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Edexcel GCE

English Language Advanced Subsidiary

Unit 2

Desk Study

Tuesday 22 May 2007 – Morning

Time: 1 hour 30 minutes

Pre-release textual material

Items included with question papers

Nil

Instructions to Candidates

In the boxes above, write your centre number, candidate number, your surname, initial(s) and signature.

Answer ALL parts of the question.

Write your answers in the space provided in this question paper.

Information for Candidates

You should have brought into the examination the textual material that you were given for preparation before the examination.

This unit targets AO2 and also assesses AO1 and AO4. They are listed at the end of this paper. The total mark for this paper is 50.

Dictionaries may **not** be used in this examination.

Advice to Candidates

You are reminded of the importance of clear English and careful presentation in your answers. You are advised to spend about a quarter of an hour in further preparation and about three quarters of an hour in writing the task and a further half an hour on the commentary.

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This unit targets AO2 and also assesses AO1 and AO4.

The material for these tasks is in a separate booklet. You should refer to the copy that was given to you in advance of the examination.

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You MUST base your work on the material provided and should not introduce any supplementary material.

You should use your own words where possible.

Task (a)

A national conference aimed at students aged 16–19 is being held to raise awareness of the issues surrounding global warming and to persuade the government to raise these issues to the top of the political agenda. As an AS student with an interest in the environment, you have been invited to deliver a presentation which explores alternative sources of energy and encourages young people to become involved in the debate. Your presentation should:

- provide background information on climate change
- provide information on the problems linked to CO₂ emissions and the use of fossil fuels
- explore alternative sources of energy
- encourage young people to become actively involved in the debate.

Your task is to provide the text for this presentation.

Your text should be at least 400 words long.

Task (b)

Explain and comment on the language choices you have made in Task (a) in order to reshape the source materials to meet the requirements of a presentation for a national conference aimed at students aged 16–19.

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Assessment Objectives for Unit 2 (6372): Desk Study:

- AO2 demonstrate expertise and accuracy in writing for a variety of specific purposes and audiences, drawing on knowledge of linguistic features to explain and comment on choices made
- AO1 communicate clearly the knowledge, understanding and insight appropriate to the study of language, using appropriate terminology and accurate and coherent written expression
- AO4 understand, discuss and explore concepts and issues relating to language in use.