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Nil

Items included with question papers

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Instructions to Candidates

In the boxes above, write your centre number, candidate number, your surname, initials, and your signature.
Check that you have the correct question paper.
If you need more space to complete your answer to any question, use additional answer sheets.

Answer the question in Section A, one question from Section B and one question from Section C.

Information for Candidates

Each question will be marked out of 25.
You are reminded of the importance of clear English and careful presentation in your answers.
You should have, in addition to this question paper, an extract from *Slave: The True Story of a Girl's Lost Childhood and her Fight for Survival* by Mende Nazer and Damien Lewis.

Please note:
Section A is on page 2 in this question paper
Section B is on page 6 in this question paper
Section C is on page 10 in this question paper.

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SECTION A: UNPREPARED NON-FICTION

You must answer the question in this section.
You should spend about 40 minutes on this question.

1. Read the extract from *Slave* in which Mende Nazer describes the events leading up to a wrestling match between tribesmen in the remote Nuba Mountains of Sudan.

How does this passage create a vivid impression of the atmosphere and excitement of the day of the wrestling?

You should write about:
- the appearance of the wrestlers
- references to the senses of sound, smell and taste
- the rules and aims of the wrestling
- the use of language.

Support your answer with examples from the text.

(Total for Section A: 25 marks for Reading)

Write your answer to Section A here:

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SECTION B: WRITING TO ARGUE, PERSUADE, ADVISE

There are two questions in this section. You should answer ONE of them.
Do not use pencil. Use blue or black ink.
Put a cross in the box indicating the question you have chosen (☒).
If you change your mind, put a line through the box (☒) and then put a cross in the other box (☒).
You should spend about 40 minutes on this question.

2. Should team sports be a compulsory part of the school curriculum?

Write the text of a persuasive speech to be given to your year group, **either** in support of the idea of compulsory team sports **or** against it.

OR

3. Some people think that not enough is being done to preserve traditions and customs.

What aspects of your way of life would you most want to keep and why?

(Total for Section B: 25 marks for Writing)

Chosen Question Number: **Question 2** ☒ **Question 3** ☒

Write your answer to Section B here:

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SECTION C: WRITING TO ANALYSE, REVIEW, COMMENT

There are two questions in this section. You should answer ONE of them.
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Put a cross in the box indicating the question you have chosen (☒).
If you change your mind, put a line through the box (☒) and then put a cross in the other box (☒).
You should spend about 40 minutes on this question.

4. The website for a television channel is running a feature on gender issues and has asked for comments on the question 'Are teenage girls still treated differently from boys?'

Write your response, giving in detail your views on the subject. You may wish to comment on the topic in relation to home, school, the workplace or any other relevant area.

OR

5. Write about an event, scene or occasion which you thought was extraordinary.

Analyse the reasons why it was exceptional.

(Total for Section C: 25 marks for Writing)

Chosen Question Number: **Question 4** ☒ **Question 5** ☒

Write your answer to Section C here:

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