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Paper 2

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1 hour 30 minutes

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

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Answer **one** question.
The total time of 1 hour 30 minutes includes time for you to study the questions before you begin your answer.
You may make notes during this time if you wish.
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Dictionaries are **not** permitted.

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(b) During the course of the whole conversation, to what extent does Felix appear to get the better of the argument? **Answer in about 100 words.**

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(c) Taking the entire passage into account, what would be the most suitable title for it? Once you have written out this title, **explain your reasoning in about 30 words.**

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(d) Briefly answer the following questions.

(i) How would you challenge Felix's claim that there would be 'no more heart attacks' (line 5) if everyone had to walk or bike more?

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(ii) What does the use of 'absurd' (line 16) tell you about Ernest?

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(iii) What is Ernest really saying when he refers to 'that precious reactor of yours' (line 24)?

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(iv) What is the point of mentioning 'a goat or an eagle' (line 28)?

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(v) Why does Ernest draw attention to a 'Lesser Spotted Bluehawk' (line 41)?

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(vi) What is Ernest doing when he says, "Er ... yes ... so you did ... Be realistic ... Very well, then."(line 46)?

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3 Study Passage 3 in the Insert to answer the following questions (a) – (e).

(a) **Briefly** explain why the writer uses the following words in the opening lines of the passage:

(i) wobbly (line 2)
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(ii) key (line 5)
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(iii) just (line 13)
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(b) How is Samoa setting about changing its dateline status in an entirely different fashion from how Kiribati proceeded in 1995? **Answer in about 50 of your own words.**

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(c) Making use of the passage, outline the various reasons why certain countries have modified or intend to modify the arrangements originally made in 1884. **Answer in about 100 of your own words.**

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(d) (i) Give the one reason stated in the text why the dateline runs through the Pacific Ocean, and suggest one reason of your own.

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(ii) Why do you think that Thursday December 29th was considered a more suitable day for a country to change from one side to the other of the International Dateline than, for example, Tuesday March 8th?

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(iii) If residents of Samoa wished to celebrate their birthday on what should have been Friday December 30th 2011, how would that be possible if they flew to nearby American Samoa?

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(e) (i) Explain the meaning of the following words as they are used in the passage. You may write the answer in one word or a short phrase:

imaginary (line 4);

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deviations (line 16);

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specify (line 22);

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assert (line 27);

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straddled (line 37);

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standard (line 47).

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- (ii) Use these words in six separate sentences to illustrate their meanings as used in the passage. Your sentences should not deal with the subject matter of the passage.

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