



**4172/01**

**ENGLISH/ENGLISH LANGUAGE**

**FOUNDATION TIER**

**UNIT 2 (WRITING)**

**A.M. TUESDAY, 4 November 2014**

**1 hour plus your additional time allowance**

## **ADDITIONAL MATERIALS**

**An 8 page answer book.**

## **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

**Use black ink, black ball-point pen or your usual method.**

**Answer ALL questions.**

**Write your answers in the separate answer book provided, following the instructions on the front of the answer book. You may also write your answers on a separate sheet if preferred.**

**You are advised to spend your time as follows:**

**Q1. about half your time.**

**Q2. about half your time.**

## **INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

**The number of marks is given in brackets at the end of each question.**

**Answer Question 1 AND Question 2.**

**In this unit you will be assessed for your writing skills, including the presentation of your work. Take special care with spelling and punctuation.**

**Think about the purpose, audience and, where appropriate, the format for your writing.**

**A guide to the amount you should write is given at the end of each question.**

- 1. The National Lottery are giving money for school improvements. One school in your area will be chosen to receive the funding.**

**Write a letter to the National Lottery persuading them that your school deserves to be chosen.**

**You should include details about:**

- what needs improving in your school;**
- how you would spend the money.**

**Write your letter. [20 marks]**

**The quality of your writing is more important than its length. You should write about 300 to 500 words.**

2. **Technology is part of our everyday lives. From new 3D TVs to smart phones, from schools to your home, technology is everywhere. Some love it, some hate it.**

**Write a lively article for your school magazine entitled: 'Technology and Me'.**

**Write your article. [20 marks]**

**The quality of your writing is more important than its length. You should write about 300 to 500 words.**