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ENGLISH

Paper 2 Writing

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Afternoon

Time allowed: 1 hour

At the top of the page, write your surname and forename(s), your centre number, your candidate number and add your signature.

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MATERIALS

- You will need no other materials.
- You **MUST NOT** have access to a dictionary or any other spelling or grammar aid.

INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Answer **BOTH** questions.
- 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 answer book.
- Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.



INFORMATION

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 27.
- You are reminded of the need for good English and clear presentation in your answers.

ADVICE

You are advised to spend 20 minutes on QUESTION 1 and 40 minutes on QUESTION 2.

DO NOT TURN OVER UNTIL TOLD TO DO SO



Answer BOTH questions.

Answer the questions in the spaces provided.

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This leaflet has been sent to your home address:

YOUR LOCAL AREA

**It's your own area, and you know it and love it, right?
Of course you do!**

But not everybody thinks it is a wonderful place. Many local people believe your area can be changed for the better.

The council is looking for ideas on how to make local areas better. We want to know what you want to change and why.

Remember, it's your local area and your ideas can change it for the better.

Email your ideas to us at townimprove@email.co.uk

You want to email your ideas to the council.

Write about one or two things you would like to change in your local area.



Your email to the council should:

- **say what you think needs to change**
- **explain why you want the change(s)**
- **say what you think the council should do**
- **be approximately 80 to 120 words.**

Remember to:

- **plan your answer**
- **use correct spelling, punctuation and grammar**
- **write clearly and effectively.**

[6 marks]

[+ 3 marks for SPaG]

Plan your answer here:

[Turn over]



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Write the email in the space below:

NEW MESSAGE

To... townimprove@email.co.uk

Cc...

Subject:

[Turn over]





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You were given a link to **LIFETOTHEFULL**, a social media site, by a friend.

LIFETOTHEFULL.CO.UK

We're a brand-new social media website listing activities, events and reviews in the local area.

It's all about living life to the full!

Tell us about an event you went to where you lived life to the full. It could be anything – a gig, a sporting event, a shopping trip, a festival... Anything at all that you really, really enjoyed.

Upload your story to us at lifetothefull.co.uk and you might win £50.



An image shows a large group of people standing outside.





An image shows people standing on a stage with instruments and microphones. There is a crowd of people standing in front of the stage watching them.

[Turn over]



You want to upload your story to lifetothefull.co.uk.

Write a story about something that you really enjoyed.

You should:

- **say what the event was**
- **give any details that add to your story**
- **say why you enjoyed it.**

Remember to:

- **plan your answer**
- **use correct spelling, punctuation and grammar**
- **write accurately in sentences and paragraphs.**

[9 marks]

[+ 9 marks for SPaG]

Plan your answer here:





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END OF QUESTIONS

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Additional page, if required.

Write the question numbers in the left-hand margin.

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