

**OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS
GCSE**

A680/02/QPI

**ENGLISH/ENGLISH LANGUAGE
Information and Ideas (Higher Tier)
QUESTION PAPER INSERT**

TUESDAY 5 NOVEMBER 2013: Morning

**DURATION: 2 hours
plus your additional time allowance**

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- This Insert is for your reference only.
- Read each question carefully. Make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Answer ALL the questions in Section A and ONE question in Section B.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.
- The total number of marks for this paper is 80.
- Any blank pages are indicated.

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Answer ALL the questions in Section A and ONE in Section B

Section A: Non-Fiction and Media

You are advised to spend about one hour on Section A

Read carefully the two passages ‘Malaria: the net gains of keeping mosquitoes at bay’ and ‘Charity Fundraising: boring and embarrassing – unless you join in, says comic Robert Webb’. Answer questions 1, 2 and 3. These questions will be marked for reading.

1 ‘Malaria: the net gains of keeping mosquitoes at bay’

OUTLINE CONCISELY what you learn from the article about malaria and the problems with the use of mosquito nets.

Use your OWN WORDS as far as possible. [12]

2 ‘Malaria: the net gains of keeping mosquitoes at bay’

How does the article convince you of the importance of mosquito nets?

In your answer you should comment on the effectiveness of the writer’s use of the PRESENTATION and LANGUAGE.

Presentation may include reference to the headings and pictures and the way the article is structured. [14]

3 'Charity Fundraising: boring and embarrassing – unless you join in, says comic Robert Webb'

How does Robert Webb present his views about charity fundraising in a lighthearted but thought-provoking way?

In your answer you should refer closely to the LANGUAGE used and the TONE created. [14]

Section B: Writing

You are advised to spend about 50 minutes on Section B.

Answer EITHER question 4 or question 5.

This answer will be marked for writing. Plan your answer and write it carefully.

Leave enough time to check through what you have written.

EITHER

- 4 Write the text for a leaflet which encourages support for a good cause. [40]**

OR

- 5 “It was worth making the effort.” Write about a time when your own efforts were rewarded. [40]**

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