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**ENGLISH LANGUAGE**

**Paper 2 Writers' viewpoints and perspectives**

**8700/2**

**Time allowed: 1 hour 45 minutes**

**At the top of the page, write your surname and other names, your centre number, your candidate number and add your signature.**

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**For this paper you must have:**

- **SOURCE A and SOURCE B – provided as a separate insert.**

## **INSTRUCTIONS**

- **Answer ALL questions.**
- **Use black ink or black ball-point pen.**
- **You must answer the questions in the spaces provided.**
- **Do not write on blank pages.**
- **If you need extra space for your answer(s), use the lined pages at the end of this book. Write the question number against your answer(s).**
- **Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.**
- **You must refer to the Insert booklet provided.**
- **You must NOT use a dictionary.**



## **INFORMATION**

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 80.
- There are 40 marks for SECTION A and 40 marks for SECTION B.
- You are reminded of the need for good English and clear presentation in your answers.
- You will be assessed on the quality of your **READING** in SECTION A.
- You will be assessed on the quality of your **WRITING** in SECTION B.

## **ADVICE**

- You are advised to spend about 15 minutes reading through the sources and all five questions you have to answer.
- You are advised to plan your answer to **QUESTION 5** before you start to write.
- You should make sure you leave sufficient time to check your answers.

**DO NOT TURN OVER UNTIL TOLD TO DO SO**



**SECTION A: READING**

Answer ALL questions in this section.

You are advised to spend about 45 minutes on this section.

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Read again the first part of SOURCE A from LINES 1 TO 16.

Choose FOUR statements below which are TRUE.

- Shade the CIRCLES in the boxes of the ones that you think are TRUE.
- Choose a maximum of FOUR statements.
- If you make an error cross out the WHOLE BOX.
- If you change your mind and require a statement that has been crossed out then draw a circle around the box.

[4 marks]

A The writer's mother was happy to be going on holiday.

B This is the first time the writer has been to France.



- C The writer thinks evil powers ruin holidays.
- D The writer thinks holidays are mental and physical challenges.
- E The writer is a teenager at the time of the holiday.
- F The family are travelling through a city.
- G The fields on either side of the road are full of wheat.
- H The writer admits that holidays can look attractive but she thinks this is a trick.

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You need to refer to SOURCE A and SOURCE B for this question.

The writers in SOURCE A and SOURCE B stay in very different camping sites.

Use details from BOTH sources to write a summary of what you understand about the differences between the two camping sites. [8 marks]

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You now need to refer only to **SOURCE A** from **LINES 49 TO 67**.

How does the writer use language to describe the rain and the storm? [12 marks]

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**For this question, you need to refer to the WHOLE OF SOURCE A, together with the WHOLE OF SOURCE B.**

**Compare how the writers convey their different thoughts and feelings about camping experiences.**

**In your answer, you could:**

- **compare their different thoughts and feelings about camping experiences**
- **compare the methods they use to convey their thoughts and feelings**
- **support your response with references to both texts.**

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**SECTION B: WRITING**

**You are advised to spend about 45 minutes on this section.**

**Write in full sentences.**

**You are reminded of the need to plan your answer.**

**You should leave enough time to check your work at the end.**

**0 5**

**‘Holidays don’t need to be faraway and expensive. They just need to give people a break from everyday life and the chance to relax.’**

**Write an article for a magazine in which you argue your point of view on this statement.**

**(24 marks for content and organisation  
16 marks for technical accuracy)  
[40 marks]**

**You are advised to plan your answer to Question 5 before you start to write.**

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