



# education

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Education  
**REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA**

**NATIONAL  
SENIOR CERTIFICATE**

**GRADE 10**

**ENGLISH SECOND ADDITIONAL LANGUAGE P2**

**GUIDELINES**

**EXEMPLAR PAPER**

**MARKS: 40**

**TIME: 2 hours**

**These guidelines consists of 5 pages.**

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## **INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION**

1. This question paper is divided into FOUR sections: POETRY, DRAMA, NOVEL and SHORT STORIES.

2. You must answer questions from any TWO sections.

NOTE: In each section, there are questions on three extracts. Answer the questions on TWO extracts in EACH of the two sections you have chosen.

3. Start each section on a NEW page and rule off after each section.

4. Leave a line after each answer.

5. Write neatly and legibly.

6. LENGTH OF ANSWERS:

Be guided by the number of marks allocated to each question, aiming always at conciseness and strict relevance. For example, the answer to a 2-mark question should be about 2 - 3 lines in average-sized handwriting.

**SECTION A: POETRY**

**QUESTION 1** [10]

**QUESTION 2** [10]

**QUESTION 3** [10]

**TOTAL SECTION A:** 20

**SECTION B: DRAMA**

**QUESTION 4** [10]

**QUESTION 5** [10]

**QUESTION 6** [10]

**TOTAL SECTION B:** 20

**SECTION C: NOVEL**

**QUESTION 7** [10]

**QUESTION 8** [10]

**QUESTION 9** [10]

**TOTAL SECTION C:** 20

**SECTION D: SHORT STORIES**

**QUESTION 10** [10]

**QUESTION 11** [10]

**QUESTION 12** [10]

**TOTAL SECTION D:** 20

**GRAND TOTAL:** 40

## TYPES OF QUESTIONS TO BE SET:

1. Multiple-choice questions.
2. TRUE or FALSE questions with a brief quote as proof.
3. Questions requiring a quote as answer, e.g.:  
  
*Which word in line 3 tells us that ...*  
*Quote a phrase of TWO words which shows that ...*  
*Quote a line which shows that ...*
4. Paraphrase questions, e.g.:  
  
*Say in your own words what ...*
5. Identifying or quoting an example of a figure of speech, e.g.:  
  
*Give an example of a simile from the poem.*  
*What figure of speech is used in line 3?*
6. Questions testing comprehension of diction in context, e.g.:  
  
*Find a word similar in meaning to word **x** (line \_\_)*  
*Which word in line **x** means ...?*  
*What do you understand by the expression **xx** in line \_\_?*
7. Identifying the structure, e.g. a sonnet.
8. Questions which require the candidates to choose a suitable word from a given list, e.g.:  
  
*In line **x** the person is feeling ... because of his/her ...; in line **y** he/she is feeling more ...*
9. Mix and match questions, e.g.:  
  
*Match the item in COLUMN A with a suitable item in COLUMN B. Write only the letter (A - C) next to the question number (1 - 5), e.g. 1 C.*
10. Simple explanation of metaphor and irony, led by the examiner, e.g.:  
  
*In the metaphor in line three the poet compares death to ... because both are ...*  
  
*Explain the irony of **x's** words in line **x**, when you compare it to what he/she does.*
11. Questions requiring reference to incidents earlier or later in the studied text.

12. Questions requiring an opinion on the validity of a character's point of view or actions, e.g.:

*Do you think **x** had a good reason to do **y**? Give a reason for your answer.*

13. Questions regarding character, e.g.:

*What does the way in which he/she acts at work tell us about him/her?*

*What is **x's** attitude towards other people? Give an example from the story to support your answer.*

14. Questions requiring answers in sentences, as well as phrases and words.