.
- H. The car doors open only when the shutter is closed.

Question 2. You need to refer to **Source A** and **Source B** for this question.

Young prisoners at the secure children's home and at Reading Prison are treated differently. What can you **infer** about the **differences** between the young prisoners?

	Quote from Source A	Quote from Source B
<u>Difference 1</u>		
<u>Difference 2</u>		

Question 3. You now need to refer to **Source B, lines 17-25.**

How does the writer use language to describe the child prisoners?

Type	Quote	Analyse Writer's Method and Effect on Reader
Words and Phrases		
Language Features and Techniques		
Sentence Forms		

Question 4. You need to refer to **Source A** and **Source B** for this question.

Compare how the two writers convey their different perspectives on child prisoners.

In your answer, you could:

- compare their different perspectives
- comment on the methods they use to convey their perspectives
- support your ideas with references to both texts

Source A's memories:	Quote from Source A	Is this similar or different to Source B's memories in Source B?	Quote from Source B

Source A Method	Source A Effect	Source B Method	Source B Effect

Section B: Q5

Question 5. 'There is no need for prisons in modern society. Rehabilitation and community programs are better and more sustainable options.'

Write a broadsheet newspaper article, giving your thoughts in response to this statement.