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FRIDAY, 6 JUNE  
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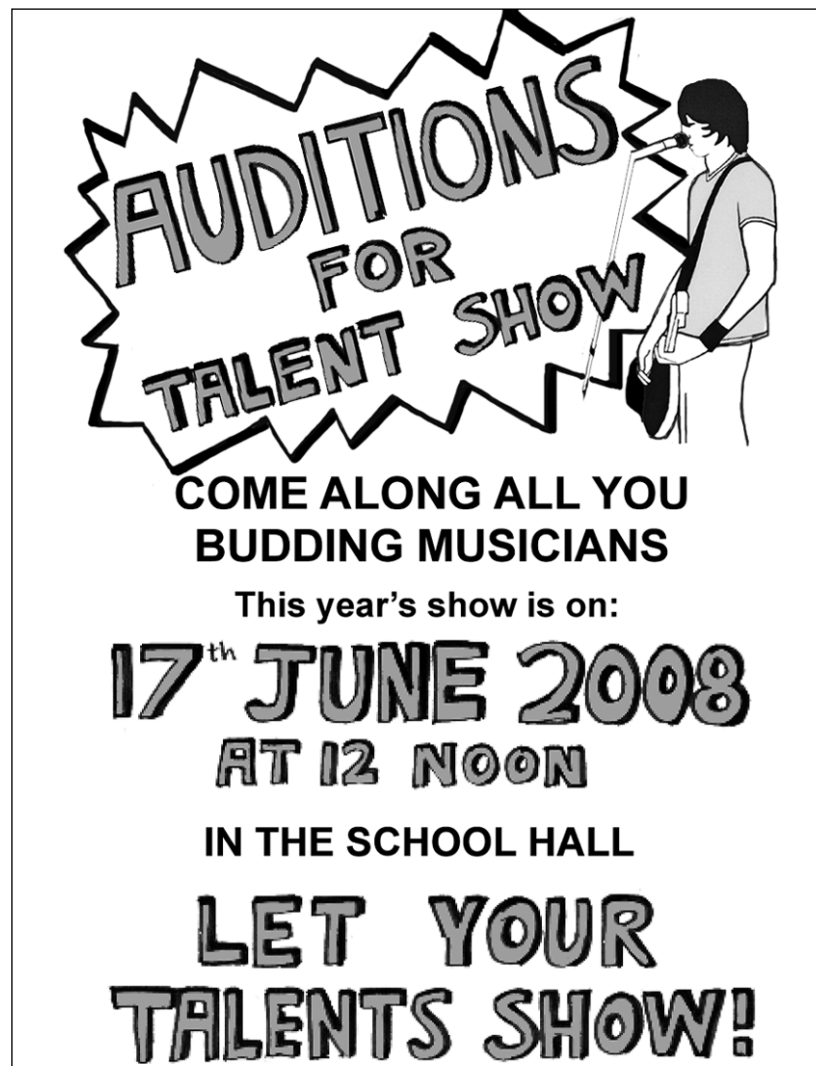
PERSONAL AND  
SOCIAL EDUCATION  
INTERMEDIATE 2  
Information Sheets



## Information Sheet Q1

Neil is in fourth year and is a gifted guitar soloist. His heroes are the “*Arctic Monkeys*”. He has always enjoyed music and his friends think he is great.

Every year a talent show is held in Neil’s school.



**AUDITIONS  
FOR  
TALENT SHOW**

**COME ALONG ALL YOU  
BUDDING MUSICIANS**

This year's show is on:

**17<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2008**

**AT 12 NOON**

**IN THE SCHOOL HALL**

**LET YOUR  
TALENTS SHOW!**

## Information Sheet Q1 (continued)

### Neil's Initial Self-Evaluation

	<b>I find that I am:</b>	<b>Good</b>	<b>Okay</b>	<b>Poor</b>
1	at ease with strangers			✓
2	good at organising things	✓		
3	good at adjusting plans		✓	
4	popular in school with other pupils	✓		
5	always on time		✓	
6	talented in a particular field	✓		
7	keen to try out new ideas			✓
8	relaxed about leaving things to chance			✓
9	feel good about taking risks			✓
10	at ease in large groups			✓
11	a hard worker		✓	
12	realistic about reviewing my own progress		✓	
13	trendy		✓	
14	a good team member	✓		
15	a good finisher of projects		✓	
16	knowledgeable about popular music.	✓		

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## Information Sheet Q2

Karen has completed her sixth year and has recently left school. She has gained a group of qualifications and particularly enjoyed her geography and modern studies classes. Over the last year, she has had a part-time job in her local mountaineering shop. She has always been adventurous and was very interested in an article she read recently in her local newspaper. She liked the idea of travel and wondered if she could combine this with working abroad.

This article is reproduced below.

### **Scots love to explore**

Record numbers of Scots are shunning package holidays for adventure tours.

Of the Scots questioned, 84% said holidays should be about exploration, while 31% had travelled recently to at least 4 different countries. The majority felt that travel should be a personal development opportunity as well as a physical journey.

Do you have a burning desire to push back the frontiers of exploration, too?

After reading this article, Karen decides to go off on a gap year. She already has some money saved, and plans to spend the first 6 months working at an Alpine holiday resort. Following this, she would like to see as much of the world as she can afford.

She hopes this experience will help her decide on a future career from areas such as: map production, weather forecasting, conservation, travel and tourism.

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