2003

HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE
EXAMINATION

French Extension
Oral Examination

General Instructions

- Preparation time – 10 minutes
- The examination should take approximately 5 minutes
- The examination will be recorded on cassette. The cassette recorder should NOT be stopped or paused until the whole examination is completed
- Dictionaries may NOT be used
- You may make brief notes in the spaces provided
- You may refer to these notes during the examination, but you must NOT read directly from them
- You are NOT permitted to ask the examiner for help with French expressions
- You must state your Student Number and Centre Number in ENGLISH at the beginning of the examination
- Write your Centre Number and Student Number at the top of this page

Total marks – 10

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You are to speak for approximately TWO minutes in FRENCH on each question.

State the question number in ENGLISH at the beginning of each question.

In your answers you will be assessed on how well you:
- present and support a point of view
- demonstrate clarity of expression (pronunciation, intonation, stress)
- demonstrate accuracy and variety of vocabulary and sentence structures

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Question 1 (5 marks)

Les jeunes de nos jours ne témoignent pas automatiquement aux adultes le respect qu'ils méritent. Etes-vous d'accord?

Young people of today do not automatically give adults the respect that they deserve. Do you agree?

CANDIDATE'S NOTES. *These notes will NOT be marked.*

Question 2 (5 marks)

En poursuivant la richesse, on oublie ce qui est vraiment essentiel: les rapports humains. Etes-vous d'accord?

In our pursuit of wealth, we forget about what is really important: human relationships. Do you agree?

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Question 3 (5 marks)

L'intolérance est fondée sur la peur et l'ignorance. Etes-vous d'accord?

Intolerance is based on fear and ignorance. Do you agree?

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